

CONSULTANT TEAM

LSA Associates, Inc.

LSA Associates, Inc. is a diversified transportation, environmental, and community planning consulting firm with over 200 employees located in ten offices in California and Colorado. The Farmington MPO Metropolitan Transportation Plan was prepared by LSA's Fort Collins, Colorado office. The Fort Collins office focus is long-range transportation planning and implementation, travel model development and application, and GIS. LSA's market is nationwide for long-range transportation planning. LSA's Fort Collins office was recipient of the Institute of Transportation Engineers (ITE) "International Best Practices Planning Study Award" in 2001 and 2004.

LSA specializes in the development of long-range transportation plans for Metropolitan Planning Organizations and communities that prioritize planning in their land development and transportation improvement processes. These plans provide the fundamental basis for decision-making to improve the quality of life for pedestrian, bicycle, transit, and roadway transportation. LSA also specializes in the development of travel demand models.

Manuel Padron & Associates, Inc.

Manuel Padron & Associates, Inc. (MPA) is a consulting firm specializing in transit systems and operations planning. The firm also is capable of providing services in the areas of financial and economic analysis, ridership forecasting, facilities planning, and project management oversight. Established in 1982, the firm today has 16 employees and offices in Atlanta, Los Angeles, Denver, Orlando and the San Francisco Bay Area. MPA's client list includes public agencies, municipalities in both small and large urban areas, as well as national and international engineering and consulting firms. MPA is certified as a D/MBE by more than 60 state and local agencies.

Souder, Miller & Associates

Souder, Miller & Associates (SMA) is a 79-person civil/environmental science and engineering consulting firm with four offices located in the Four Corners states of New Mexico, Colorado, and Utah. The Four Corners Region office is located in Farmington, New Mexico. The firm was founded in Farmington in 1984 as Miller Engineers, Inc. In 2002 SMA merged with On Site Technologies, Ltd., and acquired an interest in iiná bá, a Native American-owned firm with equivalent experience in environmental science and engineering. Both companies are based in Farmington. The merger provided SMA with a staff of more than 30 experienced and qualified civil and environmental engineering professionals to service the Four Corners area.