

DBE AFFIRMATIVE ACTION CERTIFICATION

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I understand and agree that all subcontracting or leasing in connection with this contract, whether undertaken prior to or subsequent to award of contract, will be in accordance with the requirements for the Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) Program. The applicable requirements are included in the Standard Specifications and the Special Provisions in the Contract Information Book for this contract. I understand and agree that no subcontracting will be approved or commenced until the Department has reviewed and approved the affirmative actions taken by my company or me.

I understand that utilization of certified DBEs is in addition to all other equal employment opportunity requirements of this contract.

I acknowledge that this certification is to be made an integral part of this contract.

I understand and agree that the submission of a blank certification shall cause my bid to be rejected.

I hereby certify that contact has been made with the firms listed in this certification, and that I have confirmed that these firms are certified by the State of Indiana as DBEs (For listing of DBE certified firms, see www.in.gov/indot/files/dbe_list.xls)

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I have also listed the certified DBEs that have tentatively agreed to perform the corresponding services listed below beyond what is necessary to meet the contract's DBE goal ("race/gender neutral" DBE participation). I understand that neither my company nor I will be penalized for failure to achieve the dollar amounts listed beyond the contract goal.

After contract award, any change to the firms listed as DBE SUBCONTRACTORS AND LESSORS TO BE APPLIED TOWARD GOAL or DBE MATERIAL SUPPLIERS TO BE APPLIED TOWARD GOAL in this Affirmative Action Certification must have prior approval by INDOT's Economic Opportunity Section, Central Office.

| CERTIFICATION CODE AND DBE NAME AND ADDRESS PAY ITEM NUMBER AND SERVICE PLANNED | USED AS | PARTICIPATION ACTUAL DOLLAR AMOUNT TO BE PAID TO DBE |
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| DBEW SLUSSER'S GREEN THUMB, INC. 125 MONTGOMERY STREET P.O. BOX 33 , LOGANSFORT, IN 46947-0033 Seeding and Sodding | SubContractor | Race Conscious 11,832.00 |

Contract Number RS-29500-A
Contract Bid Amount \$1,292,194.33
DBE Goal 6.00%

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| DBEW DIAMOND TRUCKING INC 2653 S 400 W , PERU, IN 46970 19 hauling (partial) | SubContractor | Race Conscious 82,632.00 |

TOTAL DOLLAR AMOUNT CREDITED TOWARD DBE GOAL (RACE/GENDER CONSCIOUS):

Entered: 6.39% or \$ 82632.00
Required: 6.00% or \$ 77531.66
<GOAL MET>

TOTAL DOLLAR AMOUNT OF VOLUNTARY DBE WORK ANTICIPATED OVER DBE GOAL
(RACE/GENDER NEUTRAL): \$ 0.00

Please Note: Only 60% of the participation of a DBE supplier who does not
manufacture or install the product will be counted toward the goal.

NAME OF COMPANY: E & B Paving

BID DATE: 07-16-08