

# DISPARITY STUDY MEETINGS

Montana Department of Transportation (MDT) commissioned BBC Research & Consulting (BBC) to conduct a disparity study to assess whether businesses face barriers when contracting with MDT and Montana's airports and if additional barriers exist for small, minority-owned, or women-owned businesses.

## HOW CAN I GET INVOLVED?

We want to know about your experiences and/or interest in contracting with MDT and Montana airports. Your experiences will help MDT and Montana airports understand specific ways it can improve programs and policies to increase contracting opportunities for small businesses, minority-owned businesses, and woman-owned businesses.

### ATTEND A VIRTUAL DISPARITY STUDY MEETING TO:

- *Learn more about the study*
- *Ask questions about the study*
- *Tell the BBC study team about your experiences*

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WEDNESDAY 12 PM – 1:30 PM

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TUESDAY 9 AM – 10:30 AM

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THURSDAY 5:30 PM - 7 PM

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Your input matters and can impact future contracting processes for MDT and Montana's airports. The information you provide will be collected by BBC and will be confidential and anonymous. If you are not able to attend a virtual meeting, you can also visit our website to keep up-to-date on the progress of the Study and to provide any comments or share experiences: [mdt.mt.gov/pubinvolve/disparity/](http://mdt.mt.gov/pubinvolve/disparity/)

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