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Goal for FY24: 6.40%

OFM Business Diversity Spending Goal Plan FY24 - Governor's Supplier Diversity Subcabinet approved best practices

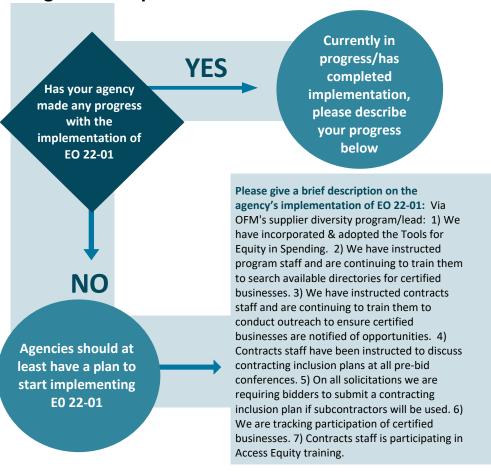
Summary Statement: The supplier diversity lead for our agency intends to maximize opportunities for certified businesses by: 1) Outeach. Speaking at vendor organizations in order to meet vendors. Connect with vendors that we meet and then in turn connecting them with staff that need their services. Also, conducting targeted outreach for our solicitations 2) Training. Training staff how to use the OMWBE directory. 3) Communication with staff. Making sure staff is aware of supplier diversity and have the resources they need to maximize opportunities for certified businesses. 4) Communication with vendors. Utilize our supplier diversity page to communicate with vendors.

Steps your agency has completed to prepare for forecasting and steps remaining: Our supplier diversity lead has gathered historical data and has scheduled meetings to meet with staff to forecast FY24 Contracts.

How are supplier diversity efforts managed within your agency:

A contracts specialist from OFM Contracts is our Supplier Diversity Program Lead, and the director of OFM's Legal & Legislative Affairs is the executive sponsor. Additionally, supplier diversity is one of OFM's PEAR priorities. The PEAR Supplier Diversity Workgroup meets monthly.

Progress to Implement EO 22-01:



Outreach to OMWBE Certified Businesses:

