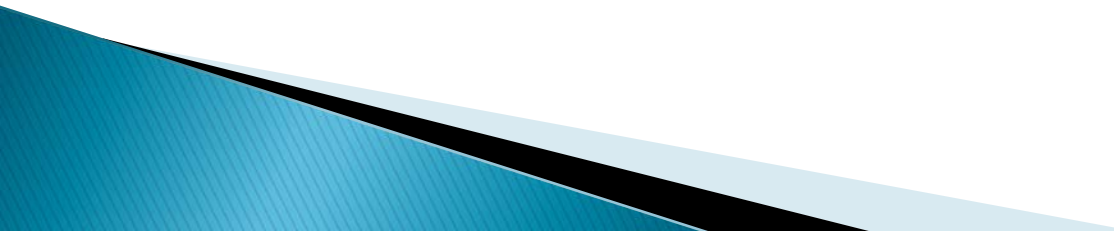


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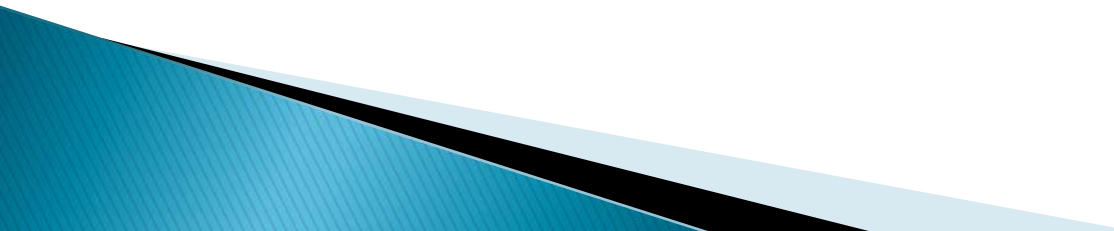
Utility Infrastructure Improvements Using GSA Areawide Contract

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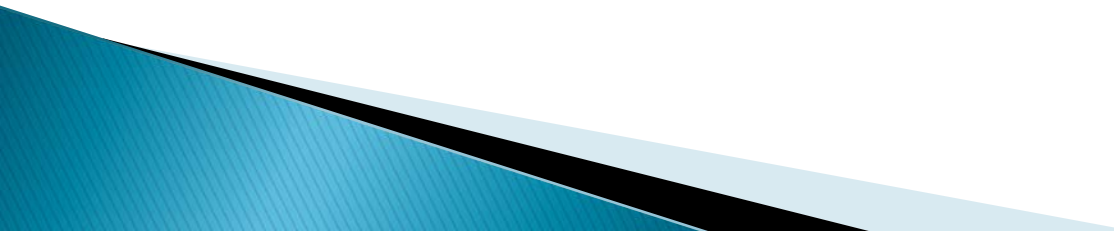
GSA Authority For Utility Services

- ▶ Federal Property Administrative Services Act of 1949, as amended – 40 U.S.C. 501
 - ▶ 10 year authority for contracting
 - ▶ Prescribes policies and methods
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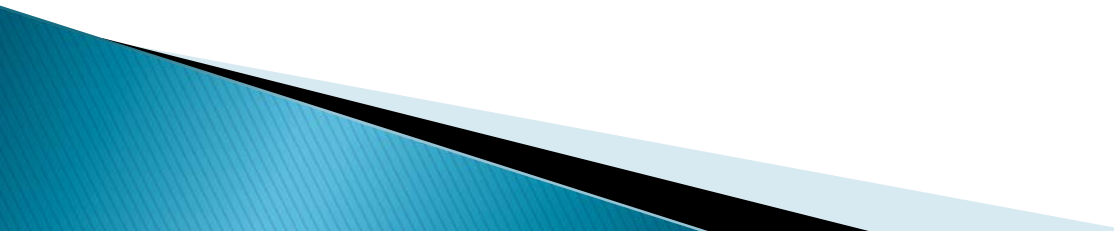
Services Procured Under Areawide

- ▶ Bundled utility service
 - ▶ Transportation/transmission services
 - ▶ Connections
 - ▶ Line Extensions
 - ▶ Transformers
 - ▶ Meters
 - ▶ Substations
 - ▶ Ancillary services for the provision of utility services
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New Exhibit D

- ▶ Agreements approved by Utility Commission
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 - ▶ Term length same as other services
 - ▶ Government takes utility service in accordance with State Law
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Green Button Initiative

- ▶ Green Button is an industry-led effort
 - ▶ Easy Access to usage data
 - ▶ Data provided as text file
 - ▶ Format standard across utilities
 - ▶ Helps consumers save energy and money
 - ▶ 7 Utility companies implemented initiative
 - ▶ 27 utility companies have committed to initiative
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Green Button Initiative

- ▶ Information on the initiative and how to implement can be found at:
- ▶ <http://www.greenbuttondata.org>
- ▶ http://en.openei.org/wiki/Green_Button