

**SOUTH DAKOTA
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (DBE)
PROGRAM**

**Could you be
a DBE?**

DO YOU...

- own at least 51% of your company?
- average less than \$30.72 million in gross receipts per year?
- belong to a group that is considered “socially disadvantaged” by the U.S. Small Business Administration? *(including women, Black Americans, Hispanic Americans, Native Americans, Asian-Pacific Americans, Subcontinent Asian-Pacific Americans.)*

**IF SO, THE DBE PROGRAM
MIGHT BE FOR YOU!**

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WHAT IS THE DBE PROGRAM?

The SDDOT DBE program provides opportunities for a variety of construction specialties to compete for a portion of highway construction projects. DBEs can capitalize on this competitive advantage to become more successful in competing for government contracts.

WHY SHOULD YOU APPLY?

Companies that participate in the SDDOT DBE program are more likely to see improvements in:

- Increased revenue
- Better bidding abilities
- More bonding and loan opportunities
- Diversified experience in government contracts



**SUPPORTIVE
SERVICES**

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