

Not Just an Open Protocol, A Platform For Open Business



What Do They Have In Common?

- General Services Administration
- Army Corps of Engineers
- City of Chicago
- Property Management Firms
- Banks
- Quick Service Restaurants



What Do They Have In Common?

- Manage a Large Number of Facilities
- Unmanageable Portfolio of Control Systems
- Locked in to a Variety of Service Contracts
- Have to Sole Source BAS Modifications
- Frustrated by Waste
- Implemented LonMark Systems to Eliminate All of the Above

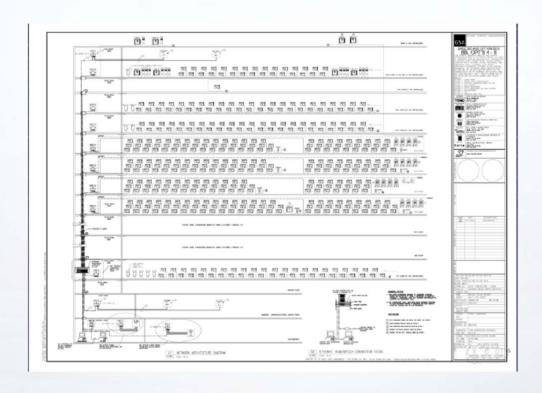


Open Procurement Process

- Must Promote Fair and Open Competition Throughout Lifecycle of Each Facility
 - Complete Upfront Design
 - Division 25 Specifications IAS
 - Construction Administration
 - Commissioning Performance Verification Testing



Complete Upfront Design





Division 25 Specifications

- Integrated Automation Systems
 - Contractor Qualifications Certified Professional
 - Network Requirements
 - Database Requirements LNS
 - Device Requirements LonMark Certified
 - Graphical User Interface Standards
 - Ownership of Licenses and Databases
 - Dual Specification Option NI/SI



Construction Administration

- Ensures the Intent of the Design is Realized
 - Site Investigations
 - Field Reports
 - Progress Meetings
 - Dynamic Issues Log
 - Value Engineering
 - Punch List
 - Performance Verification Testing Cx (3rd Party)
 - Final Punch List



Commissioning Authority

- Typically a 3rd Party Direct to Owner
- Effort Depends on Size of Project and Funding
 - 100% of Large Equipment
 - Subset of High Volume Equipment (VAV)
 - 100% of Advanced Lighting
- Begins with the Design
 - Cx Specifications
- Requires Substantial Coordination



Contract Vehicles

- Federal Government
 - Federal Supply Schedule Use It or Lose It
 - IDIQ (1-5 Year Contracts)
 - Value Varies
 - Blanket Purchase Agreements
 - Limited Competition
 - MATOC
 - Task Order Based
 - Specialty
 - Technical Service Based



Contract Vehicles

- Local Government
 - Approved Service Provider
 - IDIQ
- Private
 - Alliance Contracts
 - Regional
- Publicly Advertised RFPs
 - Least Attractive



How Can I Do the Same?

- Army Corps of Engineers Specification
- Requires Strong Commitment/Investment
 - Education
 - Don't Copy Use Specs as a Guide to Learn
 - Research and Development
 - Involvement in LonMark Americas/International
 - Task Groups Define the Future Functional Profiles
 - Network with Major End Users



Engage An MSI

- Your Technology Partner
- End User:
 - Looks Out for Your Best Interests
- SI:
 - Expand Service Offering
 - Exposed to Advanced Applications
- Engineering Firm:
 - Short Circuit Your Learning Curve



