

**DECLARATION
REGARDING DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS ENTERPRISE
SOLICITATION AND UTILIZATION COMMITMENT**

The undersigned, declares under the penalty of perjury under the laws of the state of Washington that the following is true and correct:

- (A) The undersigned is authorized by the Proposer to act on the Proposer's behalf.
- (B) This Declaration Regarding Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Solicitation and Utilization Commitment constitutes the Proposer's statement of its efforts to solicit and obtain firms certified as Disadvantaged Business Enterprises by the Washington State Office of Minority and Women's Business Enterprises. In addition, this Declaration constitutes the Proposer's commitment, if awarded this contract by the County, to utilize certified and qualified DBEs at least to the percentage level set forth in the RFP.
- (C) The Proposer hereby designates _____, whose title is _____ as the person who has been charged by the Proposer with the responsibility for carrying out and reporting the Proposer's compliance with Disadvantaged Business Enterprises goals and requirements.
- (D) The Proposer hereby affirms that the Proposer has complied with the requirements set forth in the solicitation document for this contract for providing certified DBEs equitable opportunity to participate in the performance of the work and that all documentation submitted herewith to demonstrate such compliance is true and accurate.
- (E) The names of the Disadvantaged Business Enterprises to which the Proposer plans to award subcontracts if awarded the contract and the percentage of such subcontracts on Attachment A to this Declaration. For each subcontractor, subconsultant and/or supplier ("subcontractor"), the Proposer agrees to submit the information required in Attachment A.
- (F) As demonstration of the Proposer's compliance and efforts, the Proposer has completed the DBE -Consultant Utilization Report (Attachment A) for each subcontractor, which shall be incorporated herein by this reference. The Proposer has identified herein those DBEs with whom the Proposer will subcontract if awarded this contract.
- (G) The Proposer hereby agrees that as a prerequisite to execution of the Agreement by the County, the Proposer will produce letters of intent or subcontractor agreements substantially consistent with the commitments for each subcontractor as set forth in compliance with Attachment A.

I have read the foregoing and make this statement from my personal knowledge, am competent to testify thereto and am authorized to bind the Proposer to the same.

Dated this _____ of _____ 20____, in _____.

(signature)

(print name and title)

