

Financial Services
Mr. Ron Y. Steiger, Chief Financial Officer

SUBJECT: REJECT INVITATION TO BID NO. ITB-19-046-EA – ELECTRICAL INSTALLATION FOR THE LEARN TO SWIM PROGRAM

COMMITTEE: FISCAL ACCOUNTABILITY & GOVERNMENT RELATIONS

LINK TO STRATEGIC BLUEPRINT: EFFECTIVE AND SUSTAINABLE BUSINESS PRACTICES

This item requests the School Board's approval of the bid rejection(s) identified below:

INVITATION TO BID NO. ITB-19-046-EA – ELECTRICAL INSTALLATION FOR THE LEARN TO SWIM PROGRAM was released to establish a contract, at firm fixed prices for electrical installations and related work, for the Learn to Swim Program per school. This program provides swimming services to students in elementary schools and K- 8 centers. Strategies were employed to increase SBE/MBE (Small/Micro Business Enterprise) participation. The Goal Setting Committee assigned this ITB to be a sheltered market for MBE/SBE. The District received three (3) responses, whereby none of the vendors were MBE/SBE certified. As a result, this Bid is recommended for rejection and for re-release with a revised goal to increase vendor participation.

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, reject Invitation To Bid No. ITB-19-046-EA – Electrical Installation For The Learn To Swim Program, to permit rebidding.

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