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Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board Supplemental Letter for Fiscal Year 2014 Semi-Annual HUB Report for Agency #781

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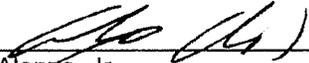
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The Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board (THECB) recognizes the importance of the Historically Underutilized Business (HUB) Program (Texas Government Code §2161). THECB is committed to performing good faith efforts in effectively promoting HUB economic opportunities for state business. THECB is pleased to report the following activities that demonstrate good faith efforts for the period September 1, 2013 – February 28, 2014.

- Attended 13th Annual Conference for TAAAC at the Crowne Plaza September 25-27, 2013, Austin, TX.
- Attended TAMACC 38th Annual Convention and Business Expo at the Westin Galleria on October 2-4, 2013 in Houston, TX.
- Attended the 5th Annual Procurement Contracting Law Seminar on October 31, 2013 at the State Capital Austin, TX.
- Attended TAAACC Professional Service Advisory Committee Roundtable, January 17, 2014, in Ft. Worth, TX.
- Planned participation at the Strategies for Success 2014 Interagency HUB Vendor Fair, on April 10, 2014 at the State of Texas Capitol Building Auditorium Austin, TX.
- Planned participation at the 21st Annual HUB/Vendor Fair Hosted by UT Austin and UT Systems.
- Planned participation at the "Dallas/Fort Worth Minority Supplier Development Council," sponsored by Senator Royce West, Spot bid Fair in Irving, TX on May 12th-13th, 2014.
- Executed "Memorandum of Corporation" contracts with TAAACC and TAMACC.
- Payments made under a non-reportable object code (7871) to a HUB vendor for Financial Advisory Services for the Board's loan and bond program in the amount of \$56,870.00.
- Personally met with several potential HUB vendors seeking certification and contacts. Provided information, ideas, and guidance to interested HUBs to increase opportunities to do business with THECB and other state agencies.
- Issued 96 contracts to certified active Texas HUBs

This supplemental letter is submitted as documentation of THECB's continuing efforts to support the State of Texas HUB Program. Please contact Michael Herman, CTPM at 512/427-6177 or michael.herman@thecb.state.tx.us if you have any questions.


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