

List of Certification Agencies

The following Certification Agencies represent the most common public agencies recognized by the County of Los Angeles and is not meant to be a comprehensive listing. A “Yes” indicates the agency certifies businesses in the listed category. Please contact the Office of Affirmative Action Compliance (OAAC) to validate if the County has reciprocal certification provisions with other public agencies.

Certification Agency Unit / Program / Address / Telephone Website Address		MBE Minority Business Enterprise	WBE Women Business Enterprise	DBE Disadvantaged Business Enterprise	DVBE Disabled Veterans Business Enterprise	SBE Small Business Enterprise	Local SBE Local Small Business Enterprise
LAC	COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES <u>Office of Affirmative Action Compliance (OAAC)</u> <u>Community Business Enterprise Program (CBE)</u> 500 W. Temple Street, Room 780 Los Angeles, CA 90012 Phone: (213) 974-0912 or 1-877-669-CBES Website: http://oaac.co.la.ca.us/WomMin.html	Yes	Yes				Yes ¹
LACty	CITY OF LOS ANGELES (LACty) <u>BCA Bureau of Contracts Administration</u> <u>MBE/WBE/DBE and DVBE Program</u> 221 North Figueroa Street, Suite 700 Los Angeles, CA 90014 Phone: (213) 580-1382 Website: http://www.lacity.org/BCA/index.htm	Yes	Yes	Yes ² California Unified Certification Program (CUCP)		Yes	
MTA	LA COUNTY METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY <u>MTA Small Business Enterprise Program</u> <u>Metropolitan Transportation Authority</u> <u>Small Business Development & Outreach Unit</u> 1 Gateway Plaza, MS 99-13-5 Los Angeles, CA 90012-2932 Phone: (213) 922-2600 Website: http://www.mta.net/EBB/sbe/sbe_program.htm	Yes	Yes	Yes ² California Unified Certification Program (CUCP)		Yes	
OCTA	Orange County Transportation Authority <u>Contracts Administration</u> <u>Small Business Program</u> 550 S. Main Street Orange, CA 92863-1584 Phone: (714) 560-5657 Website: http://www.octa.net/cammnet/DBEProgram.asp			Yes ² California Unified Certification Program (CUCP)		Yes	

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	County of Orange John Wayne Airport 3160 Airway Avenue Costa Mesa, CA 92626 Phone: (949) 252-5175 Website: certification info not available on website			Yes ² California Unified Certification Program (CUCP)			
CAL TRANS	State of California <u>Civil Rights Program</u> Business Enterprise Program 1823 14 th Street Sacramento, CA 95814 Phone: (916) 324-1700 Toll Free: 1(866)810-6346 Website: http://www.dot.ca.gov/hq/bep/	Yes	Yes	Yes ² California Unified Certification Program (CUCP)			
OSDC	State of California <u>Department of General Services</u> <i>Office of Small Business and DVBE Certification (OSDC)</i> <i>Procurement Divisions</i> 707 Third Street, 2 nd Floor Room 400 West Sacramento, CA 95605 Phone: (800) 559-5529 or (916) 375-4400 Website: http://www.pd.dgs.ca.gov/smbus/default.htm				Yes	Yes ³	
MWD	Metropolitan Water District Of Southern California Business Outreach Program 700 North Alameda Street Los Angeles, CA 90012 Phone: (213) 217-7444 Website: http://www.mwdh2o.gov					Yes ⁴	
SBA	U. S. Small Business Administration Los Angeles District Office <i>California Minority Enterprise Development</i> 330 North Brand Avenue, Suite 1200 Glendale, CA 91203 Phone: (818) 552-3210 Website: http://www.sba.gov/certifications/					Yes	

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DOT- OSDBU	U.S. Department of Transportation <u>Office of Small and Disadvantage Business Utilization (OSDBU)</u> 400 7 th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C., 20590 Phone: (800) 532-1169 OR (202) 366-1930 Website: http://osdbuweb.dot.gov/business/dbe/index.html			Yes			

- 1 = Requires prerequisite certification from the State of California Office of Small Business and DVBE Certification (OSDC) and the principal place of business is located with in the Los Angeles County for at least the previous 12 months.
- 2 = Certifying Agencies under the California Unified Certification Program.
- 3 = Refer to the Office of Small Business and DVBE Certification at (800) 559-5529 or (916) 375-4940 or visit the OSDC website for the most current requirements/information.
- 4 = Businesses may be eligible for agency certification under the U.S. Small Business Administration 8(a) definition as a small business. Please refer to each agency for eligibility.