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August 21, 2024

Silvano Ortiz

President
Work Zone Safety, Inc.
17051 Gaylord Road
Crest Hill, IL 60403

Vendor Number: **5012402**

Dear Mr. Silvano Ortiz

The result of our review concludes that **Work Zone Safety, Inc.** is certified as a **Minority Business Enterprise (MBE)** eligible to fulfill **MBE** requirements on Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago (District) contracts. Your firm is certified as of **August 20, 2024**.

It is your firm's obligation to apply for re-certification no later than **September 1, 2026**. Re-certification may be revoked if it is determined that your firm is involved in bidding irregularities, contract fraud or misrepresentation of your firm's MBE, WBE or VBE status.

Your firm will be listed in the online edition of the District's Vendor Directory. The directory is located at mwr.org: Doing Business → Affirmative Action → Affirmative Action Vendor List. Your specialty area will be shown as:

**MARKERS/PLAQUES/TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES
GUARD/SECURITY SERVICES (INCL TRAFFIC CONTROL)
BARRELS/DRUMS**

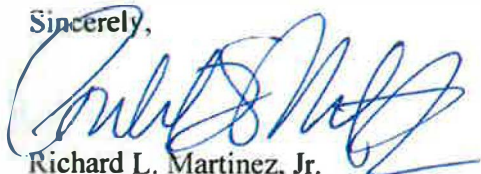
As a certified MBE, WBE or VBE, it is your obligation to promptly notify this office in writing of any changes or circumstances that affect your ability to meet ownership, size requirements and/or control of your firm.

The notice must take the form of a notarized affidavit sworn to by the owner and provided within 30 days of the change. The District reserves the right to commence actions to revoke your firm's certification if this notification is not made.

Illinois law requires that all corporations secure a Certification of Authority from the Illinois Secretary of State prior to doing business in the State.

If you have any questions regarding MBE, WBE or VBE certification or District business opportunities, please contact **Jason Bullock** at **312-751-4038**.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Richard L. Martinez, Jr.", written over a light blue circular stamp.

Richard L. Martinez, Jr.
Acting Diversity Administrator

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