

Financial Affairs  
Richard H. Hinds, Chief Financial Officer

**SUBJECT: PARTIAL AWARD BID NO. 056-BB09 – TOOLS, SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT, CUSTODIAL III**

The purpose of this bid, opened on March 7, 2002, is to establish a contract, to purchase, at firm unit prices, quantities, as may be required, of custodial tools, supplies and equipment, for Stores and Mail Distribution stock. 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. Of 174 vendors sent bid forms or card notices of this advertised bid, 27 responded, with 24 bids meeting specifications (not all vendors bid all items) and 3 no bids.

Identical prices were submitted on Item 3 - Dispenser, liquid soap, by Rex Chemical Corporation, of Miami, Florida, and Unisource Worldwide Inc., of Jacksonville, Florida. The recommendation reflects the award of this tie low bid item to Rex Chemical, of Miami, Florida, the Miami-Dade County Minority/Women Enterprises vendor, pursuant to Board Rule 6Gx13- 3C-1.061 -- Identical Prices -- Priorities For Award.

Inasmuch as the only bid submitted for Item 22 - Bags, vinyl, did not meet specifications, the recommendation reflects that the bid be rejected. Competitive prices will be solicited for this item, as the need arises pursuant to Board Rule 6Gx13- 3C-1.111 -- Bidding Process -- Competitive Bidding Requirements, which describes the procedures and guidelines to be used for bidding based on the estimated dollar expenditure.

Item 5 - Bowl, plastic, Item 19 - Soap, liquid, hand, Item 24 - Sealer, undercoater, Item 25 - Ammonia, Item 44 - Sweeping compound, Item 46 - Bucket, plastic, Item 47 - Cleaner, liquid, abrasive, Item 48 - Bowl cleaner/descaler, Item 49 - Remover, lime acid, Item 50 - Disinfectant, degreaser, cleaner, and Item 51 - Gum remover are being held for evaluation and will be scheduled for recommendation of award as soon as evaluations are completed.

Fund Source  
0100 - General

M/WBE Eligibility  
African American Female - \$15,186.96  
Hispanic Female - \$92,018  
Female - \$6,017  
Hispanic Male - \$187,802.16

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, **AWARD** Bid No. 056-BB09 - TOOLS, SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT, CUSTODIAL III, to purchase, at firm unit prices, quantities, as may be required, of custodial tools, supplies and equipment, for Stores and Mail Distribution stock, during the term of the bid, effective June 19, 2002, through September 11, 2003, as follows:

1. AFP INDUSTRIES, INC.  
4436 S.W. 74 AVENUE  
MIAMI, FL 33155 ESTIMATE \$8,485  
OWNER: VIVIAN C. CASTELLANOS, PRESIDENT (HF)

Low Unit Price Meeting Specifications: Items 6, 23 and 28.

Item 6 - Pads, scouring @ \$6.68 per case of 36.  
Item 23 - Soap, pumice, bar @ \$23.58 per case.  
Item 28 - Brush, counter @ \$2.68 each.

2. ALL CLEAN BUILDING MAINTENANCE  
4234 S.W. 75 AVENUE  
MIAMI, FL 33155 ESTIMATE \$1,658.88  
OWNER: DOROTHY CHESS, SECRETARY

Low Unit Price Meeting Specifications: Item 7 - Handle, wall brush @ \$4.32 each.

3. COAST TO COAST SAFETY, INC.  
21730 S. WILMINGTON AVENUE, #206  
LONG BEACH, CA 90810 ESTIMATE \$12,887.04  
OWNER: MARTIN LAURSEN, PRESIDENT

Low Unit Price: Item 20 - Respirator @ \$8.39 per box of 20.

4. DADE PAPER & BAG COMPANY  
D.B.A. DADE PAPER  
P.O. BOX 523666  
MIAMI, FL 33152 ESTIMATE \$16,840.80  
OWNER: IRVING GENET, C.E.O.

Low Unit Price: Item 38 - Receptacle, waste @ \$23.39 each.

5. DAVIDA INTERNATIONAL, INC.  
8015 N.W. 64 STREET  
MIAMI, FL 33166 ESTIMATE \$11,446.28  
OWNER: ALBERTO SAVARIEGO, VICE PRESIDENT (HM)

Low Unit Price: Items 1, 16 through 18, 30 and 39.  
Total Low Unit Price: Items 13 through 15.

Item 1 - Brush, swivel scrub @ \$3.04 each.  
Item 13 - Gloves, medium @ \$8.69 per dozen pairs.  
Item 14 - Gloves, large @ \$8.69 per dozen pairs.  
Item 15 - Gloves, X-large @ \$8.69 per dozen pairs.  
Item 16 - Boot, male, size 9 @ \$6.77 each.  
Item 17 - Boot, male, size 11 @ \$6.77 each.  
Item 18 - Boot, male, size 13 @ \$6.77 each.  
Item 30 - Brush, floor 24" @ \$5.43 each.  
Item 39 - Bottle, spray, with trigger @ \$.61 each.

6. EMF ENTERPRISES  
P.O. BOX 650104  
MIAMI, FL 33265-0104 ESTIMATE \$83,533  
OWNER: ELIZABETH FERNANDEZ (HF)

Low Unit Price: Items 35, 37 and 45.  
Low Unit Price Meeting Specifications: Items 26 and 42.

Item 26 - Pads commercial @ \$39.24 per case of 6.  
Item 35 - Cart, housekeeping @ \$63.89 each.  
Item 37 - Receptacle, waste, 44 gallon @ \$14.97 each.  
Item 42 - Can, trash @ \$116.39 each.  
Item 45 - Wringer, small @ \$15.53 each.

7. IDEAL SUPPLY, INC.  
4321 N.E. 12 TERRACE  
OAKLAND PARK, FL 33334 ESTIMATE \$176,355.88  
OWNER: JORGE F. MANRESA, PRESIDENT (HM)

Low Unit Price Meeting Specifications: Items 8, 27, 40 and 41.

Low Unit Price: Items 9, 12, 31 and 34.

- Item 8 - Doodle bug @ \$6.72 each.  
Item 9 - Pads, high speed, spray @ \$9.84 per case of 5.  
Item 12 - Pads, stripping, 20" @ \$9.73 per case of 5.  
Item 27 - Handle for mop @ \$4.59 each.  
Item 31 - Brush, floor, 24" @ \$8.06 each.  
Item 34 - Dolly conversion @ \$13.49 each.  
Item 40 - Broom, lobby @ \$1.87 each.  
Item 41 - Broom, warehouse @ \$4.46 each.

8. JERRY'S VACUUM & JANITORIAL SUPPLIES, INC.  
945 NORTH 14 STREET  
LEESBURG, FL 34748 ESTIMATE \$25,290.70  
OWNER: JERRY DAVID HOFFMAN, PRESIDENT

Low Unit Price: Items 2 and 4.

Low Unit Price Meeting Specifications: Item 32.

- Item 2 - Toilet tissue dispenser @ \$2.57 each.  
Item 4 - Paper towel dispenser @ \$7.33 each.  
Item 32 - Pan, dust @ \$4.90 each.

9. PYRAMID SCHOOL PRODUCTS  
6510 NORTH 54 STREET  
TAMPA, FL 33610-1908 ESTIMATE \$9,360  
OWNER: JOHN O. MILLER, VICE PRESIDENT

Low Unit Price: Items 21 and 43.

- Item 21 - Mop, toilet bowl @ \$.36 each.  
Item 43 - Sponges, cellulose @ \$6 per box of 12.

10. RELIABLE CUSTODIAL MAINTENANCE & SUPPLIES  
2000 BANKS ROAD, #201G  
MARGATE, FL 33063 ESTIMATE \$5,826.96  
OWNER: AGNES OYEWALE, PRESIDENT (AF)

Low Unit Price Meeting Specifications: Item 10.  
Low Unit Price: Item 36.

Item 10 - Plunger, toilet @ \$2.44 each.  
Item 36 - Receptacle, waste @ \$10.33 each.

11. REX CHEMICAL CORPORATION  
2270 N.W. 23 STREET  
MIAMI, FL 33142 ESTIMATE \$6,017  
OWNER: BETTY GRANJA, PRESIDENT/C.E.O. (WF)

Tie Low Unit Price: Item 3.  
Low Unit Price: Item 11.

Item 3 - Dispenser, liquid soap @ \$3.50 each.  
Item 11 - Pads, stripping, 16" @ \$6.95 per case of 5.

12. UNISOURCE WORLDWIDE, INC.  
4151 WOODCOCK DRIVE  
JACKSONVILLE, FL 32207 ESTIMATE \$6,544.80  
OWNER: CHARLES C. TUFANO, PRESIDENT

Low Unit Price Meeting Specifications: Items 29 and 33.

Item 29 - Brush, floor, 14" @ \$4.41 each.  
Item 33 - Can, garbage, plastic @ \$7.38 each.

13. Reject Item 22 - Bag, vinyl.
14. Authorize Procurement and Materials Management to purchase up to the total estimated amount of \$364,246.34.

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