Diversity at Mueller

M/WBE
Participation and Outreach

Mueller Commission January 12, 2016



The Mueller Vision

- Community goals for Mueller include:
 - East Austin revitalization
 - Economic activity and opportunity
 - A diverse and inclusive community
- Drivers for success include high levels of participation by local and M/WBE businesses
- M/WBE business efforts coordinate with overall community diversity efforts



Mueller Master Development Agreement 2004 M/WBE Resolution

Catellus as Master Developer agrees to use good-faith efforts to:

- Encourage and maximize opportunities for M/WBEs in design and construction
- Encourage M/WBE participation as Mueller retail/commercial tenants and investors
- Encourage new employment opportunities for Mueller-area neighbors and that hiring be reflective of community diversity



Catellus Goals

- Strive for maximum participation by M/WBE contractors
- Create conditions for M/WBE investors and tenants to succeed
- Collaborate with employers to enhance diversity at Mueller
- Continue to work with community stakeholders

Mueller Outreach Plan

- Phase I: Contracting
- Phase II: Tenants and Investors
- Phase III: Employment

Objectives as outlined in City Council M/WBE Resolution

Action plan developed by Catellus and its partners with City of Austin oversight.

Master Developer Projects

Catellus acquires land and contracts for:

Infrastructure

- Roads
- Utilities
- Water Quality Ponds
- Residential lots
- Commercial parcels

Parks and amenities

- Trails
- Irrigation
- Park Structures
- Picnic Areas
- Playgrounds



Residential lots & commercial sites are sold to Third Party Developers

Master Developer Policy

Catellus policy for Master Developer projects:

- Contractors must meet specified goals for M/WBE participation OR demonstrate good faith effort
- M/WBE participation plays significant role in evaluation of proposals
- Catellus works with prime contractors to increase M/WBE participation
- Policy includes provisions for monitoring compliance over life of contract

Master Developer Procedures

Catellus Procedures for Master Developer Projects:

- Catellus delivers bid documents to:
 - City of Austin SMBR Department for distribution to city plan room
 - Other area plan rooms:
 - US Hispanic Contractors Association de Austin
 - Austin Black Contractors Association
 - Austin United Metropolitan Black Contractors' Association
 - Asian Construction Trades Association
- Contractors advertise and notify M/WBEs of subcontracting opportunities
- Prime contractors must document good-faith efforts before Catellus will execute contract



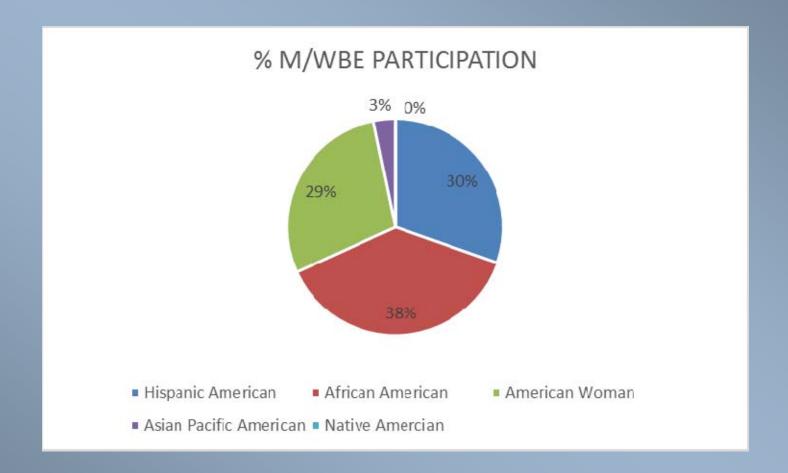
Master Developer Results

Through November 30, 2015

- M/WBE contracts:
 - \$35.177 million 26.53%
- Dollars paid to M/WBEs:
 - \$27.825 million
- Number of M/WBEs:
 - 78 businesses



Master Developer Results



TOTAL Contracts thru 11/30/15: \$27,825,000

Future Contracting:



Infrastructure – approx. 450 acres delivered or under construction

Next residential & commercial phases underway -

Earthwork Utilities

Roads Landscaping

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Third Party Policy

- Other owners contracting projects at Mueller are encouraged to maximize M/WBE participation for example:
 - Homebuilders and Multi-family Developers
 - Institutional users like Seton's Dell Children's Hospital
 - Civic users like AISD Performing Arts Center



 POA manager to demonstrate good-faith effort to contract with M/WBEs for services.

Third Party Procedures

- Private and third-party projects encouraged to comply with Master Development Agreement requirements.
- As a "third-party" vertical developer, Catellus practices:
 - Prime contractors invited to bid based on capabilities and past performance.
 - Bids required to include M/WBE participation percentage; important part of evaluation criteria
 - Contractors have flexibility on how they solicit M/WBEs
 - Direct solicitation, advertising, plan rooms (similar to MDA process)
 - Catellus provides support to help subcontractors get certified
- Catellus "third party" vertical developer projects:
 - Market District development and buildings
 - 28% M/WBE contracts

Tenants and Investors

Small Business Diversity Program

- Marketing and outreach effort focused on local and M/WBE businesses
- Implemented for retail centers
- To be implemented in each retail/commercial development phase



Small Business Diversity Program

- Identifies prime opportunities (locations, sizes, terms) and uses for each phase
- Targets and recruits prospects in community
- Consulting and assistance for prospects
 - Specialist brokers
 - Community resources for business/financial planning
 - M/WBE certification



Small Business Diversity: Retail

- Local / minority-owned businesses locating at Mueller include:
 - Great Nails
 - HCS Salon
 - Central Texas Pediatric Dentistry
 - Yo So Cool
 - Subway
 - Vert's
 - Whole Family Chiropractics
 - Pad Thai
 - Fashionique
 - Dental Smiles
 - Tino's Greek Cafe
 - Xian Sushi
 - Envision Eye Care
 - Four Points Dermatology
 - Torchy's
 - Whole Family Chiropractors
 - Troo Designs
 - Pushstart Creative



Future Opportunities & Marketing plans:

- Continued and expanded outreach to M/WBEs
- MDA requires good-faith efforts to recruit 30% locally owned businesses for Town Center



Small Business Diversity: Homebuilders

- Catellus identified specific home types like Garden Court homes and Custom Homes as prime opportunity to include small local builders sending out more than 100 RFPs
 - Saldana Homes
 - The Muskin Company
 - Wes Peoples Homes
 - Centerra Homes
- Senior Affordable Multi-family RFP included diverse builders
 - DMA Development, LLC an M/WBE was selected
- Process is repeated for new products in future sections

Employment

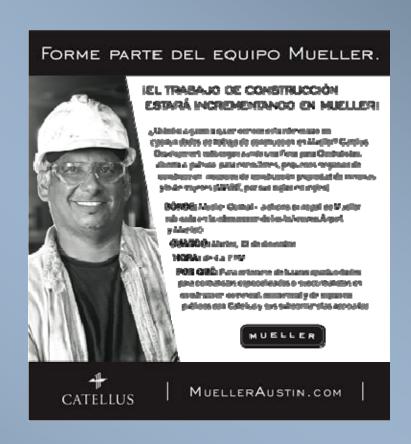
- Catellus aims to attract employers with diverse job offerings to locate at Mueller
 - Over 4,800 people now work at Mueller
- Catellus aims to collaborate with major employers sharing diverse hiring strategies.
 - -- H-E-B created in-store flyersby department to direct prospectsthrough the hiring process



Community Outreach

Outreach efforts encourage diversity of Mueller contractors, business owners, employees and residents through:

- Presentations to community groups
- Participation in community events
- Events hosted by Catellus includes
 Contractor Fair in August 2015
- Direct outreach (one-on-one) with prospects and stakeholders
- Advertising/appearing in minority media
- Presentations to city boards and commissions



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Community Outreach

- Community presentations and participation include:
 - PeopleFund and East Austin Economic Summit
 - BiGAustin
 - Hispanic Chamber of Commerce
 - Asian Chamber of Commerce
 - Austin Independent Business Alliance
 - KAZI-FM NOKOA La Prensa ¡Ahora Sí!
 - Black MBA Network







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