



# MWD BE

## PROJECT CASE STUDIES



DIFFERING **SIGHT** CONDITIONS  
LOOKING BEYOND THE SURFACE



# Wichita's Northwest Water Facility

- \$ .5 billion progressive design-build project
- New water facility will provide additional 120 MGD of capacity
- Committed \$100 million in contracts to local businesses
- Committed \$24 million to EBE/DBE/MBE/WBE businesses

## Workforce Development

Training programs held in Spanish for limited-English proficiency (LEP) construction crews

Registered Apprenticeship Program in partnership with Wichita State Tech

## Strengthening Local Businesses

Wichita Entrepreneurship & Innovation Series provides education and coaching for local small businesses

Emerging business Certification Workshop in partnership with Kansas Business Services



## Building Breadth and Depth in Partnerships

### Dig your well before you're thirsty

- Use procurement and networking events
- Website and social media to build relationships and promote

### Need a sustained effort to build long-term relationships

- Partner established subcontractors with local businesses
- Build capacity through project partnerships



Project summary provided by Burns & McDonnell  
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# I-405 Renton to Bellevue Widening and Express Toll Lanes

- Contract value \$704,975,000.00
- 10% Minority Business Enterprise participation
- 5% State Small Business participation
- 5% Veteran Owned Business participation
- 6% Women Business Enterprise participation

## MSVWBE Participation Plan

- Design-Build has no Condition of Award (COA)
- Scored Pass/Fail
- Inclusion Manager
- Commitments are identified
- Reporting
- Goal Attainment
- Good Faith Effort (GFE)

## Outreach

- Capacity Building Mentorship Program (CBMP)
- Community Engagement Plan
- Open House
- Environmental Justice (EJ)



## WSDOT Diverse Business Programs

### SVBE

- Small Business Enterprise (SBE)
- Veteran-Owned Business (VOB)

### MWBE

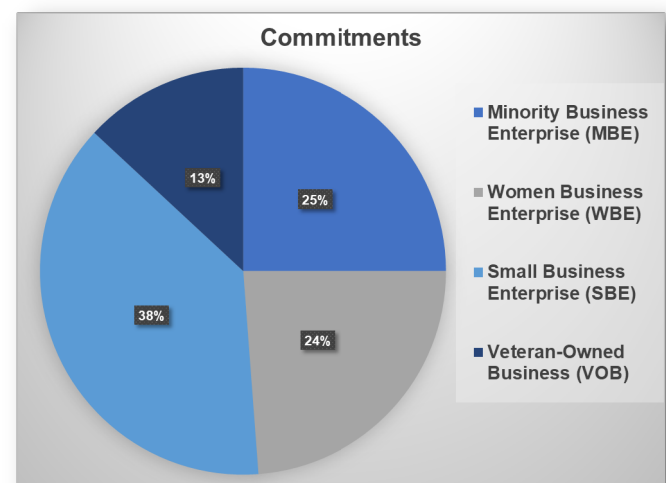
- Minority Business Enterprise (MBE)
- Women Business Enterprise (WBE)

### DBE

- Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE)

### FSBE

- Federal Small Business Enterprise (FSBE)



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# Dallas-Fort Worth International Airport Terminal C High Gates

- Contract value \$93,200,000
- 36.2% design services committed MWDBE participation
- 40% preconstruction and general condition services
- 35% construction trade packages
- 75% women and BIPOC in management roles

## The Walsh Group Program

- Outreach and Community Engagement
- Procurement Alignment
- Development and Capacity Building
- Educational Programs
- Workforce Development Approach
- Local Programs
- Bonding and Insurance Program with Federal Government

## DFW High C Gates Program

### Outreach and Engagement

One-on-One Meetings with MBE trade partners

### De-Bundling Scopes Packages

Identified scope package that fits smaller MBE's capabilities

### MBE Risk Management

Hosted weekly meetings with subcontractors to address and overcome any project challenges

### Change Order Management

Validating that trade partner can meet the demand for the adjusted additional scope

### Prompt payment and close-out

Pre-pay application review allowed MBE trade partners to submit close-out documentation early for early payment of retainage.



## CONSTRUCTION SERVICES

DFW Goal - 20%

**30%**

- MBE joint venture equity members



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CORPORATION

**40%**

- committed MBE participation in preconstruction & general condition services

QY Management  
Solutions, Inc.



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BRADLINK

**35%**

- committed MBE construction trade packages

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