

## **Insurance Commissioner Quotes**

“As our nation becomes ever more diverse, it is important that insurance business practices such as procurement and governance reflect this changing reality. This survey helps raise awareness of the valuable opportunities and real benefits offered by increasing diversity in the insurance industry.”

~ **Minnesota Commerce Commissioner Mike Rothman**

“In Oregon, we value diversity and have a reputation for prioritizing inclusion in our workforce. We want to support and enhance diversity in our workforce and in our business community with the information we gather from the survey. It just makes good business sense to encourage transparency and inclusion among Oregon insurers and the public they serve.”

~ **Oregon Insurance Commissioner Laura Cali**

“We are pleased with the results of the survey and hope it will serve as a guide to increasing opportunities within the industry. Washington shares the values of other states in boosting procurement from diverse suppliers. We also want to make sure that governing boards for insurers truly reflect all of the individuals and organizations they serve.”

~ **Washington state Insurance Commissioner Mike Kreidler**

“The District of Columbia joined this effort to help expand procurement prospects within the insurance industry for businesses owned by minorities, women, disabled veterans and members of the LGBTQ community. Creating economic opportunity is a core priority of Mayor Muriel Bowser Administration and the results of this survey will help increase the insurance market in the District of Columbia.”

~ **District of Columbia Commissioner Stephen Taylor**