

MINORITY, WOMAN, DISABLED-OWNED BUSINESSES CERTIFICATION AGENCIES

The City aims to use certified minority, women, or disabled-owned businesses on City contracts. If you are a minority, woman, or disabled-owned business and would like to get certified, you must do so with a recognized certification agency. The below is a list of certification agencies. OEO will review and consider certifications from municipalities and private organizations

1. Eastern Minority Supplier Development Council (EMSDC) - www.emsdc.org

National Minority Supplier Development Council (NMSDC) MBE Certification I & II - www.nmsdc.org

2. Women's Business Enterprise Council PA-DE-NJ (WBEC) - www.wbecouncil.org

Women's Business Enterprise National Council (WBENC) WBE Certification - www.wbenc.org

3. Pennsylvania Unified Certification Program - DBE Certification

Authorized Certifying Agencies - <https://paucp.dbesystem.com/>

- City of Philadelphia – Office of Business Diversity, Philadelphia International Airport <https://www.phl.org/business/OBD> or OBD@PHL.org
- Southeastern Pennsylvania Transportation Authority (SEPTA) DBE Program Office www.septa.org/business/dbe or call (215) 580-7278
- Allegheny County Department of Minority, Women, and Disadvantaged Business Enterprise alleghenycounty.us/mwdsbe/index.aspx or call (412) 350-4309
- PA Department of Transportation (PENNDOT) Bureau of Equal Opportunity <http://www.penndot.gov/about-us/EqualEmployment/Pages/UnitedCertificationProgram.aspx> or call (717) 787-5891
- Pittsburgh Regional Transit - <https://prt.dbesystem.com/> or call 412-566-5257

4. Visit the United States Department of Transportation, Office of Small and Disadvantaged Business Utilization find a full list of authorized DBE Program Sites - [https://www.transportation.gov/osdbu](http://www.transportation.gov/osdbu)

5. New Jersey Unified Certification Program Authorized Certifying Agencies:

- NJ Transit - Office of Business Development - <https://www.njtransit.com/office-business-development>
- New Jersey Department of Transportation, Disadvantaged & Small Business Programs Unit <http://www.state.nj.us/transportation/business/civilrights/dbe.shtml>
- Port Authority of New York and New Jersey, Office of Business Diversity & Civil Rights - Unit also provides MBE/WBE Certification - <https://panynj.diversitysoftware.com/>

6. Delaware Department of Transportation DBE Program - <http://deldot.gov/Business/dbe/index.shtml>

7. State of Delaware, Office of Supplier Diversity - <http://gss.omb.delaware.gov/osd/>

8. Metropolitan Washington Unified Certification Program Authorized Certifying Agencies:

- Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority (WMATA) <https://www.wmata.com/business/Small-Business-Programs-Office/index.cfm>
Metropolitan Washington Airports Authority (MWAA) - <https://mwaa.diversitycompliance.com/>

9. Baltimore Law Department - Minority and Women's Business Opportunity Office

Visit - <https://law.baltimorecity.gov/mwboo>

10. Maryland Department of Transportation (MDOT) - Office of Minority Business Enterprise (OMBE)

Visit - <https://gomdsmallbiz.maryland.gov/Pages/mbe-Program.aspx>

11. Virginia Department of Small Business & Supplier Diversity (SBSD)

Visit - <https://www.sbsd.virginia.gov/certification-division/>

12. Disability: IN (DSBE) - <https://disabilityin.org/what-we-do/supplier-diversity/get-certified/>