

August 28, 2002

Financial Affairs
Richard H. Hinds, Chief Financial Officer

**SUBJECT: REJECT BID NO. 147-BB10M/WBE – FURNISH AND INSTALL
FENCE AND GATES**

COMMITTEE: FINANCIAL AFFAIRS

The purpose of the bid, opened on August 13, 2002, was to establish a contract, at firm unit prices, to furnish and install fence and gates, for Maintenance Operations. 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. This bid is a Minority/Women Business Enterprise (M/WBE) set-aside for African American/Women-owned and operated businesses. Of 29 vendors sent bid forms or card notices of this advertised bid, 3 responded, with 1 non-responsive bid (vendor did not bid all items on a total low bid basis) and 2 no bids.

Inasmuch as the only bid received is non-responsive, the recommendation reflects that the bid be rejected to permit rebidding, using revised specifications.

Fund Source
0100 – General

M/WBE Eligibility
Female

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, **REJECT** Bid No. 147-BB10M/WBE – FURNISH AND INSTALL FENCE AND GATES, to permit rebidding, using revised specifications.

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