

THE HUBSTER

NORTH CAROLINA OFFICE FOR HISTORICALLY UNDERUTILIZED BUSINESSES

April 2022 Edition

Fulfillments, Accomplishments & Achievements

Dorothy Vick Retires



Photography: Nicole Lynch

Dorothy is recognized among her peers as a standard-bearer for her work as an advocate for historically underutilized businesses (HUBs). She supported the concept of HUB Academies, the best practice of agency and vendor “meet and greet” to further strengthen relations. She has received high remarks and statewide recognition for her continued advocacy with excellence for HUB firms. The program model, utilized at UNC Charlotte, is recognized as an industry standard in the success of operating HUB Programs. Dorothy was twice recognized with the Good Faith Effort Award issued by the state of North Carolina HUB Office and received the UNC Charlotte Employee of the Year for Community and Public Service.

Thank you for being a champion of the cause, and for your commitment and dedication over the years! We wish you all the best as you settle into retirement!

“I take a point of personal privilege to send well wishes to Dorothy, who I have known in the industry for about 20 years. May the work you’ve done speak for you!!! Best Wishes ~ Tammie Hall

Congratulations!

John Guenther, HUB Compliance Officer, was presented the Teamwork Award at the 2022 Secretary’s Awards for Excellence! Thank you John for exemplifying teamwork through your efforts and wonderful team spirit! All recipients of the Secretary’s Award for Excellence will be nominated for the Governor’s Award for Excellence.

A well –deserved recognition for John!



Tarnosha Burns was recently promoted to the HUB Certification Specialist position. We welcome Tarnosha to the Certification Team! Thank you for all that you do to help our HUB firms succeed!

New HUB Staff!



Angela Sellars
MBDA Specialist

Favorite Quote:
“You must be the change you wish to see in the world”...
– Mahatma Gandhi



Derek Harris
MBDA Project Administrator

Favorite Quote:
“I can accept failure. Everyone fails at something, but I can’t accept not trying.”
– Michael Jordan



Christopher Lawhorne
Certification Specialist

Favorite Quote:
“Problems cannot be solved by the same level of thinking that created them.”
– Albert Einstein

Welcome!



An Important Reminder For HUB Vendors!

As you receive emails alerting you of exciting opportunities available within state agencies, remember to respond!

If you are not going to bid, please let them know!

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The Office for Historically Underutilized Businesses would like to welcome our certified vendors from March 2022!

Rike Roofing Services
MTS Trucking Inc
JMD Building Products
BH Enterprise and Landscaping INC
Insulation Technology, Inc.
D. Wilson Agency, LLC
Double D Construction Services, Inc
The Milbourne Group-Consulting Engineers
CAROLINA STRUCTURAL WELDING & STEEL
Professional Police Services Inc
Montrose Securities International
Designco Construction, Inc.
Masonboro Construction and Development
WEATHERS MACHINE MFG. INC.
Law Offices of Lori Keeton
W&W Leasing Corp.
Zenn Group LLC
Five Boys Trucking, LLC
M4 Consulting
ILL STRUCTURE ENT
Hopeful Enterprises
The Bright Insight Group LLC
Midtown Solution LLC
GRelations, LLC
D. Wynne Corporation
Glave & Holmes Architecture
Parish Dior Institute
Rainbow Childcare and Learning Center
Top Choice Concrete, LLC
TXN Wireless, LLC
InnoVector Tech, Inc
Big R Trucking Inc
Simon Resources, Inc.
Estrello Construction Group, LLC
Brilliant You LLC
Scher Shot Productions
Rankin III Grading, LLC
J. R. Caskey, Inc.
Preeminent Trucking, LLC
Atlantic Residential Realty LLC
JEM Supplies Inc

M-W ELECTRIC, INC
All Points Trucking, Inc.
Carolina Earth Movers, Inc.
Riverside Stump Dump, Inc.
Peace Place LLC d/b/a TRACYMAC Coaching
J & R Tough Construction Corp
Freeman Landscape, Inc
CaJenn Construction & Rehabilitation Svs
Lockamy Consulting Services
T & E'S Catering Service, LLC
Kelvin Battle Trucking
T A Watson Speaking Coaching Consulting
T & S Rubber Stamps, Inc
FIRE-ADE INC
Jordon Construction Company
The Speech Language Corner, PLLC
Electripath, Inc.
Hopkins Services, Inc
Julie Brenman
Roman Armor Inc.
Suits USA, Inc.
Vision Flooring
On Time Construction, Inc
LCI Lineberger Construction
Transcription Plus, LLC
PAGE Power Systems, Inc
Media Partners, Inc
Compass Evaluation & Research
Prime 1 Realty
Sigma Health Services, LLC
Metropolitan Glass, LLC
Fulp's Environmental Inc.
BridgePoint General Contracting Inc
PEARCE'S GRADING & LANDSCAPING, LLC
BEM Enterprises LLC
AR Design N. Landscaping Firm Inc
McLean Subsurface Utility Services LLC
S&C Construction, LLC
NC Solution Group LLC
STEM RELATIONS, Inc.
MCMANUS & MCMANUS ENTERPRISES INC
Dysmarc Financial Services
Nehemiah USA, Inc.
Candie Studios LLC

Rent-A-Man Assignments
Provisions Counseling Services
At Your Door Drug Testing
C T SHORT LLC
180 Essentials SkinCare, LLC
The Brown Sugar Collab
Jones Construction Enterprises Inc.
Kingdom Development Group Incorporated
R and B Janitorial Maintenance
Sunstates Security, LLC
Metcon, Inc
Browe Construction Company, Inc.
RICHA GRAPHICS
RA Signs Inc
Marand Builders, Inc
Creative Management Partners, LLC
Unison Consulting, Inc
MLA Design Group
Symago LLC
Bishop Notary Service
Bombshell Beer Company
M. MICHAEL ELKIS CO., INC
AM Custom Cleaning, LLC
Superior Piping Fabricators & Erector's
Koryak Consulting
CAROLINA PEACEMAKER
Innovation Network Technologies Corporation
The Sign Shop of the Triangle
AeroRaq Engineering Inc
InterSpec
Easy Movers, Inc
INTERIOR SYSTEMS, INC.
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