

**CAMINO REAL REGIONAL MOBILITY AUTHORITY**  
**DBE POLICY STATEMENT**

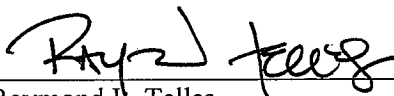
The Camino Real Regional Mobility Authority ("CRRMA") has established a Disadvantaged Business Enterprise ("DBE") program in accordance with regulations of the U.S. Department of Transportation ("DOT"), 49 C.F.R. Part 26. The CRRMA has received, or will receive, federal financial assistance from DOT, and as a condition of receiving this assistance, the CRRMA has signed an assurance that it will comply with 49 C.F.R. Part 26.

It is the policy of the CRRMA to ensure that DBEs, as defined in 49 C.F.R. Part 26, have an equal opportunity to receive and participate in DOT-assisted contracts. It is also CRRMA 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 DOT-assisted 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 C.F.R. Part 26 eligibility standards are permitted to participate as DBEs;
5. to help remove barriers to the participation of DBEs in DOT-assisted contracts; and
6. to assist the development of firms that can compete successfully in the market place outside the DBE Program.

The CRRMA Executive Director has been designated as the CRRMA DBE Liaison Officer. In that capacity, the Executive Director 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 CRRMA in its financial assistance agreements with DOT.

The CRRMA has disseminated this policy statement to members of the CRRMA Board of Directors and all of the components of the regional mobility authority. The CRRMA has also distributed this statement to DBE and non-DBE business communities that perform work for us on DOT-assisted contracts. Such distribution was undertaken via posting on the CRRMA website ([www.crrma.org](http://www.crrma.org)).

  
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