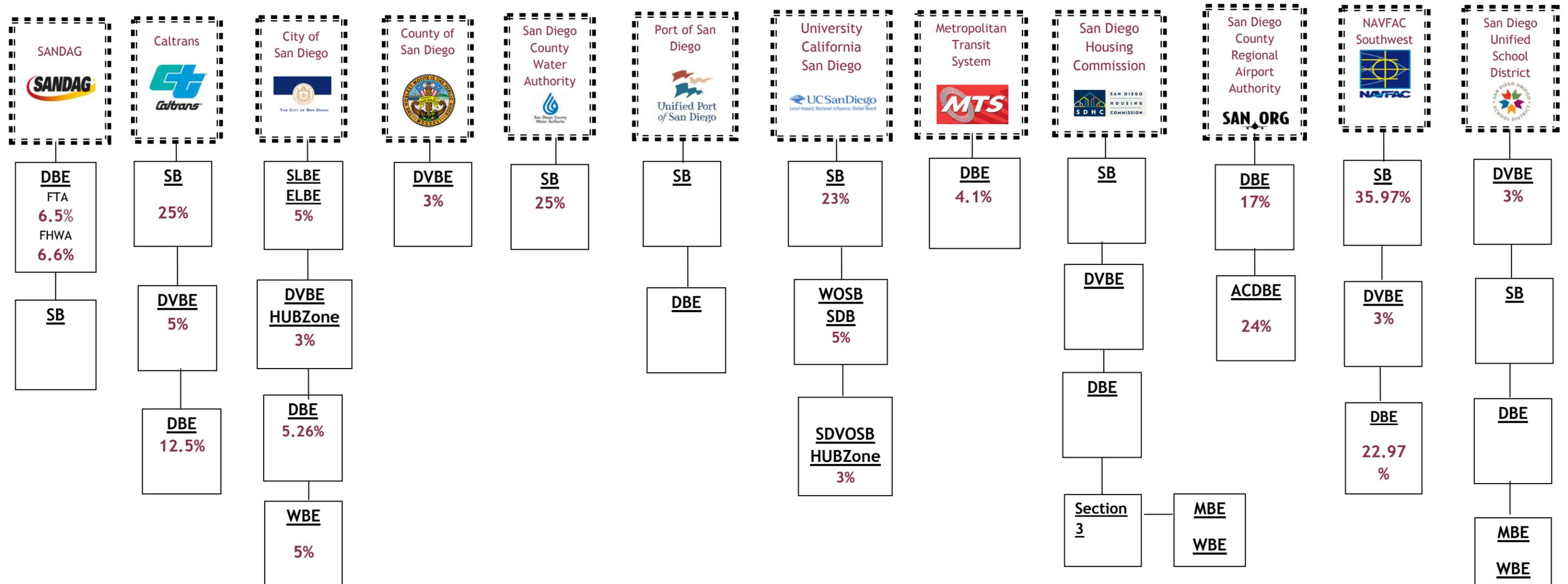


# PUBLIC AGENCY CONSORTIUM - SMALL BUSINESS CERTIFICATIONS AND GOALS



## CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

- SB - Small Business - Gross receipts averaging \$14 million or less annually in prior 3 years - (or, a manufacturer with 100 or less employees) - Independently owned/operated - Principal office is located in California and owners are domiciled in California - Not dominant in its field of operations.
- DVBE - Disabled Veteran's Business Enterprise - 51% ownership by U.S. military veterans - The veteran's service-connected disability must be rated at least 10% or higher and must be domiciled in California - Daily business operations are managed and controlled by the disabled veteran/s.
- DBE - Disadvantaged Business Enterprise - 51% ownership by socially or economically disadvantaged individuals - Gross receipts averaging \$22.41 million or less annually in the prior 3 years. - Personal net worth of owner is less than \$750,000 (excluding residence).
- MBE/WBE - Minority/Women Business Enterprise - 51% owned and controlled by a Minority (ies) - Be a for-profit business - Have a location in California - Performs work related to transportation construction, maintenance or design.
- HUBZone - 51% US Citizen who owns any legal or equity in the company - Principal office must be in the HUBZone - 35% of Employees must reside in the HUBZone.
- SLBE - Small Local Business Enterprise - A Local Business Enterprise that is also a Small Business Enterprise.
- ELBE - Emerging Local Business Enterprise - Any for-profit enterprise that is not a broker, that is independently owned and operated; that is not a subsidiary of another business.
- Section 3 Business - 51% or more owned by Section 3 Residents (low and very low-income); a business that employees 30% of Section 3 Residents; a business that subcontracts 25% of the award to business concerns that meet Section 3 qualifications.
- SDCWA-SB - San Diego County Water Authority Small Business
- Federal 8a - Developed by the SBA to help socially and economically disadvantaged persons develop their business.
- ACDBE - Airport Concession Disadvantaged Business Enterprise - A concession that is a for-profit small business that is at least 51% owned by one or more individuals who are both socially & economically disadvantaged.
- WOSB - Women Owned Small Business - 51% owned and controlled by one or more women, and primarily managed by one or more women.
- SDB - Small Disadvantaged Business - A small business that is 51% owned by one or more individuals who are both socially and economically disadvantaged.
- SDVOSB - Service Disabled Veteran Owned Small Business - 51% owned and controlled by Veteran(s) or service-disabled Veteran(s) and that the business meets Federal small business size standards.
- FHWA - Federal Highway Administration
- FTA - Federal Transit Administration