

NORTH CAROLINA OFFICE FOR HISTORICALLY UNDERUTILIIZED BUSINESSES



HUB Director Tammie Hall at the Breakfast Conversations event held on February 25, 2020 in Charlotte engaging with HUB certified vendors.

### **Celebrating Minority Businesses in Charlotte**

During the month of February, the NC HUB Office supported and participated in various events in the Charlotte area aimed to create synergy between the minority business community, local, city, and state leaders. HUB Director Tammie Hall attended the Breakfast Conversations event along with staff members Alicia Lyon and Sharonetta McIntrye, where they networked with several HUB certified and potential HUB vendors, offering strategies for business growth. HUB also participated in the 2020 CIAA Minority Business and Leadership Symposium roundtable discussions, where the theme of building a business climate of inclusion and access to opportunities was the focus.

In celebration of Black History Month, the NC HUB Office would like to recognize all of our African American vendors and celebrate your achievements and contributions to NC's economy! Read Governor Cooper's proclamation for Black History Month.

Director's Quote of the Month:

"I had to make my own living and my own opportunity. But I made it! Don't sit down and wait for the opportunities to come. Get up and make them." - Madam C.J. Walker

## **Call for HUB Awards for Excellence Nominations**

HUB is currently seeking nominations to recognize distinguished leaders and supporters of minority and women owned construction firms across the state that work towards creating community partnerships and using best practices within the construction field. These awards will be presented during the State Construction Conference on March 26.

2020 Award Categories include:

- \*HUB Firm
- \*HUB Advocate
- \*Construction Industry Company
- \*Professional Service
- \*Public Sector Owner / Agency
- \*Industry / Agency—Individual Award
  - Review the criteria and submit your nomination!

#### **New Hire Announcement**



Welcome Nicole Gye'Name! Nicole joined the HUB Office in February as the newest Supplier Diversity Specialist. Nicole has previous experience in state government from serving the NC Dept. of Transportation and the NC Dept. of Health & Human Services. She also has a background in grant writing, higher education, fund-

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raising, and public radio. Nicole is most passionate about community involvement and relationship building.

# **UPCOMING EVENTS**

HUB Vendor Orientation Training — 3/4 in Durham

State Construction Conference—3/26 in Raleigh

HUB Networking Reception & Expo-3/26 in Raleigh (\*Following the State Construction Conference)



#### Census Day is April 1!



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The Office of Historically Underutilized Businesses would like to welcome our certified vendors from January 27, 2020—February 28, 2020.

#ATHLETICUNION 3 Tier, PLLC ABC Strategy & Consulting, Inc. **ABS Commercial** Academic Landscaping Accu Painters of NC LLC Acta Solutions, LLC Advanced Framing & Interiors AdvancedTR, LLC Air Production & Service, Inc. All Systems Restored HVAC & Electrical Allied Int'l Building Services, Inc. AMCASE, Inc Amerimex Drywall, LLC At Chore Service, LLC Baseline Mobility Group, Inc. Bing-Lawson Associates, LLC Blindes Shades and Shutters, LLC **BMCO** Construction **BMI Wellness Concepts, PLLC** Bobby Cahoon Construction, Inc. Bulldog Window Cleaning, LLC C & D Electrical Technology, Inc. C.A. Weiss Sales, LLC Capstone Civil Engineering, Inc. Carolina Cleaning and Restoration, LLC **Cinda Corporation** Citadel Business Solutions, LLC CLC Hauling, LLC Cobb, Ezekiel, Loy & Company, PA Construction Concepts and Design, Inc. Contrast Creative, Inc. Costing Services Group, Inc. Darryl Print

DCI Electric Double Creek Road, LLC DozierBuilt, LLC Driven Contractors, LLC DW Express, Inc. Eastern Power Technologies Echo Media & Stories Eljean Transport, Inc. Endless Impressions Entellimetrix, LLC ETC Contractors, LLC ETR Services, LLC Faison Office Products, Inc.

**DBA Piedmont Office Suppliers** Flame Logistics, Inc. G & E Investments, Inc. G & J Management Garris Grading & Paving, Inc. GiveNGo Construction Group, LLC **Global Bridge Pharmaceutical** Harris and Company, LLC **HD3** Enterprises Hernandez Steel Hillcrest Landscape Plants and Nursery Holly Receptionist Hope and Vision Outreach Hope Matters, PLLC **Image Solutions** Insight Performance Mgmt. Group, LLC Interstate Interiors, LLC J Morgan Design & Consulting Jaesan, PC Jessup Company Johnson Enterprise **KAT Landscaping** Kleen It Up, Inc. Knight Commercial Cleaning, LLC Kyndel's Cleaning Service L.C. Braxton Counseling, PLLC

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