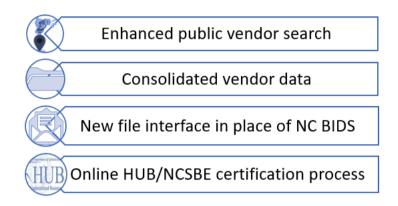


The New eVP Updates

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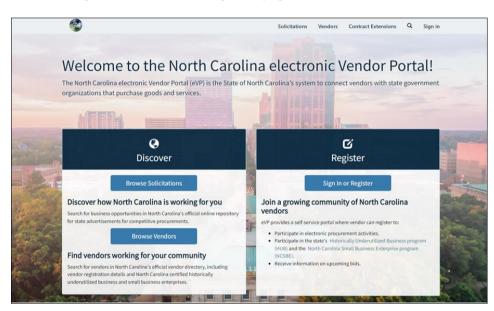
WHAT'S HAPPENING...

A new electronic vendor portal (eVP) is underway and will include optimized functionality from eVP, IPS and NC BIDS. Among other improved features, the new eVP will include:



WHAT'S NEW...

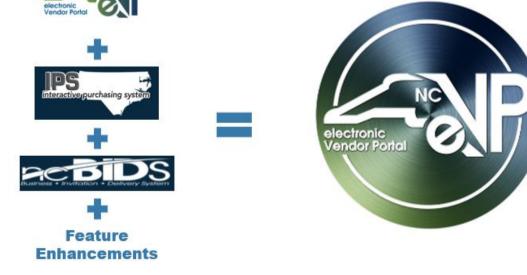
Here is a sneak peek of the new eVP webpage! This is where vendors will go to register or manage their eVP account, apply for HUB or NCSBE certification/ recertification, and view posted solicitations and extended contracts. Vendors will also use the new eVP to respond electronically to posted solicitations. Buyers can search for registered vendors through this page, as well.



WHAT'S THE IMPACT...

This new website brings together features from eVP, IPS and NC BIDS – all in one place:





WHAT'S NEXT...

The project's go-live timeline has been slightly extended to summer 2023.

Training for the new eVP is planned for the month leading up to go-live. Webinars on topics such as eVP account management and responding to formal solicitations as well as updated training materials will be available.

Stay tuned! You'll find the latest details on the NCEP News & Events page.

This message was sent to all vendors registered in the electronic Vendor Portal (eVP) to do business with the state of North Carolina. For any questions regarding this communication, contact the Help Desk at <u>vendor@nc.gov</u> or 888-211-7440, option 2, M-F 7:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. EST.