



Overview of the FFY 2022-2024 Proposed Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) Goal for the Inglewood Transit Connector Joint Powers Authority

Notice of Opportunity for Public Comment

DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS ENTERPRISE PROGRAM

The Inglewood Transit Connector (ITC) Joint Powers Authority (Owner) intends to administer a Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) Program in accordance with 49 CFR Part 26: Participation by Disadvantaged Business Enterprises in U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) Programs, as a condition of financial assistance from the DOT.

FFY 2022-2024 Proposed DBE Goal for FTA Assisted Contracts

As a direct recipient of U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) Federal Transportation Administration (FTA) federal funds, the Owner has developed its proposed Overall DBE Goal for Federal Fiscal Years (FFY) 2022-2024. The Overall DBE Goal will impact FTA-assisted contracts solicited and awarded from October 1, 2021 to September 30, 2024. The Owner proposes to implement a 16% DBE Overall Goal utilizing a combination of race-neutral and race-conscious measures. In addition to the DBE Goals, the Owner is also determining broader opportunities to support small businesses, inclusive of minority, women, and veteran-owned enterprises.

Click [here](#) to view the Proposed Overall Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) Goal Methodology for Federal Fiscal Years (FFYs) 2022/2024.

The following Public Notice informs the public that the proposed goal and rationale are available for inspection for 30 days following the date of the Public Notice and that Owner will accept comments on the goal analysis for 30 days from the date of the Public Notice:

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Click [here](#) to view the JPA's Proposed Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) Program

Comments may be forwarded to inglewoodtransitconnector@cityofinglewood.org. To further support the public participation process, the Owner will be hosting a virtual Public Community Meeting. This meeting is designed to facilitate receiving input from the Owner's contracting community, stakeholders, which include minority and women business groups, community organizations, trade associations and other officials or organizations that may have information concerning the availability of disadvantaged businesses and comments on the Owner's proposed DBE overall goal and corresponding methodology.

The Meeting will be held on Wednesday, November 2, 2022 from 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Access details for the meeting are below:

https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_NDY5OWIyNjctMjhiOC00ZTI1LTlmYjEtYzQ1YTcxNzViM2Nk%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%220e193f92-e868-44ce-9ae9-37fb4c01a2ba%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22ed7ad808-1618-4c85-82fe-88f160c630e2%22%7d

Meeting ID: 294 334 956 634
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Or call in (audio only)

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Upon request, materials can be provided in alternate languages, and language translation can also be made available. All requests for reasonable accommodations must be made at least three working days (72 hours) in advance of the scheduled meeting date.