

SPS from an SDO-certified agency

The Sylvia Protection System for business



Sylvia Group's owners, from left: Rosemarie Lopes, John Beauregard, Maureen Sylvia Armstrong, Andrew Armstrong

Women Business Enterprise

Sylvia Group is certified as a Women Business Enterprise (WBE) with the Massachusetts Supplier Diversity Office (SDO), a commonwealth agency that promotes diversity in public contracting.

We understand the importance of SDO certification to your organization, and we use the Sylvia Protection System (SPS) to ensure that as much of your time and resources as possible go toward running your business.

We Make a Difference

Protecting and serving our clients and community isn't just what we do. It's who we are.

President and CEO **Maureen Sylvia Armstrong** succeed her grandfather and father not only as head of the agency but also as a community leader. Organizations she currently serves as a board and/or committee member include:

- **Southcoast Health Systems** • **Buttonwood Park Zoological Society**
- **Bishop Stang High School** • **Southcoast Development Partnership**

Vice President of Financial Services and Benefits **Rosemarie S. Lopes**, a U.S. Marine veteran, also is a member of multiple nonprofit boards and committees, serving organizations including:

- **Veterans Transition House** • **United Way of Greater New Bedford**
- **Achievements By 4** • **SouthCoast Chamber of Commerce**




Seven decades of client and community service

Founded in 1950, Sylvia Group has grown into one of the region's premier independent agencies by maintaining the highest levels of integrity, industry education and service. We are a six-time recipient of the Massachusetts Association of Insurance Agents' Five Star Award for all-around agency excellence.

"By giving, advocating and volunteering, Sylvia Group has proven they are dedicated to our community. Whether they are volunteering at one of our Day of Caring events or working with us to provide affordable health insurance and benefits to our employees, Sylvia Group does whatever they can do to make a difference for United Way of Greater New Bedford. The team at Sylvia Group is a trusted group of dedicated professionals, and we thoroughly enjoy working with them."

Michelle N. Hantman

President and CEO
United Way of Greater New Bedford

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