

NOTICE FOR PUBLIC MEETING

CONSULTATION FOR DBE PROGRAM OPPORTUNITIES

AT THE

BRAINERD LAKES REGIONAL AIRPORT (BRD)

The Brainerd Lakes Regional Airport Commission (**BLRAC**) has established a Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) Program in accordance with regulations of the U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT), 49 CFR Part 26. The **BLRAC** plans to receive Federal financial assistance from the Department of Transportation, and as a condition of receiving this assistance, the **BLRAC** has signed an assurance that it will comply with 49 CFR Part 26.

As part of establishing the upcoming DBE goals for Federal Fiscal Years (FFY) 2025 / 2026 / 2027, a public meeting will be held on **Thursday, September 26, 2024 at 10 AM** at the Brainerd Lakes Regional Airport, 16384 Airport Road, Brainerd, MN 56401 for the purpose of discussing potential opportunities for DBE participation in upcoming projects, gain input, and to answer questions. All interested parties are invited to attend which may include (but not limited to) minority, women's and general contractor groups, community organizations, and other officials or organizations who may have interest or information pertinent to the implementation of the Owner's DBE Program. The meeting is not mandatory for DBE participation on projects at the Brainerd Lakes Regional Airport. **The Airport will provide a virtual meeting invite upon request.**

Questions regarding the meeting or requests for call line shall be directed to:

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