

The Banks – Phase 1 – Public Infrastructure Development Parking Garage and Street Grid Statement of Good Faith Efforts

Bid or Proposal Reference Number: _____

By the signature below of an authorized representative, Contractor certifies that Contractor has utilized the following methods to obtain the maximum practical participation by Small Business Enterprises certified for the Banks Project by the City of Cincinnati. Please indicate which methods used by placing an X in the appropriate place.

**YOU MUST SUBMIT YOUR SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION WITH YOUR BID. NEW INFORMATION
WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED AFTER THE BID CLOSING DATE.**

1. ____ Identified sufficient subcontracting work to meet goal (attach content of advertisements and written notices to SBEs indicating type of work to be subcontracted).
2. ____ Bidder has coordinated SBE inclusion efforts with the Economic Inclusion Consultant, Ellington Management Services (513-554-4012 or gene@ellingtonmanagement.com), to ascertain the availability of SBE subcontractors/suppliers for the scopes of work.
3. ____ Advertising - Attach content of advertisements, which must include project name, Contractor's name, work available, contact person's name and number, information on availability of plans and specifications and Contractor's policy concerning assistance to SBEs in obtaining bonding, financing, and/or insurance; also provide date of advertising and names of publications.
4. ____ Written notice to SBEs for subcontracting opportunities (submit copy of each letter sent, confirmation of receipt by SBE, or if available master notification, submit copy of letter and recipient list).
5. ____ The written notice was sent at least five (5) business days prior to the bid opening date.
6. ____ Follow-up initial solicitations, attach copies of Outreach/Good Faith Summary Sheet (Form 2007-A).
7. ____ Assistance with securing bonding, financing and or insurance (submit copy advertising and written notice to SBEs).
8. ____ Provision of plans, specifications and requirements: Contractor provided interested SBEs with access to plans, specifications and requirements for subject project.
9. ____ Provide documentation detailing reason(s) why agreement was not reached with SBE(s) who responded affirmatively in writing. Include written explanation for rejection of SBE proposals.
10. ____ Other (Please list any other methods utilized that are not covered above):

Name of Contractor _____ Date _____

Contractor Representative (Signature) _____ Title _____

Contractor Representative (Printed Name) _____

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INSTRUCTIONS

**Form 2007
Statement of Good Faith Efforts**

Each Contractor for the Banks Project is to make subcontracting opportunities available to a broad base of qualified subcontractors, suppliers, and vendors and to use the Contractor's **good faith efforts** to facilitate achievement of the SBE Participation Goal assigned to the contract or procurement. To count towards the SBE Goal, an SBE awarded a subcontract or procurement for the Banks Project must be certified by the City of Cincinnati. Contractors should provide a detailed description of the efforts used to obtain participation of SBEs including, but not limited to, segmenting the work into units conducive to subcontracting, attending pre-bid conferences, requesting bids from specific SBEs, advertising and other methods used.

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Form 2007 certifies that Contractor has used the methods identified in statements numbered 1 through 9 or has utilized other methods noted in statement 10 to obtain the maximum practical participation by Small Business Enterprises that are certified for the Banks Project by the City of Cincinnati.

Please indicate all methods used by placing an X in the appropriate place next to all that apply and/or by noting other methods used in response to number 10 to obtain participation of Banks certified SBEs.

Name of Contractor.....Indicate Contractor that is paying subcontractors

Date.....Indicate the date the form is submitted

Print Name.....Name of Contractor Representative signing the form

Print Title.....Official title of Contractor Representative signing the form

Contractor Representative Signature.....Signature of Contractor Representative

Title.....Official title of Contractor Representative signing the form