

## Allegheny County Department of Equity and Inclusion

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November 15, 2024

Richard J. Tucker Commercial Fabricators, Inc. 2045 Industrial Drive Newton, NC 28658

VIA: B2G Portal

RE: Pennsylvania Unified Certification Program

**DBE Continued Eligibility Letter** 

DBE Certification # 13929 Anniversary Date – Annually on November 2

Dear Richard J. Tucker:

The Allegheny County Department of Equity and Inclusion, a certifying participant in the Pennsylvania Unified Certification Program (PA UCP), has reviewed your annual submission as a Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) and is pleased to inform you that your firm appears to meet the requirements established by the United States Department of Transportation (US DOT) Code of Regulations. Accordingly, your firm can continue as a DBE to participate in the program in the following classification(s) only:

Miscellaneous steel manufacturing specializing in handrails, stairs, ladders, and light structural steel

## NAICS Code(s):

332322: SHEET METAL WORK MANUFACTURING

332323: WROUGHT IRON FENCES MANUFACUTRING

332999: ALL OTHER MISCELLANEOUS FABRICATED METAL PRODUCT MANUFACTURING

423510: METAL SERVICE CENTERS AND OTHER METAL MERCHANT WHOLESALERS

423710: HARDWARE MERCHANT WHOLESALERS

DBE certification continues from the date of this letter but is contingent upon you completing the Declaration of Eligibility by your anniversary date each year. The Declaration of Eligibility can be completed online at <a href="https://alleghenycounty.diversitycompliance.com/">https://alleghenycounty.diversitycompliance.com/</a>. Please note that the responsibility to assure continued certification is yours. Failure to complete your annual requirement will result in immediate action to decertify the firm.

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DBE certification does not expire consistent with 49 CFR Part 26.83(h) and an expiration date should not be requested. Furthermore, physical certification letters should not be requested or required of you. Verification of your firm's DBE eligibility should be done via the PA UCP database which can be found at https://www.paucp.dbesystem.com/.

The PA UCP database is updated in real time and represents the most accurate listing of certified DBEs in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. If documentation of your firm's eligibility is required, a dated screenshot of your firm, as it appears in the database, should be utilized.

In the event of a change in circumstances affecting your ability to meet size, disadvantage, ownership, and control requirements of Part 26, or any material change in the information provided, you must inform the PA UCP by means of a sworn affidavit by the owners, describing in detail the nature of such changes.

You must provide this written "Notice of Change" within 30 days of the occurrence of change. Failure to do so will be deemed a failure to cooperate.

We would also remind you that the PA UCP reserves the right to review your firm at any time to ensure compliance with the program.

We are pleased to continue to have you as a DBE and wish you continued success in acquiring work within the DBE program. If you have any questions, please contact this office.

Sincerely,

Lisa L. Edmonds, ECMCA

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Director