

ATTENTION BIDDERS/PROPOSERS:

*The project you are bidding/proposing on has an anticipated M/WBE level of participation. If you intend to use M/WBE subcontractor(s) on the project, you will receive M/WBE participation credit from LAWA for using subcontractors certified as an MBE or WBE **only** if they have been certified by one of the following California Unified Certification Program (CUCP) agencies:*

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (CALTRANS)
www.dot.ca.gov

CITY OF LOS ANGELES
<http://bca.lacity.org>

LOS ANGELES COUNTY METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY (METRO)
www.metro.net

OR

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA MINORITY BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL (SCMBDC)*
www.scmbdc.org

*MBE only. SCDMBDC certified firms must register in the Los Angeles Business Assistance Virtual Network (LABAVN) for certification verification.

IMPORTANT: It is your responsibility to ensure that the M/WBE subcontractors you propose to use are indeed certified with one of the above-listed agencies at the time of bid/proposal submission. Companies certified by these agencies should have a letter of certification as proof of their M/WBE status. You may want to request a copy of the certification letter from the subcontractors to verify their M/WBE status. Further, you must ensure that the specific categories of work that the M/WBEs will perform on the project match the NAICS (North American Industry Classification System) codes for which they were certified in order for you to receive M/WBE participation credit from LAWA.