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Large companies turning up in data as agencies scramble to hit their small business goals.

The Veteran Affairs Department is scrambling to hit their small business goals, which is great until you look at what companies are winning these small business contracts. Medical industry giants such as Medtronic and W.L. Gore & Associates, Inc are winning federal small business contracts.

And it's not only the VA. Across virtually all federal agencies large companies are winning federal small business contracts. In FY 2012, the Environmental Protection Agency has awarded millions in federal small business contracts to Lockheed Martin and General Electric, among several other clearly large companies.

FY 2012 is ending this week and it appears that the federal government is once again awarding billions in federal small business contracts to large companies.

Press Releases:

September 21, 2012 – [Obama Administration Continues to Divert Federal Small Business Contracts to Corporate Giants at the EPA](#)

September 17, 2012 – [Pentagon Capitulates in Litigation over Hewlette-Packard Contract](#)

The Pentagon has capitulated in litigation over subcontracting reports from a large contract awarded to Hewlett-Packard. The Pentagon agreed to turn over the subcontracting reports after the American Small Business League (ASBL) filed suit under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA).

September 14, 2012 – [Obama Administration Ignores Simple Solution to Job Creation with QE3](#)

Based on past efforts by the Federal Reserve, the ASBL does not believe that a third round of Quantitative Easing (QE3) is the most efficient and cost-effective way to stimulate the economy.

July 25, 2012 – [Small Business Administration Denies Fraud in NBC Investigation](#)

The NBC Bay Area Investigative Unit found 24 large companies with headquarters or major offices in the Bay Area that received 299 contracts labeled as “small business” awards since 2009.

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ASBL On TV:

July 29 2012 – Fox News interviews Lloyd Chapman about small business and the 2012 election.
<http://youtu.be/ucdStkKdOj0>

July 20, 2012 – NBC Bay Area Investigative Unit reports on large corporations, including several in the Bay Area that have been receiving federal funds meant for small businesses.
<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=m9Lx-dftuII>

June 13th, 2012 – [American Small Business League President Lloyd Chapman joins Alex Jones for the Alex Jones Show's Nightly News](#)

Headlines:

September 3, 2012 – [The Two Faces of Nydia Velasquez: Champion of the Working Class, Darling of Wall Street](#)

By Shayna Estulin, The Brooklyn, Inc.

The league (ASBL) accused Velazquez and Graves of working to dismantle federal small-business programs, diverting billions in federal contract dollars earmarked for small-businesses to billionaire venture capitalists and their syndicates.

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ASBL Pres. Lloyd Chapman's Huffington Post Blog:

September 24, 2012 – [U.S. Census Bureau Data Holds Secret to Real Job Creation in America](#)

August 25, 2012 – [Boosting the Small Business Administration's Budget Will Cut Deficit](#)

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