



Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) Three-Year Goal Consultation Meeting
Fayetteville Area System Transit (FAST)

Date and Time: Monday, July 29, 2024, from 10:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Details: The Fayetteville Area System Transit (FAST) is seeking input from the public and area stakeholders concerning its Federal Fiscal Years 2025 – 2027 Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) goal for Federal Transit Administration (FTA) funded projects.

In compliance with Federal Regulations, 49 CFR §26.45, FAST is seeking public participation on its triannual goal-setting process from minority, women, general contractor groups, community organizations, and other officials with information concerning the availability of disadvantaged and non-disadvantaged businesses, the effects of discrimination on opportunities for DBEs, and efforts to establish a level playing field for the participation of DBEs.

FAST will host a consultation meeting to discuss the federal DBE goal setting methodology, obtain comments, and address questions about its efforts to establish a level playing field for the participation of DBEs. The proposed DBE goal will be finalized and presented to the public for comment following input received during the meeting.

Location: All interested parties are invited to attend the meeting either in-person or via Microsoft Teams. The in-person meeting will be held in the Community Room, located on the second floor of the FAST Transit Center located at 505 Franklin Street, Fayetteville. The meeting space is accessible for individuals with disabilities.

Please consult the following to attend virtually:

Microsoft Teams Meeting Link: <https://tinyurl.com/FASTDBE>

Meeting ID: 237 675 121

Passcode: zHargv

Individuals who require a reasonable accommodation to attend the meeting, view the material, or provide comments are asked to contact Shaqwana Portalis via e-mail at shaqwanaportalis@fayettevillenc.gov or by phone (910) 433-1692, no later than Wednesday, July 24, 2024.