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The University of Texas Permian Basin continues to strive to serve the diverse community of Odessa, Texas and the State of Texas by providing contract opportunities and assistance to historically underutilized businesses as well as “new” businesses that strive to become HUB certified.

The following are major activities hosted, sponsored, coordinated and supported by the UTPB HUB program during this reporting period. These involvements serve to expand and strengthen UTPB’s HUB program and outreach efforts. The major objective for our outreach programs is to increase awareness of registered HUB vendors and the goods and services they can offer our campus community.

- Hosting HUB vendor presentations to the UTPB community.
- Partner with the Small Business Development Center to facilitate relationships with new potential HUB vendors to Mentor and Protégé them through the becoming a HUB vendor process.
- Participation in Senator West Spot Bid Fair in Irving, TX.
- Provide information on the importance and requirements of HUB and it’s benefits to the UTPB community in its new users’ trainings.
- Participate in-person at UT System HUB events including the San Antonio SMWVBO and the Houston HMSDC.
- Meet with Commerce Chambers of minority communities in Odessa and Midland, TX to work with more minority owned businesses.

The University of Texas Permian Basin has worked to continually increase HUB spend, and our efforts include a \$10.4 Million contract to a custodial service vendor. The first contract of this value to a HUB for UTPB.

The University of Texas Permian Basin will continue to maintain the HUB program in a priority capacity and put its best efforts forward in providing contracting opportunities for HUB firms.

The University of Texas Permian Basin submits this supplemental letter to provide additional information and background related to its HUB program. Please address inquiries to the Office of Purchasing, 432.552.2792 or email to treto_j@utpb.edu.

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