



CITY COUNCIL AGENDA REQUEST

Meeting Type:	Mayor & Council Meeting
Meeting Date:	10/19/2020
Agenda Item:	Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) Program Goals Approval
Department:	Airport
Requested By:	Andrew Wiersma
Reviewed/Approved by City Attorney?	Yes
Cost:	N/A

Funding Source if Not in Budget

Please Provide A Summary of Your Request, Including Background Information to Explain the Request:

The City of Dalton has received Federal financial assistance from the Department of Transportation for the Dalton Municipal Airport, and as a condition of receiving this assistance, the City has signed an assurance that it will comply with 49 CFR Part 26 which requires that the airport submit a Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) program goals document every 3 years. This DBE plan was established for FY2021-2023 by our DBE consulting firm, Taffy Pippin Consulting, LLC, together with Croy Engineering and the Dalton Airport Manager. The document establishes a 5.35%, 3-year DBE goal for DBE company participation in federally funded airport projects. The document also details the methodology for determining the stated goal, as well as other DBE participation guidelines and requirements. This DBE plan document requires approval by the Mayor and Council and will then be submitted to the FAA for subsequent approval. If approved, the plan will go into effect Oct 1, 2021.