

TEXAS SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY

717- FY22 ANNUAL HUB REPORT SUPPLEMENTAL LETTER

Texas Southern University (TSU) is enthusiastic and dedicated to promoting a Good Faith Effort that will support and help develop Texas certified Historically Underutilized Businesses (HUB) in TSU procurements. The HUB Program ensures compliance with the state of Texas HUB laws, assists TSU Departments to locate HUB suppliers, and offers HUB assistance to facilitate access and contracting opportunities. TSU will make a Good Faith Effort to meet or exceed the awards of goods, services, and construction contracts to HUBs in accordance with the Texas Gov't Code§ 2161.252 and Texas Administrative Code§ 111.14.

TSU offers the following information to supplement the FY22 Annual HUB report to illustrate its Good Faith to identify, understand how to do business with TSU, inform HUB suppliers of upcoming opportunities, and award contracts to Historically Underutilized Businesses.

TSU is committed to expanding its HUB participation through outreach and supplier engagement as illustrated below.

- Greater Houston Black Chamber Forum
- Houston Business Technology Center
- Choice Partner's Expo
- Greater Houston Business Procurement Forum
- Fort Bend ISD's Small Business Enterprise Program
- Tri-County Regional Black Chamber of Commerce Regional Opportunity Forum
- Doing Business Texas Style Spot Fair & HUB Expo
- University of Houston virtual HUB Forum & Workshop
- Lone Star College B2B Networking Forum

Texas Southern University is currently developing a strategic plan in an effort to provide additional training, additional outreach programs, a Mentor-Protégé Program, and facilitate events that assist the continued growth of opportunities for the HUBs in Houston.

Sent Support

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