

60-5.1 Purpose and Application

The following provisions shall be made conditions of all bid specifications prepared by the Albany County Purchasing Department which is estimated by the County to result in a contract exceeding \$100,000.00.

1. The purpose of the regulations in this Part is to achieve the objectives of Part IV of the Executive/ Legislative Order for the promotion and ensuring of equal opportunity for socially and economically disadvantaged businesses. The regulations in this part apply to all Albany County administering agencies awarding contracts for goods and services or construction.
2. The performance goals of these regulations are seven percent (7%) for Minority Business Enterprises (MBE's), five percent (5%) for Women Business Enterprises (WBE's), and three percent (3%) for Service-Disabled Veteran Owned Businesses (SDVOB's) who may also be Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBE's). From this point forward DBE will represent all minorities.
3. The workforce goals are also 7% Minority Business Enterprises, 5% women, and 3% veteran.