

Small Business Impact Statement

EFFECTIVE DATE OF REGULATION:

Upon filing with the Nevada Secretary of State

1. **Background:**

The purpose of this regulation is to describe the Public-Private Partnership procurement process, pursuant to NRS 338.1587 to 338.1588, inclusive, by which the Department will process requests for preliminary proposals and requests for final proposals to select a best value proposer.

2. **Description of Solicitation:**

NDOT solicited impact statements from small businesses that are associated with industries familiar with NDOT's projects via email to determine whether the regulation would likely impose a direct and significant economic burden upon a small business or directly restrict the formation, operation, or expansion of a small business.

The proposed regulation was also brought before NDOT's January 12, 2026, Board of Directors (BOD) meeting as an action item to allow NDOT to move forward with the permanent regulation process as set forth in the Administrative Rulemaking guide. The Board meeting provided the public with two (2) opportunities to comment on the proposed regulation; no comments were received or made by the public. The Board unanimously approved the action item.

3. **Does the proposed regulation impose a direct and significant economic burden upon a small business or directly restrict the formation, operation, or expansion of a small business? (NRS 233B.0608(1))**

No, the proposed regulation does not impose a direct or significant economic burden on small business and does not directly restrict the formation, operation, or expansion of a small business.

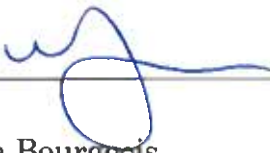
4. **How was that conclusion reached?**

Determinations were reached through discussions with stakeholders, responses to the impact statement email solicitation, internal analysis conducted by subject matter experts, analysis conducted by a consultant, and from the public BOD meeting that resulted in no comments being received from the public.

I, Maya Bourgeois, Chief of Administrative Services, certify that, to the best of my knowledge or belief, a concerted effort was made to determine the

impact of the proposed regulation on small business, and that the information contained in the statement above is accurate. (NRS 233B.0608(3))

Dated: 2/2/2026

Signature: _____

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Agency: Nevada Department of Transportation