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## Workshop to offer businesses training for city, airport contracts

Lambert's Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) Program Office is sponsoring a Certification Workshop March 4, 2009, 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. at the Airport's DBE Program Office in the Airport Office Building, 11495 Navaid Road, Bridgeton, MO, 63044.

The certification workshop is sponsored by Lambert's DBE Program Office to ensure that M/W/DBE's have the opportunity to participate in airport and City of St. Louis contracts.

The workshop will offer small minority and women owned businesses information about the M/W/DBE Program and details about the certification process. A DBE designation is a small business that is at least 51 percent owned by one or more socially and economically disadvantaged individuals. Socially and economically disadvantaged individuals are those citizens of the United States who are Black American, Hispanic American, Native American, Asian-Pacific American, Asian-Indian American, women or any other disadvantaged group or individuals disadvantaged by the Small Business Administration.

Seating is limited and you must register in advance to attend the workshop. For more information, visit [www.mwdbe.org](http://www.mwdbe.org) or contact the DBE Program Office at 314-551-5000.

Three additional DBE Certification Workshops are scheduled in 2009: June 10, September 9, and December 9; from 11 am to 1 p.m.; Metro Headquarters Building, 707 North First Street, St. Louis Missouri 63102.

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