

As of 5/7/2020

MBE/DBE utilization Goals:

- ❖ Turnpike's MBE Utilization goal= 10%
- ❖ FDOT DBE Utilization goal= 10.65%

Department's MBE/DBE goals:

- Consultants to strive to meet or exceed the Turnpike's MBE utilization goal of 10%.
- Consultants to strive to meet or exceed the Department's DBE utilization goal of 10.65%.

Specific Project MBE/DBE utilization:

- Refer to specific project advertisement expectation on the FDOT procurement advertisement website.

Objectives/Consultants' Action Plan:

1. DBE firms to become MBE certified (if qualified) through the Office of Supply Diversity (OSD), with the assistance of the FTE MBE office.
2. Prime consultants to utilize DBE/MBE firms.
3. Prime consultants to ensure their DBE firms are MBE certified (if qualified) through the Office of Supply Diversity.
4. Prime consultants to input their MBE/DBE payment information in the EOC system in accordance with the contract and their DBE commitment.
5. Prime consultants to be timely in paying their MBE/DBE firms.
6. Consultants to be aware of the consultant evaluation scoring criteria.
7. Consultants to contact Jeanette Schutz, Turnpike's MBE Manager (Jeanette.schutz@dot.state.fl.us) for completing the MBE certification application, or any other needed assistance.

Turnpike Consultant Evaluation Score Criteria:

1= Prime consultant is not utilizing the MBE/DBE at all, nor entering MBE/DBE payment information in EOC in accordance with the contract and their prior MBE/DBE commitment. Or the prime consultant is significantly lagging behind in paying any MBE/DBE subconsultant.

2= Prime consultant is lagging behind in paying any MBE/DBE subconsultant.

3= Prime consultant appears to be timely in paying the MBE/DBE subconsultant, and timely in entering payment information in EOC; and meets FDOT/Turnpike's goals on MBEs and/or DBEs.

4= Prime consultant appears to be timely in paying the MBE/DBE subconsultant, and timely in entering payment information in EOC; and exceeds FDOT/Turnpike's goals on MBEs and/or DBEs by 5%.

5= Prime consultant appears to be timely in paying the MBE/DBE subconsultant and timely in entering payment information in EOC; and exceeds and FDOT/Turnpike's goals on MBEs and/or DBEs by 10%.