

DBE and ACDBE Programs

The Louisville Regional Airport Authority (The Authority) is committed to a program for the participation of Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBEs), Airport Concession Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (ACDBEs) and Small Business Enterprises (SBEs). Contracting opportunities are in accordance with 49 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Parts 23 and 26.



A DBE is a business that is certified, according to federal standards, as both socially and economically disadvantaged. The Authority has goals for DBE and ACDBE participation in compliance with 49 CFR Parts 23 and 26.

Eligibility

To be eligible for certification as a DBE or an ACDBE, a business must be for-profit, considered a small business, and the controlling member(s) of the business must be socially and economically disadvantaged as defined in 49 CFR Parts 23 and 26. DBEs/ACDBEs must be certified by a Department of Transportation-governed agent of the Uniform Certification Program (UCP).

Certification

If a business meets the basic eligibility requirements to become a certified DBE or ACDBE in the Commonwealth of Kentucky and wishes to become a certified DBE or ACDBE, a completed application and other documentation must be filed with the UCP:

Kentucky Transportation Cabinet (KYTC)
Office of Civil Rights and
Small Business Development
200 Mero Street
Frankfort, KY 40601
Phone: (502) 564-3601 or (800) 928-3079
Fax: (502) 564-2114

Online: <http://transportation.ky.gov/civil-rights-and-small-business-development/Pages/default.aspx>



Contracting Opportunities

DBE, ACDBE and SBE business opportunities exist at Louisville Muhammad Ali International Airport (SDF) and Bowman Field (LOU) in:

- Professional Services or Consulting
- Construction Contracting
- Concessions

The Authority publishes Invitations to Bid or Requests for Proposals/Qualifications in the legal notices section of *The Courier-Journal*, other local newspapers, industry publications and through various local and national agencies. They also are posted on our website at www.FlyLouisville.com.

You may respond as a primary contractor or as a subcontractor. In addition, there may be non-DBE/ACDBE business opportunities available with the Authority. To express your interest in these opportunities, please contact our office at (502) 363-8513.





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