

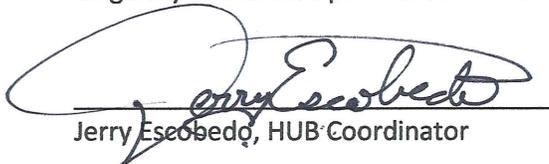
Supplemental Letter for FY2014 Annual HUB Report
Agency Number 760

Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi is committed to making a good faith effort to effectively promote and increase contract opportunities with Historically Underutilized Businesses (HUB's). The University promotes HUB inclusion by recruiting HUB vendors and encouraging prime vendors to extend subcontracting opportunities to HUB's. Our "Good Faith Efforts" to ensure continuing HUB participation during FY 2014 included the following:

HUB Out-Reach and In-Reach Activities:

- Attended the TAMU Systems HUB Coordinators meeting on December 10, 2013 in San Antonio, TX.
- Attended the Bexar County & City of San Antonio 11th Annual Small Minority Women and Veterans Administration Business Owners Conference on December 11, 2013.
- Attended the Access 2014 Spot Bid Fair in Irving, TX, May 12-13, 2014.
- Attended the TAMU Systems HUB Coordinators meeting on June 3, 2014 in Stephenville, TX.
- Attended and co-hosted the TAMU System Vendor Forum on June 4, 2014 in Granbury, TX.
- Continued to work cooperatively with two other area universities to increase participation in our HUB Mentor/Protégé program.
- Continue to monitor all projects over \$100,000 to ensure that HUB businesses are given the opportunity to participate in the bidding process.
- Monitor all projects that required a HSP for compliance.
- Conduct HUB training workshops on campus throughout the year.
- Meet with the HUB Advisory Committee members to keep them current on the latest HUB information.
- Maintain an open door policy in which minority businesses can come by and ask assistance in understanding the HUB certification and Mentor/Protégé program with the university and the State of Texas.
- TAMACC 39th Annual Convention and Business Expo August 1, 2014.

Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi will continue its efforts to strengthen its' HUB Program and work diligently to increase purchases and contracting with HUB vendors.



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