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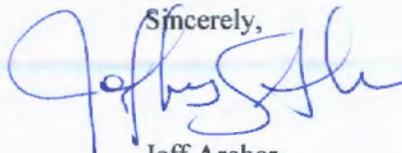
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**Supplemental Letter for FY 2019 Semiannual HUB Report
Agency Number-103**

The Texas Legislative Council (TLC) is committed to the State of Texas Historically Underutilized Business (HUB) Program. In FY18 TLC's total spend was \$8,869,359.21 of which \$2,107,360.58 or 23.76 percent, was spent with HUBs. TLC was recognized in the Fiscal 2018 Annual HUB report as the 17th out of the top 25 agencies spending more than \$5M with largest percentage spend with HUBs for FY18. The council will continue to maximize contract opportunities for HUB vendors in our procurement process. This effort is illustrated by the following activities since September 2018.

- TLC participated as an exhibitor in the 2018 Small, Minority, Women and Veterans Business Owners (SMWVBE) Bexar County Contracting Conference at the Freeman Expos Hall in San Antonio on December 05, 2018.
- TLC participated as an exhibitor in the Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts Statewide HUB Program's 2018 Procurement Connection Seminar and EXPO in Austin on November 2, 2018. The event included a variety of HUB Speakers that offered insight and tips to current and future HUB vendors through panels and workshops.
- TLC attended one HUB Discussion Work Group (HDWG) meetings on February 22, which is composed of state agency HUB coordinators and purchasers who meet periodically to share information and provide proactive feedback to the Texas Procurement and Support Services Division of the CPA.
- As a member of the HUB Legislative Subcommittee for HDWG we tracked and briefed legislative bills pertaining to HUB and procurement initiatives during the current 86th Legislative session.
- To date TLC has spent \$1,078,639.25 (29.90 percent of total purchases of \$3,607,037.75 with HUB vendors in FY-19.

The Texas Legislative Council supports the State of Texas HUB program and will continue to keep HUB participation a priority. Should you have any questions regarding the agency's good faith efforts, please contact our HUB Coordinator, Mr. Craig O'Brien or our CFO, Mr. Mathew Richardson, at (512) 463-1155.

Sincerely,

Jeff Archer