

March 30, 2000

Financial Affairs
Richard H. Hinds, Chief Financial Officer

SUBJECT: BALANCE OF AWARD OF BID #118-ZZ03 – FOOD ITEMS: FROZEN AND REFRIGERATED

The purpose of this bid, opened on January 11, 2000, is to establish a contract, to purchase, at firm unit prices, quantities, as may be required, of frozen and refrigerated food items, for use in the Food Service Program of the Department of Food and Nutrition. This is a term bid which states that the Board may purchase quantities, as may be required, at the unit price bid, but is not obligated to purchase any guaranteed amount. Of 216 vendors sent bid forms or card notices of this advertised bid, 69 responded, with 47 bids meeting specifications, (includes 12 bids meeting individual item specifications, but not all item specifications; not all vendors bid all items) and 22 no bids.

Inasmuch as no bids meeting specifications were received for Item 49 – Table style corn tortilla, Item 97 – Cheese calzone, and Item 107 – Margarine, it is recommended that all bids received for these items be rejected. Specifications may be revised, and these items may be purchased, as the need arises, pursuant to Board Rule 6Gx13- 3C-1.10 -- Purchase Approval.

Items 1 through 10, 14, 16, 18, 19, 21 through 30, 31A through 40, 43, 46 through 48, 50 through 58, 60 through 83, 85 through 96, 98 through 106, 109, 110, 112, 113, 115, 116, 117, 119 through 123, 125 through 131, and 133 through 135 were awarded by the Board on February 9, 2000, for an estimated expenditure amount of \$14,592,563.65.

Fund Source
0410-Food Service

M/WBE Eligibility
None

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, **AWARD** Bid #118-ZZ03 – FOOD ITEMS: FROZEN AND REFRIGERATED, to purchase, at firm unit prices, quantities, as may be required, of frozen and refrigerated food items, for use in the Food Service Program of the Department of Food and Nutrition, during the term of the bid, effective April 12, 2000, through February 8, 2001, as follows:

REPLACEMENT

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1. G. R. ENTERPRISES
6742 N.W. 80 MANOR
PARKLAND, FL 33067 ESTIMATE \$348,075
OWNER: ROBERT MAYERSOHN, PRESIDENT

Low Unit Price Meeting Specifications: Item 13 – Egg roll @ \$15 per case (\$.30 per portion).

2. INSTITUTIONAL FOOD BROKERS OF FLORIDA, INC.
5116 EAST FOWLER AVENUE
TAMPA, FL 33617 ESTIMATE \$16,874
OWNER: JOE RACKOCY, PRESIDENT
GEORGE PRYBIS, VICE PRESIDENT

Low Unit Price Meeting Specifications: Item 84 – Burrito, 100% real cheese @ \$30.68 per case (\$.4146 per serving).

3. J.D.F. FOOD SPECIALIST MARKETING
12108 NORTH 56 STREET, SUITE C
TEMPLE TERRACE, FL 33617 ESTIMATE \$109,692
OWNER: JAMES DEFRANCESCO, PRESIDENT

Low Unit Price Meeting Specifications: Item 12 – Burrito, chicken and bean @ \$16.62 per case (\$.2770 per portion).

4. SCHOOL FOOD SERVICES SYSTEMS
501 N.E. 183 STREET
MIAMI, FL 33179 ESTIMATE \$528,148.88
OWNER: STEPHEN GREENE, PRESIDENT

Low Unit Price: Item 59.

Low Unit Price Meeting Specifications: Items 11, 114 and 118.

Item 11 – Burrito, beef and bean @ \$16.63 per case (\$.2770 per portion).

Item 59 – Plantain, sweet @ \$18.88 per case (\$.7866 per pound).

Item 114 – Breaded chicken wings @ \$24 per case
(\$.5853 per serving).

Item 118 – Apple and cinnamon biscuit @ \$29.55 per
case.

5. Reject Items 49, 97 and 107.

Item 49 – Table style corn tortilla.

Item 97 – Cheese calzone.

Item 107 – Margarine.

6. Authorize the Bureau of Procurement and Materials Management to purchase up to the total estimated amount of \$1,002,789.88. The award shall be made subject to the resolution of bid protests, if any.

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