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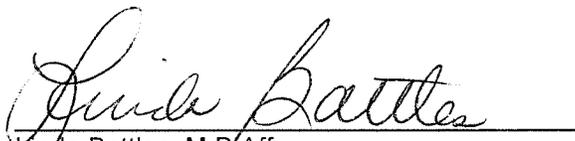
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The Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board (THECB) recognizes the importance of the Historically Underutilized Business (HUB) Program (Texas Government Code §2161). THECB is committed to performing good faith efforts in effectively promoting HUB economic opportunities for state business. THECB is pleased to report the following activities that demonstrate good faith efforts for the period September 1, 2014 – August 31, 2015

- Attended and sponsored the "2015 Doing Business Texas Style Spot Bid Fair," sponsored by Senator Royce West, Spot bid Fair in Irving, TX on May 11th-12th, 2015.
- Attended and sponsored the "2015 Paving the Road to Success" TXDOT Vendor HUB Fair in Austin, TX on Wednesday, July 8, 2015
- Attended and sponsored the "2015 Procurement Connection Seminar and EXPO" Vendor HUB Fair in Austin, TX on Wednesday, July 29, 2015
- Personally met with certified HUB vendor's to ensure participation in the HUB program
- Educated and assisted HUBs and firms seeking certification and contacts. Provided information, ideas, and guidance to interested HUBs to increase opportunities to do business with THECB and other state agencies.
- Solicited quotes from HUBs vendors even when not required by Statute and boosted HUB participation significantly.

This supplemental letter is submitted as documentation of THECB's continuing efforts to support the State of Texas HUB Program. Please contact Theresa Lopez, CTPM, CTCM at 512-427-6142 or [theresa.lopez@thecb.state.tx.us](mailto:theresa.lopez@thecb.state.tx.us) if you have any questions.

  
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