

Office of Superintendent of Schools
Board Meeting of March 17, 2004

March 3, 2004

Financial Affairs
Edward Marquez, Chief Financial Officer

SUBJECT: REJECT BID NO. 046-DD03 -- STORAGE AND DELIVERY OF DRY, FROZEN AND REFRIGERATED COMMODITIES

COMMITTEE: BUSINESS AND FINANCIAL SERVICES

The purpose of this bid, opened on January 22, 2004, was to establish a contract, to purchase, at firm unit prices, quantities, as may be required, of storage and delivery of dry, frozen and refrigerated commodities, for the Department of Food and Nutrition. Of 9 vendors sent bid forms or card notices of this advertised bid, 3 responded, with 3 regular bids.

Inasmuch as the specifications and the method of award need to be revised, it is recommended that all bids 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 procedures and guidelines to be used for bidding based on the estimated dollar expenditure.

Fund Source
0410 - Food Service

M/WBE Eligibility
None

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, **REJECT** Bid No. 046-DD03 – STORAGE AND DELIVERY OF DRY, FROZEN AND REFRIGERATED COMMODITIES, to permit rebidding, using revised specifications.

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