CONSOLIDATED CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS
COUNTY OF MARION
STATE OF INDIANA

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 5, 2008

ESTABLISHMENT OF VETERAN-OWNED BUSINESS ENTERPRISE PROCUREMENT PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the City honors the service of all veterans, and the City should provide additional opportunities for veteran-owned businesses (VBE) by establishing a procurement initiative for such businesses.

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the authority vested in me as the Mayor of the City of Indianapolis and successor-in-interest to the Board of Commissioners of Marion County, Indiana, it is hereby ordered as follows:

1. It is the goal of the City to achieve utilization of VBEs of not less than three percent (3%).

2. Within sixty (60) days of the date of this Executive Order, the Director of Minority and Women Business Enterprise Development shall deliver to the Mayor a plan to implement this Executive Order promptly and effectively. The implementation plan shall detail how the program will be supported, and it shall reflect the Director's best efforts to leverage existing resources and procedures supporting other procurement preferences.

3. The Director shall report to the Mayor on the progress of this program in a manner consistent with reporting on other procurement preferences offered by the City.

DATED this 12th day of June, 2008.

CONSOLIDATED CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS
AND MARION COUNTY, INDIANA

By: Gregory A. Ballard
Gregory A. Ballard, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY:

By: _____
Chris W. Cotterill, Corporation Counsel