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April 12, 2024

Elmer Rhodes, Jr.
President
Cross Rhodes Reprographics, Inc.
30 Eisenhower Lane North
Lombard, IL 60148

Vendor Number: **5014535**

Dear Elmer Rhodes, Jr.:

The result of our review concludes that **Cross Rhodes Reprographics, Inc.** is certified as a **Minority Business Enterprise (MBE) Veteran Business Enterprise (VBE)** eligible to fulfill **Minority Business Enterprise (MBE) Veteran Business Enterprise (VBE)** requirements on Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago (District) contracts. Your firm is certified as of **April 12, 2024**.

It is your firm's obligation to apply for re-certification no later than **May 1, 2026**. Re-certification may be revoked if it is determined that your firm is involved in bidding irregularities, contract fraud or misrepresentation of your firm's MBE, WBE or VBE status.

Your firm will be listed in the online edition of the District's Vendor Directory. The directory is located at mwr.org: Doing Business → Affirmative Action → Affirmative Action Vendor List. Your specialty area will be shown as:

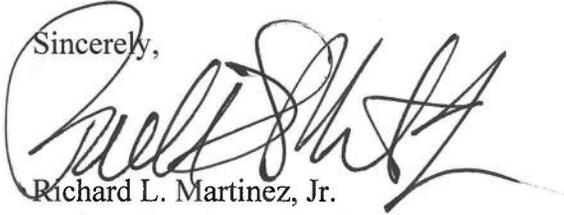
Blueprinting Services; Business Service Centers (Except Private Mail Centers); Providing Range of Office Support Services (Except Printing); Copy Centers(Except Combined with Printing Services); Copy Shops (Except Combined with Printing Services); Document Copying Services (Except Combined with Printing Services); Document Duplicating Services (Except Combined with Printing Services); Photocopying Services (Except Combined with Printing Services); Reprographic Services; Other Business Service Centers (Including Copy Shops)

As a certified MBE, WBE or VBE, it is your obligation to promptly notify this office in writing of any changes or circumstances that affect your ability to meet ownership, size requirements and/or control of your firm. The notice must take the form of a notarized affidavit sworn to by the owner and provided within 30 days of the change. The District reserves the right to commence actions to revoke your firm's certification if this notification is not made.

Illinois law requires that all corporations secure a Certification of Authority from the Illinois Secretary of State prior to doing business in the State.

If you have any questions regarding MBE, WBE or VBE certification or District business opportunities, please contact Jason Bullock, Diversity Officer at 312-751-4038.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Richard L. Martinez, Jr.", written in a cursive style.

Richard L. Martinez, Jr.
Acting Diversity Administrator

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