Supplier Diversity and Local Vendors

OUC values supplier diversity and considers it an important and critical tool that enables us to maintain a competitive edge in today’s ever-changing marketplace. To help ensure that qualified suppliers reflect our present and future employee and customer base, OUC shall establish and maintain a process to develop and retain on-going relationships with qualified small, minority, woman, and local businesses and to further their growth and development. OUC shall implement and integrate a measurable Supplier Diversity process into OUC’s purchasing and procurement activities that provides opportunities for qualified small, minority, woman businesses to participate with OUC as suppliers, contractors and subcontractors.

M/WBE spending will be reported to the OUC Commission on an annual basis.