

CALIFORNIA UNIFIED CERTIFICATION PROGRAM (CUCP)



December 15, 2009

Ms. America Tang
APW Construction, Inc.
dba Ace Fence Company
727 N. Glendora Avenue
La Puente, CA 91744

Expires 12/15/2014

**RE: DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (DBE)
CERTIFICATION APPROVAL File No. - 642**

Dear Ms. Tang:

We are pleased to advise you that after careful review of your application and supporting documentation, the City of Los Angeles has determined that your firm meets the eligibility standards to be certified as a **Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE)** as required under the U.S. Department of Transportation (U.S. DOT) Regulation 49 CFR Part 26, as amended.

Your firm will be listed in the California Unified Certification Program (CUCP) database of certified DBEs and the City of Los Angeles DBE/MBE/WBE directory under the following specific area of expertise that you have identified on the business service form for contracting opportunities:

<u>NAICS Code</u>	<u>Description</u>
238990	All Other Specialty Trade Contractors

Your DBE certification is good for five years from the date of this letter and applies only for the above codes. You may review your firm's information in the CUCP DBE database which can be accessed at the California Department of Transportation's website at www.dot.ca.gov/hq/bep/ and the City of Los Angeles DBE/MBE/WBE database at <http://bca.lacity.org>. Any additions and revisions must be submitted to the City of Los Angeles for review and approval.

After the five-year certification period, your entire file will be reviewed in order to ascertain continued DBE certification status. You will be notified of the pending DBE status review and any documentation update necessary prior to the expiration date.

The Regulations also require annual updates during this five-year period. In order to assure continuing DBE status, you must submit annually a DBE Declaration with supporting documentation, in the format, which will be sent to you. Based on your annual submission that no change in ownership and control has occurred, or if changes have occurred, they do not affect your firm's DBE standing, the DBE certification of your firm will continue until the five-year certification has expired.

Also, should any changes occur that could affect your certification status prior to receipt of the DBE Declaration, such as changes in your firm's name, business/ mailing address, ownership, management, or control, or failure to meet the applicable business size standards or personal net worth standard, please notify us immediately. DBE certification is subject to review at any time. Failure to submit forms and/or change of information will be deemed as failure to cooperate under Section 26.109 of the Regulations.

Your DBE certification status will be honored by all of the U.S. DOT recipients in California.

Congratulations, and thank you for your interest in the California Unified Certification Program (CUCP). We wish you every business success and look forward to hearing from you if we may be of any assistance to you in this regard.

Should you have any questions, please contact Kim Fitzpatrick at (213) 847-2644 or e-mail at kim.fitzpatrick@lacity.org.

Sincerely,



HELMUT PEINDL, Certification Manager
Office of Contract Compliance
Bureau of Contract Administration

CALIFORNIA UNIFIED CERTIFICATION PROGRAM DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS ENTERPRISE CERTIFICATE

ACE FENCE COMPANY

727 N. GLENDORA AVENUE,
LA PUENTE, CA 91744

Owner: AMERICA TANG

Business Structure: CORPORATION

This certificate acknowledges that said firm is approved by the California Unified Certification Program (CUCP) as a Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) as defined by the U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) CFR 49 Part 26, as may be amended, for the following NAICS codes:

NAICS Code(s) * Indicates primary NAICS code

* 238990 All Other Specialty Trade Contractors

Work Category Code(s)

C0680 FENCING

Licenses

A General Engineering Contractor

B General Building Contractor

C13 Fencing Contractor

CERTIFYING AGENCY:

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