

Financial Services  
Richard H. Hinds, Chief Financial Officer

**SUBJECT: AWARD BID NO. 058-LL08 – MAINTENANCE OF SEAWATER AQUARIUM SYSTEMS**

**COMMITTEE: INNOVATION, EFFICIENCY & GOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS**

**LINK TO STRATEGIC FRAMEWORK: FINANCIAL EFFICIENCY/STABILITY**

The purpose of this bid is for the upkeep, repair and maintenance of the seawater aquarium system, located at the Marjory Stoneman Douglas Biscayne Nature Center, Inc., Key Biscayne, Florida, for the Division of Mathematics, Science, and Advanced Academic Programs. This is a term bid which states that the Board may purchase quantities, as may be required, but is not obligated to purchase any guaranteed amount. One (1) vendor responded to this advertised solicitation.

Compared to the previous contract, this bid reflects an estimated savings of \$8,938.90.

Fund Source  
0100 – General

**RECOMMENDED:** That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, **AWARD** Bid No. 058-LL08 – MAINTENANCE OF SEAWATER AQUARIUM SYSTEMS, for the upkeep, repair and maintenance of the seawater aquarium system, located at the Marjory Stoneman Douglas Biscayne Nature Center, Inc., Key Biscayne, Florida, for the Division of Mathematics, Science, and Advanced Academic Programs, during the term of the bid, effective October 19, 2011, through June 30, 2013, as follows:

1. CAPO CONSULTING, INC.  
798 CRANDON BLVD., SUITE 37  
KEY BISCAYNE, FL 33149  
OWNER: THOMAS R. CAPO, PRESIDENT

Item 1 - Maintenance of aquariums @ \$42,000 per year.

2. Authorize Procurement Management Services to purchase up to the total estimated amount of \$84,000.

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