The Convention Center Authority supports Metro’s common goal of diversity inclusion. Therefore, businesses that wish to be considered as a Minority-owned business, Women-owned business, Small business and/or Service Disabled Veteran-owned business, must provide Metro’s Business Assistance Office (BAO) with your certifications*. Below is a list of approved certifying agencies:

**Governor’s Office of Diversity Business Enterprise**
Attn: Diversity Business Liaison
665 Mainstream Drive, Metro Center
Nashville, TN 37243
(615)253-4657
Toll Free 1-866-894-5026
www.tennessee.gov/businessopp

**Metropolitan Transit Authority—DBE**
Main Office
130 Nestor Street
Nashville, TN 37210-2124
Phone: (615) 862-5969
www.nashvilletmata.org/

**TN Dept. of Transportation—DBE**
Small Business Development Program
James K. Polk Building
505 Deaderick Street
Nashville, TN 37243-0347
Phone: (615)741-3681
www.tdot.state.tn.us/civil%20Rights/smallbusiness/

**Metropolitan Nashville Airport Authority**
1 Terminal Drive, Suite 501
Nashville, TN 37214
Phone: (615) 275-1620
http://www.flynashville.com/business-diversity-development/Pages/default.aspx

**Small Business Administration—8a only**
TN District Office
50 Vantage Way, Suite 201
Nashville, TN 37228
Phone: (615) 736-5881
Fax: (615) 736-7232

**National Minority Supplier Development Council Affiliates including the TMSDC—MBE—TMSDC address below:**
Nashville State Office
Metro Center, Plaza I Building
220 Athens Way, Suite 105
Nashville, Tennessee 37228
Phone: (615) 259-4699
Fax: (615) 259-9480
www.nmsdc.org/nmsdc/

**National Women Business Owners Corporation (NWBOC) WBE**
1001 W. Jasmine Drive, #G
Lake Park, FL 33403
Phone: 1-800-675-5066
http://www.nwbo.org/section_apply

**Women’s Business Enterprise National Council (WBENC)—WBE**
Headquarters
1120 Connecticut Ave, NW - Suite 1000
Washington, DC 20036
Phone: (202) 872-5515
Fax: (202) 872-5505
www.wben.org

**Metropolitan Government of Nashville & Davidson County (Small Business Approval Only)**
Small, Minority, and Women Business Assistance Office (BAO)
Metropolitan Nashville and Davidson County Government
730 2nd Avenue South, Suite 112
Nashville, TN 37219
615-880-2814
http://www.nashville.gov/dmsba/

*Convention Center Authority reserves the right to question and/or refuse any certificate submitted.*