HSBID RFP: Street Surface Preparation, Pavement Markings, and Installation Services Responses to Submitted Questions

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1. Q: What is the MWBE participation expectation for this RFP, and can firms meet it through subcontracting?

A: As stated in the RFP, we are seeking New York State-certified MWBE firms for the Street Surface Preparation and Installation scope, and proposals submitted by certified MWBEs will be evaluated favorably as part of the scoring criteria.

The Little Sixth Avenue Plaza project carries a 30% MWBE participation goal across the full project, which includes two separate RFPs with different scopes and cost structures. The second RFP is for the plaza furnishings and decking, and can be found at this link on our website:

https://hudsonsquarebid.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/11/Little-6th-Plaza-RFP-Furnishing-Decking-Fabrication-11.10.25.pdf

While we strongly encourage proposals led by certified MWBEs, we will also consider teams that incorporate meaningful MWBE participation through subcontracting and will weight that accordingly in the scoring process.