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To: Troy Schulte, City Manager

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Subject: Analysis of Minority Goals for Small Water Main Construction Projects

Some time ago you asked us to look at the MBE and WBE goals assigned for water construction projects. We met with you in October 2011 and provided a summary of our initial findings.

We performed statistical analyses on 39 small water main construction projects that were assigned MBE/WBE goals in 2010. There were nine prime contractors. We can only conclude that MBE and WBE goals vary. When we looked at the results by prime contractor, we found that the same contractors were assigned lower than average goals for some projects, but were also assigned higher than average goals for other projects.

If you have any questions, please contact Nancy Hunt at 513-3309.