



2nd Annual DBE Business Development Conference

DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (DBE) PROGRAM

Conference Date:

March 2, 2010

Time:

9:00 a.m.—4:30 p.m.

Location:

Clarion Meridian
Convention Center
737 South Meridian Avenue



Objectives:

Q & A - Have questions regarding the ODOT Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Program or The Oklahoma Small Business Development Centers or the Oklahoma Bid Assistance Network

FAQ—Please join us for a Conference filled with pertinent and useful information to help your business continue to strive thru this highly competitive construction field.

Topics:

Oklahoma Small Business Development Centers and Oklahoma Bid Assistance Network Panel

How to Market Your Company to Prime Contractors

What information is needed to receive small business loans from the Federal Short Term Lending Program or from the Small Business Administration

Information regarding the Disadvantaged Business Enterprise American Recovery and Reinvestment Act Bonding Assistance Reimbursable Fee Program. Also, what Advantages are there in working with an Independent Bonding Company (ODOT is not endorsing this company or any other independent companies presenting. Merely providing information)

Networking Opportunity (Don't forget your Business Cards and Business Profiles)

Please RSVP by February 19, 2010

(Lunch will be provided)

Oklahoma Department of Transportation

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Conference Objectives: The Annual DBE Business Development Conference is an informational event for DBE and Non-DBE construction companies seeking Federally Funded contracts with the Oklahoma Department of Transportation (ODOT).

Conference Topics will include:

- The awareness of what kind of assistance a small business can obtain utilizing the Oklahoma Small Business Development Centers and Oklahoma Bid Assistance Network Centers
- How to Market Your company to Prime Contractors
- What information is needed to receive small business loans from the Federal Short Term Lending Program or from the Small Business Administration
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Who Should Attend:

- DBE owners interested in performing work in the Highway Program

Registration: Free - Lunch will provided

REGISTRATION FORM

Name _____

Organization/Company _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ Fax _____

Email address _____