# Reporting & Public Access to Federal Spending Information

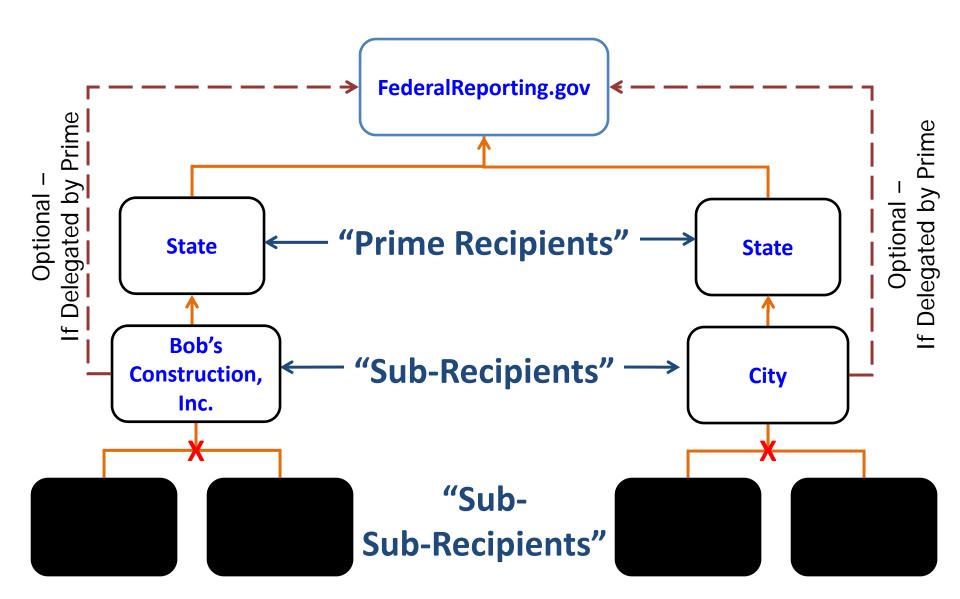


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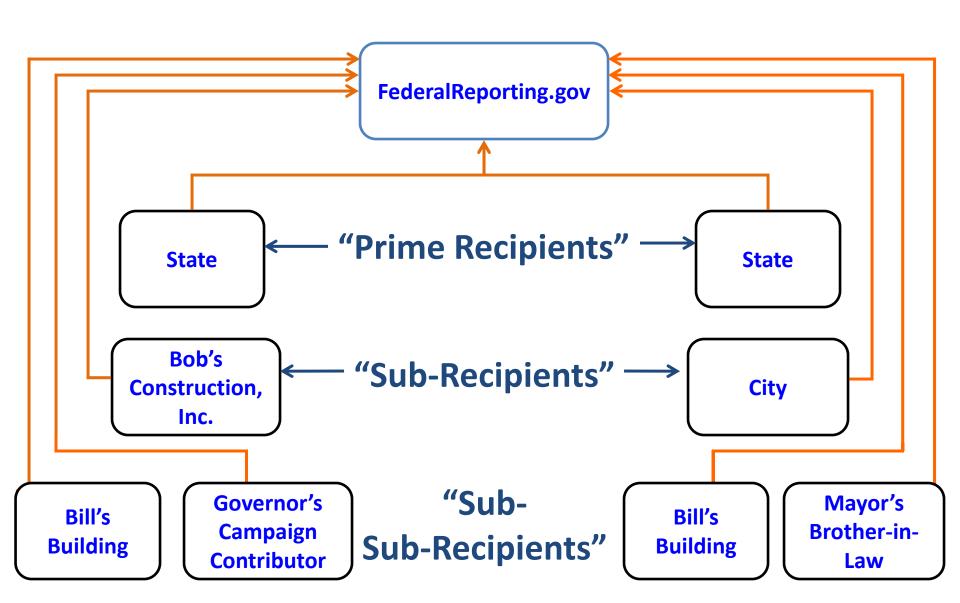
### **USAspending.gov Today**

- Recovery Act Obligations Available
  - Difficult to match obligations to recipient reports on Recovery.gov; automation impossible
- No Cross Check with Treasury Data
  - Treasury checks should be compared to agency obligation data
- Matching obligations to statute virtually impossible
  - Need crosswalk between appropriation and Treasury account symbol
- 1<sup>st</sup> Tier Sub-Recipient Data Only (Oct. 2010)
  - Per April 6 OMB memo, data to be collected

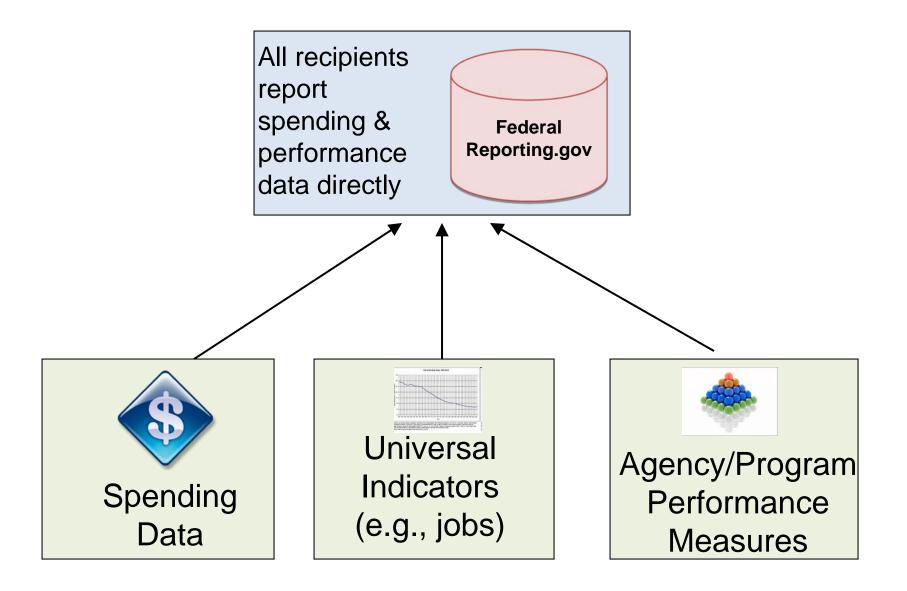
# Current Recipient Reporting: Recovery Act & USAspending.gov



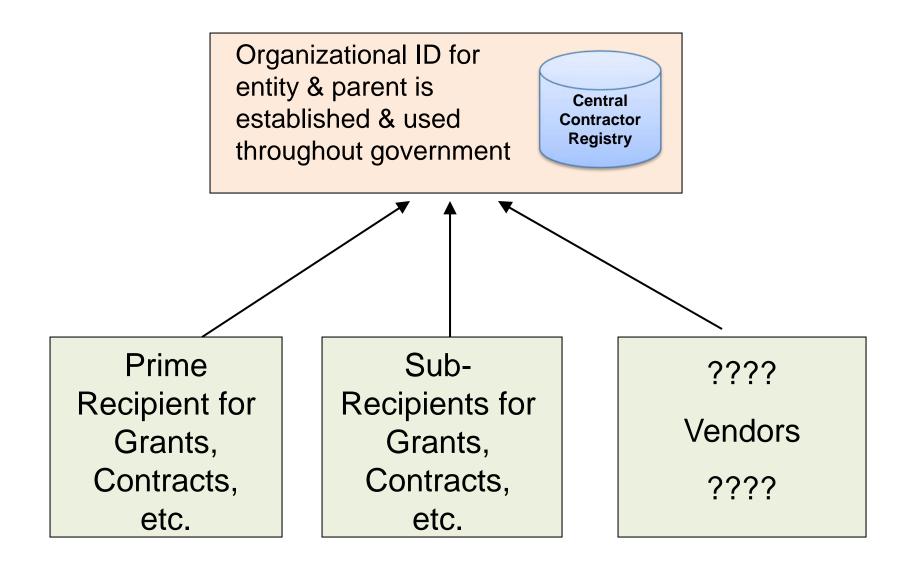
# Reporting Requirements: An Alternative Approach



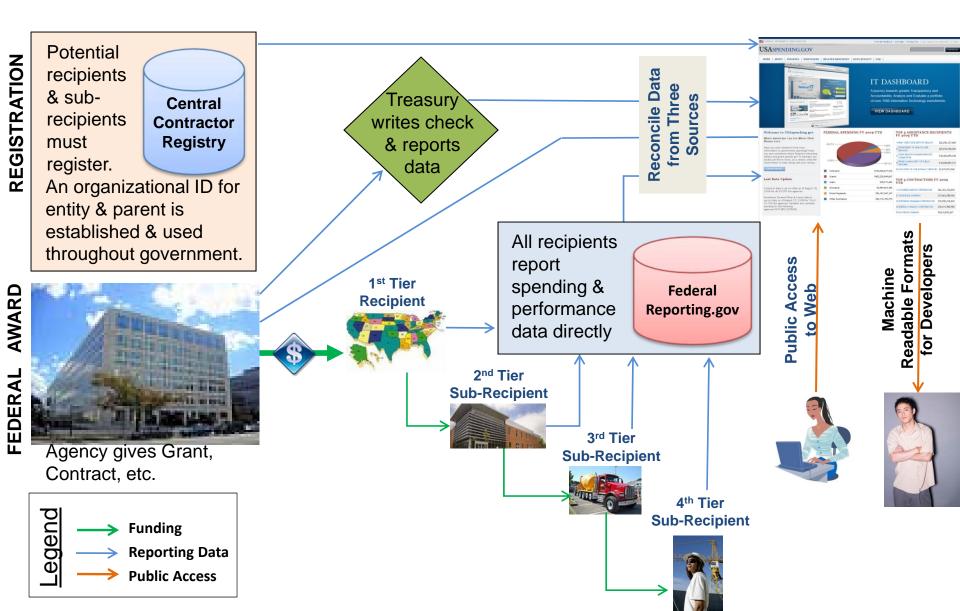
# FederalReporting.gov: A New Paradigm for Reporting



# A Comprehensive Registration System: Central Contractor Registry



# Proposed Model for Reporting & Disclosure



# USAspending.gov Next Steps

- Recovery Act Recipient Reports
  - Relatively small data set with clear IDs (DUNS)
  - Project identifiers in both sets of data
- OMB Earmark Database
  - Move from OMB site to USAspending.gov
- Obligations matched to statute
  - Treasury account symbol crosswalk

# USAspending.gov Two-Year Horizon (Cont'd)

- Treasury Data
  - Connect outlay data to obligation data to recipient data via DUNS
- Ultimate Recipient Data
  - Federal Reporting.gov works; n<sup>th</sup> tier sub-recipient data not collected because of policy, not technology
- Contractor Performance Data
  - Move existing data into public view
  - Link to recipient reports & obligations via DUNS
- Agency Budget Execution Data
  - The underlying data that culminates in reports to USAspening.gov

# USAspending.gov Two-Year Horizon (Cont'd)

- IRS Tax Expenditure Data, Summary Level
  - No need/can't connect to recipients (yet)
- President's Budget
  - Standalone info (not linked via unit of analysis yet)
- Appropriations (and Accompanying Reports)
  - Standalone info (not linked via unit of analysis yet)
- Needs Data
  - Using income, race, gender, and other data to contrast with spending decisions
  - To inform spending decisions

# USAspending.gov Long Term

- Flow of funds from budget request to execution to performance
  - President's budget + approps bills + obligation + outlay + recipient report + performance data
  - Need to establish unit of analysis throughout government
- Performance Data
  - Spending and performance data on the same screen
  - Political consideration for program bashing vs. program improvement
- Campaign Contributions
  - Need connecting IDs
  - What about individuals?
- Congressional Lobbying Data
  - Need connecting IDs
- Agency Lobbying Data
  - Need connecting IDs
- SEC Data
  - Link publicly-traded companies to receipt of federal funds
  - Link publicly-traded companies to tax breaks

# Adding Data Sources to USAspending.gov

#### Congress

- Appropriations Bills
  - With associated reports
- Tax Code
  - Specifically, tax expenditures
- Lobbying
- Earmarks
- Earmark Requests

#### White House / OMB

- President's Budget Request
- Needs Data
  - Unemployment, SES, etc.

#### Treasury

- Outlays (checks written)
- Tax Expenditures

# Adding Data Sources to USAspending.gov

#### Federal Agency

- Budget Request Documents
- Budget Execution Materials
  - SF133s, etc.
- Contracting
  - RFPs, Bids, and Contracts
- Performance
  - Program Outputs
  - Outcomes Related to Programs
- Procurement Lobbying

#### Recipient (& Other External Entities)

- Recipient Reports
  - Award receipts
  - Award performance
  - Contractor performance
- Lobbying
- Campaign Contributions

### **Connecting Data: An Example**

#### Lockheed Martin Corporation, Fiscal Year 2010

#### Contracts (Agency Reports)

Total dollars: \$7,526,064,979

The amount for this search is 7.3% of all

awarded dollars for the fiscal year.

Total number of transactions: **3,158** 

**Get list of transactions** 

#### **Contracts (Recipient Reports)**

Total dollars: \$7,125,099,901
Total number of reports: 2,998
Get list of recipient reports

#### Contractor Performance

Number of incidents on all federal projects: 22

Number of incidents on this project: 8

Get contractor reports

#### Tax Forgiveness

Total dollars: \$1,526,064,500

The amount for this search is 0.2% of all tax

breaks for the fiscal year.

Total number of deductions claimed: 189

Total number of credits claimed: 245

Get list of credits

Get list of deductions

#### Lobbying

Total dollars: \$6,064,500

Total number of legislative lobbying contacts:

215

Total number of executive lobbying contacts:

130

# **Connecting Data: An Example**

#### Joint Strike Fighter Program, Fiscal Year 2010

#### Contracts (Agency Reports)

Total dollars: \$35,158,556,001

Total number of prime contractors: **14**Total number of sub-contractors: **258**Total number of transactions: **958** 

**Get list of contractors** 

#### Contracts (Recipient Reports)

Total dollars: \$35,158,556,001

Total number of prime contractors: **9** Total number of sub-contractors: **216** 

Get list of recipient reports

#### Outlays

Total dollars: \$5,158,556,001

**Get list of transactions** 

#### **Authorizing Legislation**

Total dollars appropriated: \$40,526,064,500

View statute

#### Contractor Performance

Total number of contractors: 272

Number of incidents on all federal projects: 22

Number of incidents on this project: **8** This is a high-risk project: View details

**Get contractor reports**