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September 18, 2024

Monroe J. Barnes, Jr., President
MBJ CONSULTANTS, INC.
30 W. 3rd Street, 4th Floor Mezzanine
Cincinnati, OH 45202

Subject: DBE Certification Renewal

Dear Mr. Barnes:

The Kentucky Transportation Cabinet's DBE Certification Committee has determined that **MBJ CONSULTANTS, INC.** continues to meet the eligibility requirements of a minority-owned Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) and remains program-eligible pursuant to 49 CFR Part 26.

MBJ CONSULTANTS, INC. is DBE certified to perform the below NAICS code(s), which include the following item(s) of work:

236210 - Industrial Building Construction;

236220 - Commercial and Institutional Building Construction; and

541611 - Administrative Management and General Management Consulting Services

Absent a finding of regulatory non-compliance, a change in the majority ownership and/or control, or a successful third-party challenge, **this certification will be eligible for review on May 1, 2027.**

In accordance with 49 CFR §26.83(j), this firm will be required to submit an affidavit **annually** by **May 30** to determine whether your firm continues to meet the standards as set forth in 49 CFR Part 26.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Brad Putty".

Brad Putty
DBE Administrative Branch Manager
Small Business Development Branch

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