

GSA 8(a) STARS II

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Savan Group and the Network Specialty Group, Inc. (NSGI) have come together to form the SavanNSG Alliance, LLC ("SavanNSG") Joint Venture (JV). Through this JV, customers can access the deep expertise of Savan Group, the Managing Partner, or NSGI across a range of services; alternatively, customers can easily access a combination of both companies' services and experience.

What is 8(a) STARS II?

SavanNSG has been awarded an 8(a) Streamlined Technology Acquisition Resources for Services (STARS II) contract. 8(a) STARS II is a multiple award Indefinite-Delivery, Indefinite-Quantity (IDIQ) contract vehicle formed to provide federal agencies with forward-looking information technology (IT) services-based solutions from award winning 8(a) small businesses.

SavanNSG's 8(a) STARS II services span the following functional areas:

FA1: NAICS 541511 - Custom Computer Programming Services
FA2: NAICS 541512 - Computer Systems Design Services

FA3: NAICS 541513 - Computer Facilities Management Services
FA4: NAICS 541519 - Other Computer Related Services

Additional information regarding 8(a) STARS II's benefits and ordering process are detailed below.

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- This is a best-in-class contract vehicle.
- Pre-competed contracts with streamlined ordering procedures reduce procurement and administrative lead time (PALT).
- Directed task order awards up to \$4 million enhance opportunities for 8(a) firms and allow federal clients to receive 8(a) small-business credit.
- There is a low 0.75% contract access fee (CAV).
- Labor rates are pre-negotiated, determined fairly and reasonably, and can be discounted further at the task-order level.
- Ancillary services and/or equipment are permitted when integral and necessary to the IT services-based solution.
- There are no protests on orders under \$10 million, which minimizes protest risk and supports timely order award for optimal mission support (exception: protests allowed on the grounds that the order increases the scope, period, or maximum value of the GWAC).
- There is a \$12 billion program ceiling and a 10-year period of performance (5-year base period with one 5-year option).
- This vehicle offers flexibility of contract types to mitigate risk (e.g., fixed price, labor-hour, and time-and-materials).

Ordering Process

- Prior to issuing or administering a task order on 8(a) STARS II, the agency contracting officer must receive a delegation of procurement authority (DPA) from the GSA 8(a) STARS II contracting officer. In order to request a DPA, a warranted contracting officer must complete 8(a) STARS II-specific training, which covers GWAC ordering procedures and outlines the responsibilities of GSA and the ordering agency. Upon completion of the training, contracting officers may request their DPA at www.gsa.gov/gwacdpa.

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