

CITY OF NEW ORLEANS

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

ERNEST N. MORIAL
MAYOR

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 84-01 (REVISED)

WHEREAS,

Executive Order 84-01 is revised to reflect administrative and technical changes in the framework that establishes the policy for women-owned business and minority owned businesses regarding participation in contracts for public works and construction projects; and

WHEREAS,

the City of New Orleans, through appropriate and effective policies and programs, seeks to foster and promote an economic environment in which minority and women businesses can grow and succeed in the City of New Orleans; and

WHEREAS,

the City annually expends substantial sums of local, state and federal tax monies for public works and other civic construction projects; and

WHEREAS,

in order to enhance said economic environment for minority and women businesses and to maximize benefits derived from such expenditures through implementation of Executive Order No. 83-02, the Mayor of the City of New Orleans continues to strive to give special attention to all its residents, particularly in the hiring of minorities and women where publicly funded construction projects and public works are involved; and

WHEREAS,

and locally-based minority and women construction firms, when given the opportunity, have demonstrated the requisite ability to perform public works and civic construction projects and, as members of the community of business and industry in the City of New Orleans, deserve a greater opportunity to perform such work.

THEREFORE,

IN CONSIDERATION OF THE FOREGOING, BE AND IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND ESTABLISHED that the policy of the City of New Orleans, relative to locally-based minority and women construction firms having a greater opportunity to perform public works and other civic construction projects, shall be as set forth hereinafter and shall take effect immediately upon the promulgation of such rules and regulations as are necessary for implementation hereof, but in no event later than October 1, 1985.

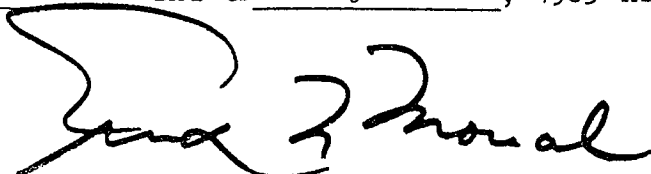
"An Equal Opportunity Employer"

- 1) On any public works and/or construction project that is publicly bid, funded in whole or in part by City funds or with federal or state grant or otherwise, to which the City is a party, there shall be established a twenty (20%) percent minority participation clause of the amount which is to be sub-contracted and (5%) percent women participation of the amount which is to be sub-contracted, all of whom shall be residents of and domiciled in the City of New Orleans, and shall have their principal place of business in the City of New Orleans, for any public works and/or construction project the value of which exceeds \$100,000.00.
- 2) The Office of Minority Business Development and the Program Compliance Section of the Chief Administrative Office through the awarding authority, shall be responsible for monitoring the provisions of this Executive Order and monitoring the contract provisions established in accordance therewith.
- 3) The Chief Administrative Office shall promulgate the rules and regulations implementing this Executive Order. The rules and regulations have been developed by the Mayor's Job Equity Committee, which consists of representatives of labor, the construction industry, city government, business, and other interests representative of job and economic development.
- 4) Each Department of the City of New Orleans contracting with any private corporation or person for such public works and/or construction projects, shall include in bid specifications and contracts the provisions of this Executive Order, to be known as the City of New Orleans Minority Contractors Preference Section, in order to insure compliance with this Executive Order.

Further, the Downtown Development District, Almonaster-Michoud Industrial District, City-Wide Development Corporation, Housing Authority of New Orleans, Industrial Development Board, the Sewerage & Water Board of New Orleans, Audubon Park Commission, the New Orleans City Park Improvement Association and any other boards, agencies, commissions, attached and unattached, are each hereby urged and requested to incorporate the provisions of this Executive Order in all contracts for public works and/or construction projects, which they fund or administer, or to which, in their capacity as owners are parties thereto.

Furthermore, it is hereby ordered that such provisions shall be designed and formulated so as to effectuate the spirit, intent and purpose of this Executive Order.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL THIS 22nd DAY OF July, 1985 AT NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA



ERNEST N. MORIAL
MAYOR, CITY OF NEW ORLEANS