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## Supplemental Summary for FY2015 Annual Report

### Agency 721

This supplement to The University of Texas at Austin's (the university) Annual Historically Underutilized Business (HUB) Report for Fiscal Year (FY) 2015 has been prepared to provide a broader and more comprehensive representation of the university's efforts to reach the Good Faith Effort Goals (GFE) set by the State Legislature.

In accordance with the *Texas Government Code*, Sections 2161.181-182 and Section 111.11 of the *Texas Administrative Code (TAC)*, state agencies shall make a GFE to utilize State of Texas certified HUBs in contracts for building construction, heavy construction, special trade, other and professional services, and commodities.

Since fiscal year 2011, the university annual HUB percentages have been for 2011 (16.77%); 2012 (17.28%); 2013 (17.80%); and 2014 (20.13%). The university's percentage for FY 2015 is **16.56%**, or **\$61,517,035** awarded to HUB vendors.

As an institution of higher education, the university often expends a large amount where no HUB suppliers are identified. For example in FY 2015, \$46 million was spent on the Giant Magellan Telescope and \$12 million in the Administrative Services Modernization Program (ASMP). HUB non-availability totaled \$64 million. If the HUB non-availability payments were subtracted from the total spend, the university's HUB percentage would have equaled 20.00% for FY 2015.

Following are a few of the good faith efforts demonstrated during FY 2015:

1. Attended 20 Economic Opportunity Fairs.
2. Currently there are 5 mentor-protégé relationships in place.
3. Contacted 350 HUB firms in reference to current bid opportunities.

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Arthur A. McDonald, Sr.  
HUB/Small Business, Director

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Date