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Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) Program

The Jacksonville Aviation Authority's (JAA) DBE program is designed to give minority and women-owned businesses equal opportunity to supply goods and services procured by the Authority. This program was established in accordance with federal regulations of the U.S. Department of Transportation. Some DBE certification requirements include:

- Majority ownership (51 percent) of the company must be a minority or woman
- Primary owner's personal net worth must not exceed \$1.32 million

Should you meet these initial qualifications and are interested in certification, the JAA works with the Jacksonville Transportation Authority (JTA) to identify and register qualified businesses for the program. The JTA DBE staff assistant can be reached at 904.630.5157.



Jacksonville Small Emerging Business (JSEB) Program

In addition to the DBE program, small businesses also have the opportunity to become JSEB certified. JSEB is a race and gender neutral program designed to allow small businesses to compete fairly on procurement opportunities with the City of Jacksonville and its independent authorities. Some criteria of the JSEB program include:

•Primary owner's personal net worth must be less than \$605,000 •Primary owner must own and control 51 percent of business

To begin the JSEB certification process, or to request additional information, please contact the City of Jacksonville JSEB department at 904.255.8800, or visit the website at jseb.coj.net.

Once certified, business owners may bid on JAA procured projects. For additional information on procurement opportunities, JAA holds a "Vendor Meet & Greet" every second Monday of the month. This event gives vendors the opportunity to speak with JAA's Procurement Department and better learn how to do business with the Authority. Bid opportunities will be posted on the Procurement section of the website, at www.flyjax.com.

Vendor Meet & Greet

Date: Second Monday of every month Time: 2:00-3:00 pm Location: JAA Admin Building 14201 Pecan Park Road, Jacksonville, FL, 32218 904.741.2000