Transportation Commission Resolution #20240710

Acknowledging and approving the DBE participation goal that CDOT shall submit to FHWA.

Approved by the Transportation Commission on July 18, 2024.

Whereas, in accordance with 49 CFR Part 26, the Colorado Department of Transportation (CDOT) must establish an overall goal for Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) participation on all Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) funded contracts for Federal Fiscal Years 2025-2027; and

Whereas, CDOT must follow the methodology established by 49 CFR Part 26 to establish the overall goal; and

Whereas, CDOT published its methodology and began the public comment process on May 30, 2024; and

Whereas, CDOT presented its recommendations for the overall goal to the Transportation Commission's Small Business and Diversity Committee and the presentation provided the factual predicate required by the United States Department of Transportation in 49 CFR 26.45 for establishing the overall DBE goal; and

Whereas, after reviewing all feedback and comments received, no adjustments have been made to the initial 12.48% DBE goal recommendation; and

Whereas, 49 CFR Part 26 requires that the maximum feasible portion of the goal be met with race and gender neutral means.

Now Therefore Be It Resolved, the Colorado Transportation Commission hereby acknowledges and approves that CDOT shall submit to FHWA an overall goal of 12.48% DBE participation on all FHWA-funded contracts, with 5.38% to be met with race and gender-neutral means and 7.1% to be met with race-conscious means.

Be It Further Resolved, that following approval from FHWA, the overall goal for DBE participation on all FHWA-funded contracts during Federal Fiscal Years 2025-2027 shall be 12.48%.

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