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MEMORANDUM

DATE:

March 2, 2017

TO:

Richard Tornese, Director

Highway Construction and Engineering Division

THRU:

Sandy-Michael McDonald, Director

Office of Economic and Small Business Development

FROM:

Christopher L. Atkinson, Assistant Director

Office of Economic and Small Business Development

SUBJECT:

No CBE Goal for Construction, Engineering & Inspection (CEI) Services

for Pembroke Road from Dykes Road to Silver Shores Boulevard

This project is for Construction Engineering and Inspection (CEI) services related to the widening of Pembroke Road from a two to four lane divided roadway. The Highway Construction and Engineering Division (HCED) has indicated that this project is subject to 50% funding from the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT). Florida Statute 255.0991 prohibits the use of a local preference program based upon business location for projects funded 50% or more through State-appropriated funding; therefore, OESBD is precluded from establishing CBE goals for this project. In addition, per FDOT guidelines this contract is not subject to the Broward County Workforce Investment Program.

This assessment is made upon the examination of the funding source as submitted to the Office of Economic and Small Business Development by the using agency. If you have any concerns regarding available subcontracting opportunities, please contact our office at (954) 357-6400.

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