

Application and Directory Enhancements

In November 2019, we launched enhancements to our electronic Uniform Application, located on the ITAP portal, that impact Airport Concessionaire Disadvantage Business Enterprises (ACDBE) and Interstate applicants. These enhancements were a result of USDOT program changes in April.

Additional questions were added to the application pertaining to ACDBEs to provide more information and better understandings of its operations for the certifying agencies.

To streamline the process for DBE applicants, outside of the state of Indiana and seeking certification in Indiana, a one-page information application was created. Out-of-state applicants are no longer required to submit a full application and provide a packet of documentation from their initial application to their home state. The new interstate application collects minimal information and takes less than 3 minutes to submit.

The Indiana DBE Directory underwent a couple of enhancements that included comprehensive descriptions of work types and the addition of a column for contract line items. A column has also been added for capability statements. If a DBE has taken advantage of the opportunity to have a capability statement produced or reviewed by our Supportive Services provider, CEI, a link is provided in this new column.