

May 9, 2002

Financial Affairs
Richard H. Hinds, Chief Financial Officer

SUBJECT: AWARD BID NO. 079-BB05 – FM, DTV TRANSMITTERS, SYSTEMS EQUIPMENT, FURNISH AND INSTALL (TURNKEY)

The purpose of this bid, opened on April 30, 2002, is to establish a contract, to furnish and install, FM and DTV transmitters, and all systems equipment, including all necessary labor, material and equipment, for the Anna Brenner Meyers Educational WLRN Channel 17 transmission tower. Of 4 vendors sent bid forms or card notices of this advertised bid, 1 responded with 1 bid meeting specifications.

In situations where only one bid was received, the Board has requested additional information. Vendors were contacted and responded with the following reasons for not bidding:

1. Our company does not handle this type of product/service. (1)
2. Our company is simply not interested in bidding at this time. (1)

Fund Source
Various

M/WBE Eligibility
None

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, **AWARD BID NO. 079-BB05 – FM, DTV TRANSMITTERS, SYSTEMS EQUIPMENT, FURNISH AND INSTALL (TURNKEY)**, to furnish and install, FM and DTV transmitters, and all systems equipment, including all necessary labor, material and equipment, for the Anna Brenner Meyers Educational WLRN Channel 17 transmission tower, effective May 15, 2002, as follows:

REPLACEMENT

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1. HARRIS CORPORATION
4393 DIGITAL WAY
MASON, OH 45040 \$2,389,827
OWNER: PHILLIP W. FARMER, CHAIRMAN/C.E.O

Total Low Bid: All Items.

- Group A – UHF transmitter system @ \$867,770 each.
- Group B – FM transmitter system @ \$79,601 each.
- Group C – FM monitoring station @ \$12,140 each.
- Group D – Systems equipment @ \$1,423,638 each.
- Group E – Annual software and telephone support @ \$6,678 per year.

2. The award amount shall not exceed \$2,389,827.

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