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DBE Policy Statement

The Village of Croton-on-Hudson has established a Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) program in accordance with regulations of the U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT), 49 CFR Part 26. The Village of Croton-on-Hudson has received Federal financial assistance from the Department of Transportation, and as a condition of receiving this assistance, the Village of Croton-on-Hudson has signed an assurance that it will comply with 49 CFR Part 26.

It is the policy of the Village of Croton-on-Hudson to ensure that DBEs are defined in part 26, have an equal opportunity to receive and participate in DOT-assisted contracts. It is also our policy:

1.To ensure nondiscrimination in the award and administration of DOT - assisted contracts;

2.To create a level playing field on which DBEs can compete fairly for DOTassisted contracts;

3.To ensure that the DBE Program is narrowly tailored in accordance with applicable law;

4.To ensure that only firms that fully meet 49 CFR Part 26 eligibility standards are permitted to participate as DBEs;

5.To help remove barriers to the participation of DBEs in DOT assisted contracts;

6.To assist the development of firms that can compete successfully in the market place outside the DBE Program.

The Village Manager of the Village of Croton-on-Hudson has been delegated as the DBE Liaison Officer. In that capacity, the Village Manager is responsible for implementing all aspects of the DBE program. Implementation of the DBE program is accorded the same priority as compliance with all other legal obligations incurred by the Village of Croton-on-Hudson in its financial assistance agreements with the Department of Transportation.

The Village of Croton-on-Hudson has disseminated this policy statement to the Board of Trustees and all of the components of our organization. We have distributed this statement to DBE and non-DBE business communities that perform work for us on DOT-assisted contracts. This is accomplished by including our DBE Policy Statement in all bid documents issued by the Village.

Janine King, Village Manager

Date