



## Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE)

### How To Use the DBE Query

(Best Used with the DBE Query Form Instructions/Tutorial)

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## Office of Business & Economic Opportunity

The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans), Office of Business & Economic Opportunity (OBEO) is dedicated to increasing the participation of Small Business (SB), Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE), and Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise (DVBE) firms in both Federal and State contracting and procurement.

The OBEO ensures non-discrimination in the execution of contracts and promotes positive external customer relations.

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## Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Program (DBE)

### Federal Program

Caltrans is committed to an overall Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) goal of 12.5 percent on its federal-funded projects based upon a race-neutral and race-conscious methodology. To learn more about how the DBE goal was set and how to obtain DBE Certification, click on the links below:

Note: If you are using Internet Explorer and the buttons below do not work when you click on them, please see the following [instructions](#) or use another browser (i.e. Chrome, Firefox).

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- [FTA DBE - Goal and Methodology Public Meeting Schedule](#)
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## Find A Certified DBE Firm



**Caution:** DBE regulation (49 CFR Part §26.88) grants certifying agencies, such as Caltrans, authority to suspend DBE firms. Events that can trigger suspension include; death or incarceration of the DBE owner, DBE failing to notify in writing of any material change or if a DBE fails to timely complete and return its Annual Affidavit of no change mailed to it by a certifying agency. Certifying agencies will be implementing this policy beginning September 1, 2015.

**Note:** Contractors are cautioned to verify the real-time DBE database prior to hiring DBE firms. A suspended firm will have a notation on its DBE profile. While suspended, DBE firms may not be considered for contract goal on new contracts. The decision to immediately suspend a DBE is not appealable to the US Department of Transportation.

The Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) Database contains information on certified DBE firms and is **updated daily**. Use the database query form to find certified DBE firms to meet DBE goals on contracting requirements.

[Click here to Access the DBE Query Form](#) (Export options: [CSV](#) | [Excel](#) | [XML](#) | [PDF](#))

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### OTHER PROGRAMS

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Where there is a DBE goal on a contract, a Bidder must show that it took all necessary and reasonable steps to achieve a DBE goal or other requirement of [Appendix "A" to Part 26](#), by their scope, intensity, and appropriateness to the objective, could reasonably be expected to obtain sufficient DBE participation, even if they were not fully successful.



#### Quick Search Tips:

- To find firms doing Construction Area Signs in Caltrans District 11, use [Caltrans Districts]> [11] [Work Category Codes] > scroll and select [C1200 Construction Area Signs]> [Start Search].
- To get a list of Landscape Contractors in Caltrans District 7, use [Caltrans Districts]> [07]> [License Type]> [C 27 Landscape Contractor] > [Start Search – PDF or Excel] – this will give you all firms located in Caltrans District 7.
- Search results will show firms located in a particular area, plus those firms that indicate they can work statewide will have "00" in counties and District.
- You may need to upgrade your Browser to view/download data.

\*\*\*DBE CERTIFICATION DOES NOT EXPIRE\*\*\*

**Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Firm Search** Tue Mar 08 13:33:22 PST 2016

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**Caltrans Districts:**

- District 02
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- District 06**



**County:**

- Alameda
- Alpine
- Amador
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- Calaveras

**Work Category Codes:**

- A0110 CASH GRAINS
- A0130 FIELD CROPS, EXCEPT CASH GRAINS
- A0160 VEGETABLES & MELONS
- A0170 FRUITS & TREE NUTS
- A0180 HORTICULTURAL SPECIALTIES

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**Majority Owner Gender:**

Male    Female

DBE    ACDBE

**Race/Ethnicity:**

- Asian Pacific
- Asian Subcontinent
- Black
- Caucasian
- Hispanic

**License Type:**

- C05 Framing and Rough Carpentry Contractor
- C06 Cabinet, Millwork and Finish Carpentry Contractor
- C07 Low Voltage Systems Contractor
- C08 Concrete Contractor**
- C09 Drywall Contractor



**NAICS Categories:**

- 11 Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing, and Hunting
- 21 Mining
- 22 Utilities
- 23 Construction
- 31 Manufacturing

**NAICS Codes:**

**Sample Query Using District/License**

**Firm/DBA Name** (To improve search results, try variations on names (e.g. Inc., Inc, Incorp, or MAT, M.A.T., etc)):

**Firm Id:**

**City:**

**Zip Code:**

**Area Code:**



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Search Returned 55 Records

Query Criteria

District: 06  
Licenses: C08 Concrete Contractor  
Firm Type: DBE

Firm ID	35441
Firm/DBA Name	A & S GRADING SERVICES, INC.
Address Line1	1089 N. GARFIELD
Address Line2	
City	FRESNO
State	CA
Zip Code1	93723
Zip Code2	
Mailing Address Line1	1089 N. GARFIELD
Mailing Address Line2	
Mailing City	FRESNO
Mailing State	CA
Mailing Zip Code1	93723
Mailing Zip Code2	
Certification Type	DBE
Email	smith_3867@msn.com
Contact Name	AL SMITH
Area Code	( 559 )
Phone Number	276-2328
Alt Area Code	( )
Alt Phone Number	
Fax Area Code	( 559 )
Fax Phone Number	275-0149
Agency Name	CITY OF FRESNO
Counties	10;
Districts	06;
DBE NAICS	238190; 238910; 238990;

ACDBE NAICS

Work Codes

A0710 SOIL PREPARATION SERVICES; A0780 LANDSCAPE & HORTICULTURAL SERVICES; C1601 CLEARING & GRUBBING; C19 DEMOLITION;

Licenses

C08 Concrete Contractor; C12 Earthwork and Paving Contractor; C27 Landscaping Contractor; D63 Construction Cleanup;

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- C5000 PRESTRESSING CONCRETE CAST-IN-PLACE
- C5100 CONCRETE STRUCTURE
- C5105 MINOR CONCRETE STRUCTURE
- C5110 CONCRETE SURFACE FINISH
- C5111 CONCRETE OVERLAY, DRILL & BOND

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- Caucasian
- Hispanic

**License Type:**

- A General Engineering Contractor
- ARC Architect
- ASB Asbestos
- B General Building Contractor
- C02 Insulation and Accoustical Contractor

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Sample Query  
Using District/Work Category Code

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**Firm Id:**

**City:**

**Zip Code:**

**Area Code:**

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**Search Returned 35 Records**

**Query Criteria**

District: 06  
Work Codes: C5100 CONCRETE STRUCTURE  
Firm Type: DBE

Firm ID	32335
Firm/DBA Name	A.J. VASCONI GENERAL ENGINEERING
Address Line1	1820 GALINDO STREET, SUITE 275
Address Line2	
City	CONCORD
State	CA
Zip Code1	94520
Zip Code2	
Mailing Address Line1	
Mailing Address Line2	
Mailing City	
Mailing State	
Mailing Zip Code1	
Mailing Zip Code2	
Certification Type	DBE
E-Mail	aj@ajvasconi.com
Contact Name	ANDREW J. VASCONI
Area Code	( 925 )
Phone Number	691-9400
Alt Area Code	( )
Alt Phone Number	
Fax Area Code	( )
Fax Phone Number	
Agency Name	SANTA CLARA VALLEY TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY (VTA)
Counties	01; 03; 04; 05; 06; 07; 09; 10; 11; 17; 20; 21; 22; 23; 27; 28; 29; 31; 34; 35; 38; 39; 41; 43; 44; 45; 48; 49; 50; 51; 52; 57; 58;
Districts	01; 02; 03; 04; 05; 06; 10;
DBE NAICS	237310; 237990; 238110;

**ACDBE NAICS**

Work Codes	C1901 ROADWAY EXCAVATION; C1920 STRUCTURE EXCAVATION; C5100 CONCRETE STRUCTURE; C8720 CIVIL ENGINEERING;
Licenses	A General Engineering Contractor;
Trucks	
Gender	M
Ethnicity	HISPANIC
Firm Type	DBE

Firm ID	42019
Firm/DBA Name	ARCHITECTURAL UNLIMITED BUILDING CO.
Address Line1	11222 S. LA CIENEGA BLVD. SUITE 428
Address Line2	
City	INGLEWOOD
State	CA
Zip Code1	90304

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concrete

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#### Zip Code:

#### Area Code:

Start Search - PDF Results

Start Search - Export Options

Clear Form

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Query Criteria

Firm/DBA Name: concrete

Firm Type: DBE

Firm ID	27172
Firm/DBA Name	ARCHULETA CONCRETE CONSTRUCTION COMPANY
Address Line1	79807 COUNTRY CLUB DRIVE, SUITE 1
Address Line2	
City	BERMUDA DUNES
State	CA
Zip Code1	92203
Zip Code2	
Mailing Address Line1	
Mailing Address Line2	
Mailing City	
Mailing State	
Mailing Zip Code1	
Mailing Zip Code2	
Certification Type	DBE
E-Mail	archuleta8@aol.com
Contact Name	TOMMY R. JR ARCHULETA
Area Code	( 760 )
Phone Number	345-8722
Alt Area Code	( )
Alt Phone Number	
Fax Area Code	( 760 )
Fax Phone Number	345-8223
Agency Name	DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
Counties	33; 38;
Districts	08;
DBE NAICS	238990;
ACDBE NAICS	
Work Codes	C4010 PORTLAND CEMENT & CONCRETE PAVEMENT; C7112 REINFORCED CONCRETE SEWER PIPE; C7250 SACKED CONCRETE; C7301 CONCRETE CURB & SIDEWALK - M
Licenses	A General Engineering Contractor; C08 Concrete Contractor;
Trucks	
Gender	M
Ethnicity	HISPANIC
Firm Type	DBE

Firm ID	38342
Firm/DBA Name	ARGUELLO CONCRETE CONSTRUCTION
Address Line1	5753 N. MARIPOSA
Address Line2	
City	FRESNO
State	CA
Zip Code1	93710
Zip Code2	
Mailing Address Line1	
Mailing Address Line2	

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