

HISTORICALLY UNDERUTILIZED BUSINESS (HUB) PROGRAM

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I. General Policy Statement

The Board of Education of Haywood County Consolidated School System recognizes and supports the requirements of Executive Order No. 77, Governor's Program To Encourage Business Enterprises Owned By Minority, Women, And Handicapped Persons, to promote economic opportunities for all North Carolina Citizens without regard to race, gender, or handicap.

II. Regulations and Procedures

To promote economic opportunities for all North Carolina Citizens without regard to race, gender or handicap, schools and support departments will practice procurement procedures as follows:

1. To the extent HUB vendors can be identified, solicitations will be sent to HUB vendors for construction, goods, and services requirements.
2. Copies of State contracts, vendor lists, and other materials which identify goods and services provided by HUB vendors will be distributed to all school principals and system-level directors/supervisors to make all Haywood County School System personnel aware of products and services provided by HUB vendors.

III. Responsibility for HUB Utilization Plan

The Assistant Superintendent for Finance and Auxiliary Services is delegated the responsibility for dissemination of information and for filing reports related to the HUB Utilization Program.