

May 14, 2021

**Re: Daytona Beach International Airport (DAB) FY 2019-2021
Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) Goals and Methodology**

To all organizations, agencies and parties to whom this letter may concern:

The County of Volusia is updating the Daytona Beach International Airport (DAB) Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) Program Goals and Methodology for all FAA-funded airport improvement projects at DAB in Daytona Beach, Florida (see final draft attachment).

We invite you to provide comments concerning the availability of disadvantaged and non-disadvantaged businesses, the effects of discrimination on opportunities for DBEs, and the airport's efforts to establish a level playing field for the participation of DBEs.

The Daytona Beach International Airport (DAB) will publish a public notice of the final draft update for DAB's DBE Program Goals and Methodology, available online at the airport's website (<http://www.FlyDaytonaFirst.com>).

Also, it will be available for review at the Airport Administration Offices: 700 Catalina Drive, Suite# 300, Daytona Beach, Florida, 32114; during normal business hours (8:00AM-4:00PM), for a period of thirty days – through June 14, 2021.

During this period of time, written comments from the public will be accepted. All comments received during this time will be disclosed in the final draft submission to the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) as per **49 CFR § 26.45(g)(1)(i)**:

In establishing an overall goal, you must provide for consultation and publication. This includes: Consultation with minority, women's and general contractor groups, community organizations, and other officials or organizations which could be expected to have information concerning the availability of disadvantaged and non-disadvantaged businesses, the effects of discrimination on opportunities for DBEs, and your efforts to establish a level playing field for the participation of DBEs. The consultation must include a scheduled, direct, interactive exchange (e.g., a face-to-face meeting, video conference, teleconference) with as many interested stakeholders as possible focused on obtaining information relevant to the goal setting process, and it must occur before you are required to submit your methodology to the operating administration for review pursuant to paragraph (f) of this section. You must document in your goal submission the consultation process you engaged in. Notwithstanding paragraph (f)(4) of this section, you may not implement your proposed goal until you have complied with this requirement.

To ensure your written comments are included in the proposed DBE Goal submission to the FAA, please forward comments to the following contacts, before midnight, June 14, 2021:

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¹ U.S. DOT, Office of the Transportation Secretary, Departmental Office of Civil Rights, *[“Memorandum: DBE and ACDBE Certification Procedures during COVID-19 Public Health Emergency”](#)*, Charles E. James, Sr., Director, Date: November 25, 2020.