

Financial Affairs  
Richard H. Hinds, Chief Financial Officer

**SUBJECT: REJECT BID NO. 210-AA09 – RENTAL OF PORTABLE SANITATION UNITS**

The purpose of this bid, opened on July 17, 2001, was to establish a contract, to purchase, at firm unit prices, quantities, as may be required, of rental of portable sanitation units, for various schools and departments. This was 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 17 vendors sent bid forms or card notices of this advertised bid, 1 responded, with 1 bid meeting specifications.

Inasmuch as all bids received for Item 1 - Single seat unit, A - Rental rate per day, B - Rental rate per week, C - Rental rate per month, Item 2 - Double seat unit, A - Rental rate per day, B - Rental rate per week, C - Rental rate per month, Item 3 - Rental of air-conditioned sanitation unit trailer with two half baths, per day, Item 4 - Rental of air-conditioned sanitation unit trailer, Item 5 - Rental of air-conditioned sanitation unit trailer, Item 6 - Rental of portable sanitation handicapped unit, A - Rental rate per day, B - Rental rate per week, C - Rental rate per month, and Item 7 - Holding tank, are considered excessive under current market conditions, the recommendation reflects that all bids received for these items be rejected. Competitive prices will be solicited for these items, as the need arises, pursuant to Board Rule 6Gx13- 3C-1.111 -- Bidding Process -- Competitive Bidding Requirements, which describes the procedures and guidelines to be used for bidding based on the estimated dollar expenditure.

Fund Source  
0100 - General

M/WBE Eligibility  
None

**RECOMMENDED:** That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, **REJECT** Bid No. 210-AA09 – RENTAL OF PORTABLE SANITATION UNITS.

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