

## Supplier Diversity Inclusion Plan • Fiscal Year 2018

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Agency's plan to increase participation of certified small minority, women, and veteran owned firms:

1. Every three years the Artist Roster is updated. In 2018 we will go through an open call for artists able and willing to create large public art for Washington State Art in Public Places. While currently no artists are listed on the Certified Firm Database, our plan is to provide information to all of the artists about the advantage of becoming certified.
2. Work with OMWBE to hold a special webinar or in-person meeting to inform artists, art suppliers and art organizations about the process for becoming certified. OMWBE has previously mentioned a waiver of the certification fee for the first renewal process.
3. Host one session with another small agency to conduct an outreach session in Western Washington to influence artists to become a certified provider.