

Financial Affairs
Richard H. Hinds, Chief Financial Officer

SUBJECT: AWARD BID #173-ZZ01M/WBE – FURNITURE

The purpose of this bid, opened on July 6, 2000, is to establish a contract, to purchase, at firm unit prices, quantities, as may be required, of furniture, for various locations. This is 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. This bid is a Minority/Women Business Enterprise (M/WBE) set-aside for African American/Women-owned and operated businesses. Of 41 vendors sent bid forms or card notices of this advertised bid, 6 responded, with 5 bids meeting specifications (includes 1 bid meeting individual item specifications, but not all item specifications; not all vendors bid all items) and 1 no bid.

Fund Source
0100 – General

M/WBE Eligibility
Hispanic Female - \$160,231.78
Female - \$202,695.80

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, **AWARD Bid #173-ZZ01M/WBE – FURNITURE**, to purchase, at firm unit prices, quantities, as may be required, of furniture, for various locations, during the term of the bid, effective August 23, 2000, through August 22, 2001, as follows:

1. AFP INDUSTRIES, INC.
4436 S.W. 74 AVENUE
MIAMI, FL 33155 ESTIMATE \$129,679.78
OWNER: VIVIAN C. CASTELLANOS, PRESIDENT (HF)

Low Unit Price: Items 1, 3, 5, and 9 through 15.

- Item 1 – Table, oak @ \$118 each.
- Item 3 – Chair, oak @ \$67.28 each.
- Item 5 – Stool, oak @ \$41.33 each.
- Item 9 – Stool, oak @ \$44.28 each.
- Item 10 – Stool, oak @ \$41.83 each.

Item 11 - Stool, oak @ \$40.83 each.
Item 12 - Stool, steel @ \$47.58 each.
Item 13 - Stool, steel @ \$46.68 each.
Item 14 - Rocker, oak @ \$156.28 each.
Item 15 - Rocker, oak @ \$147.28 each.

2. EMF ENTERPRISES
P.O. BOX 650104
MIAMI, FL 33265 ESTIMATE \$30,552
OWNER: ELIZABETH M. FERNANDEZ (HF)

Low Unit Price: Item 7.
Low Unit Price Meeting Specifications: Item 2.

Item 2 - Desk, open front @ \$109.10 each.
Item 7 - Tote tray @ \$5.24 each.

3. SECO SUPPLIES, INC.
P.O. BOX 490983
KEY BISCAYNE, FL 33149 ESTIMATE \$202,695.80
OWNER: SYBIL J. PULVER, PRESIDENT (WF)

Low Unit Price: Items 4, 6, 8, and 16 through 18.

Item 4 - Chair, oak @ \$70.20 each.
Item 6 - Stool, oak @ \$42.30 each.
Item 8 - Book displayer @ \$452 each.
Item 16 - Lectern @ \$126.50 each.
Item 17 - Lectern @ \$124.50 each.
Item 18 - Lectern @ \$101.80 each.

4. Authorize the Bureau of Procurement and Materials Management to purchase up to the total estimated amount of \$362,927.58. The award shall be made subject to the resolution of bid protests, if any.

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