

PUBLIC NOTICE

Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) Goal for Federal Fiscal Years 2020-2022

The Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority (WMATA) has established a Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) program in accordance with the U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT), 49 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), part 26. The Triennial Goal is established to help ensure that DBEs have an equal opportunity to participate in WMATA's DOT-assisted contracts.

WMATA has revised its proposed overall DBE to **25%** for DOT-assisted contracts. The overall goal is for the three-year period from **October 1, 2019** through **September 30, 2022**. **14%** will be attained through race-neutral methods and **11%** will be attained through race-conscious methods. The overall goal is expressed as a percentage of all FTA-assisted funds that WMATA will expend in applicable FTA-assisted contracts during the triennial goal period.