

## **ASI STANDS ALONE AS A DIVERSITY SUPPLIER**

*ASI earns certification with the WBENC and the CA Public Utility Commission*

**(Philadelphia, PA)** - AmeraCash Solutions Inc. (ASI) recently received certification from the California Public Utility Commission (CA PUC) providing authorization for working with the state's major utilities through 2011. ASI has also been certified as an approved diversified vendor through the Women's Business Enterprise National Council (WBENC).



"It is an honor to be recognized by two organizations with such high certification standards," said Joe Heller, ASI CEO. "We at ASI look forward to working with businesses associated with the WBENC and CAPUC to further our technology advancements and participate in opportunities for diversified companies."

The CA PUC's diversified certification program monitors supplier diversity in the procurement practices of utilities and other related areas. It also oversees a clearinghouse of women, minority and disabled veteran-owned business enterprises.

The WBENC is a third-party certifier of businesses owned and operated by women nationwide to provide a uniform standard of certification for diversified businesses. WBENC provides a rigorous certification process that includes a thorough notarized affidavit, client interviews, and onsite inspections.



WBENC certification is accepted by major corporations, as well as government entities at the state, local and federal levels. It was developed to foster diversity in the world of commerce with programs and policies designed to expand opportunities and eliminate barriers in the marketplace for women business owners.

Both the WBENC and the CA PUC certification help corporations meet state and federal diversity regulations. WBENC and CA PUC maintain databases of all certified company contact information.

ASI is the only certified diversified supplier in the payment processing industry working with utilities and corporations to provide walk-in bill and online, and IVR bill payment processing. ASI also processes international bill payment transactions through its retail agent network.

### **About ASI**

Ameracash Solutions, Inc. (ASI), a certified diverse supplier, works with major utilities, municipalities, retailers and businesses to provide creative technology driven alternative financial solutions in a variety of environments. ASI provides walk-in, online, IVR and credit card payment technologies, as well as bill payment on multiple technology platforms including the industry leading PC based VPay® software, POS terminals, and web portals. ASI incorporates a retail network to serve the un-banked and under-banked consumer with real-time processing of transaction data. ASI and an independent commercial bank guarantees all payments made through its retail agent network. ASI is a Pennsylvania-based company. For more information on ASI and their services, please visit [www.ameracash.com](http://www.ameracash.com).