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- Government Contracts
- Securities Enforcement
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- Business Litigation
- Government Affairs
- White Collar Criminal Defense
- Construction
- Certification (including 8(a) and DBE)

Firm Certifications/Qualifications

8(a) ◦ SDB

WOSB ◦ EDWOSB

Small Business

DC / WMATA DOT DBE

MDOT DBE

DC CBE

WBENC/WPEO W/MBE

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Managing Partner Carol L. O'Riordan has been called to be a panelist at the Community Business Partnership's seminar next week. The panel's topic, **Capitalizing on 8(a) Opportunities, Smartly**, will address converting a company's 8(a) status into government contracting opportunities while observing contracting ethics rules and protecting company interests. The panel is part of **"Achieving Success in the 8(a) Business Development Program,"** a CapitalOneSM Bank seminar that will take place on December 8, 2011 at 1680 Capital One Drive McLean, Virginia. For more information and to register for this event, please go to <http://ow.ly/7ucD2>.

O'Riordan Bethel congratulates long-standing client PIONEERING EVOLUTION, LLC on its expansion to new headquarters in Crystal City. We represented PIONEERING EVOLUTION throughout lease negotiations for the more than 7,000 square feet space, including build out and parking. PIONEERING EVOLUTION, LLC is a management consulting firm that provides comprehensive expertise in program management, multi-year business planning and modeling, business process integration and re-engineering (documenting and automating), acquisition documentation and reporting requirements, earned value management analysis and implementation, cost proposal analysis, and management information system (MIS) development and maintenance, all with a focus on performance measurement and results.

O'Riordan Bethel continues to guide multiple clients through D.C. DOT, WMATA, VDOT, Virginia DMBE, DC DSLB, and U.S. Small Business Administration certification, including, in the just the last several months:

- Chevy Chase Contractors, Inc., Silver Spring, Maryland (MWAA/VA DBE/MBE)
- Romano Concrete Construction, Inc., Laurel, Maryland (MDOT DBE/MBE)
- Rowen Concrete, Inc., Baltimore, Maryland (MDOT DBE/MBE)

We are proud to report that our Industry/Community involvement continues:

- **O'Riordan Bethel is proud to be part of the outstanding kickoff of a new DC Chapter of NUCA**, the national association for utility and excavation contractors: www.nuca.com. Conceived and spearheaded by **Anchor Construction Corporation's Florentino Gregorio**, the initial meeting drew some 70 individuals representing more than 40 area companies, all interested in creating a forum through which member companies can address concerns in the DC utility construction industry, including local governmental and safety issues. We will continue our strong support by serving on the new chapter's **Steering**

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Committee in upcoming weeks.

- Carol O'Riordan is honored to have been invited to serve on the **Advisory Board of Women and Veterans Entrepreneurs (WAVE)**, dedicated to furthering the interests of women and veteran owned businesses and to assist them in their dealings with federal agencies and prime contractor organizations.

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