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**COMMITMENT**

Prairie View A&M University continues our commitment in soliciting and promoting participation of certified minority and woman-owned businesses through the Historically Underutilized Businesses (HUB) Program of the State of Texas in the procurement of goods and/or services. The Vice President for Business Affairs and the PVAMU HUB Office is committed to HUB Diversity and will aggressively work towards expanding HUB contract opportunities with certified minority vendors.

PVAMU's FY 2013 Campuswide HUB goal is 36%.

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