

Financial Services
Richard H. Hinds, Chief Financial Officer

SUBJECT: REQUEST AUTHORIZATION TO ENTER INTO CONTRACTUAL SERVICES AGREEMENTS BETWEEN THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, AND AMIkids MIAMI-DADE, CUBAN AMERICAN NATIONAL COUNCIL, INC.; AND RICHMOND-PERRINE OPTIMIST CLUB, INC. OF MIAMI, FLORIDA, PURSUANT TO REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS NO. 044-KK10 – OUTSIDE AGENCIES QUALIFIED TO OPERATE ALTERNATIVE PROGRAMS FOR MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS AT-RISK STUDENTS

COMMITTEE: INSTRUCTIONAL EXCELLENCE & COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

LINK TO STRATEGIC FRAMEWORK: IMPROVE AND EXPAND STUDENT SERVICES

Request For Proposals No. 044-KK10 – OUTSIDE AGENCIES QUALIFIED TO OPERATE ALTERNATIVE PROGRAMS FOR MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS AT-RISK STUDENTS, is to provide services to at-risk and/or adjudicated school-age youth, in grades 6-12, within Miami-Dade County, Florida, for the Educational Alternative Outreach Program (EAOP)/School Operations. The agencies will provide educational services to at-risk and adjudicated school-age youth, in grades 6-12, in multiple settings. The services may include: improve student achievement, improve attendance, increase graduation rate, reduce dropout rate, and provide personal, social and career-development skills. This is a term proposal. Four (4) vendors responded to this advertised solicitation.

A meeting of the Selection Committee to evaluate the proposals was held on May 26, 2010. Three responsive proposals were presented for consideration: AMIkids; Cuban American National Council, Inc.; and Richmond-Perrine Optimist Club, Inc. of Miami, Florida. The proposal received from Innovative Educational Programs, LLC was deemed non-responsive. After considerable discussion, the Committee unanimously recommended that three (3) agencies be considered for award.

The contracted amounts to be awarded to each agency are based on the 2010-2011 revenue per FTE allocation and include summer school. These figures are subject to change, if state revenues are prorated, and contracts will be adjusted accordingly, if necessary. The District funds the contracts at 95% of the basic FTE based on actual student attendance.

Fund Source
0100 - General

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, **AUTHORIZE** the Superintendent of Schools, to enter into contractual services agreements between The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, and AMIkids Miami-Dade; Cuban American National Council, Inc.; and Richmond-Perrine Optimist Club, Inc. of Miami, Florida, pursuant to Request For Proposals No. 044-KK10 – OUTSIDE AGENCIES QUALIFIED TO OPERATE ALTERNATIVE PROGRAMS FOR MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS AT-RISK STUDENTS, to provide services to at-risk and/or adjudicated school-age youth, in grades 6-12, within Miami-Dade County, Florida, for the Educational Alternative Outreach Program (EAOP)/School Operations, during the term of the proposal, effective August 4, 2010, through July 31, 2011, as follows:

1. AMIkids MIAMI DADE
1820 ARTHUR LAMB ROAD
MIAMI BEACH, FL 33149 ESTIMATE \$947,275
JOSEPH KING, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Alternative Education Program for approximately 157 students.

2. CUBAN AMERICAN NATIONAL COUNCIL, INC.
D.B.A. CNC
1223 S.W. 4 STREET
MIAMI, FL 33135-2407 ESTIMATE \$1,381,103
GUARIONE M. DIAZ, PRESIDENT

Alternative Education Program for approximately 385 students.

3. RICHMOND-PERRINE OPTIMIST CLUB, INC. OF MIAMI,
FLORIDA
18055 HOMESTEAD AVENUE
MIAMI, FL 33157 ESTIMATE \$466,346
DENNIS C. MOSS, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Alternative Education Program for approximately 130 students.

4. Authorize Procurement Management Services to purchase up to the approximate amount of \$2,794,724.

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COMMITTEE MEMBERS

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Mr. Antonio Martinez, District Director
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Mr. Tarek Chebbi, Director
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Ms. Angelica Yanez, Curriculum Support Specialist
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Mr. Miguel Torres, Principal
Educational Alternative Outreach Program

Mr. Lorenzo Ladaga, Retired Principal
Communities In Schools of Miami, Inc.

Mr. Jon Goodman, Audit Director
Office of Management and Compliance Audits (Non-voting)

Ms. Joanne Koski Executive Director
Procurement Management Services (Non-voting)