

Financial Affairs  
Richard H. Hinds, Chief Financial Officer

**SUBJECT:                   REQUEST    AUTHORIZATION    TO    ENTER    INTO  
CONTRACTUAL SERVICES AGREEMENTS BETWEEN THE  
SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, AND  
ASBESTOS WORKERS LOCAL 60 APPRENTICESHIP;  
FLORIDA MASONRY APPRENTICE & EDUCATIONAL  
FOUNDATION;           MIAMI           JOINT           ELECTRICAL  
APPRENTICESHIP   AND   TRAINING   COMMITTEE;  
PLUMBERS JOINT APPRENTICE AND EDUCATIONAL  
COMMITTEE; AND SHEET METAL WORKERS LU 32  
APPRENTICESHIP AND TRAINING PROGRAM, PURSUANT  
TO REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS NO. 056-JJ10 – OUTSIDE  
AGENCY QUALIFIED TO OPERATE APPRENTICESHIP  
TRAINING PROGRAMS FOR POST-SECONDARY  
STUDENTS IN MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA**

**COMMITTEE:               INSTRUCTIONAL       EXCELLENCE       &       COMMUNITY  
ENGAGEMENT**

**LINK TO DISTRICT  
STRATEGIC PLAN:    IMPROVE AND EXPAND STUDENT SERVICES**

Request For Proposals No. 056-JJ10 – OUTSIDE AGENCY QUALIFIED TO OPERATE APPRENTICESHIP TRAINING PROGRAMS FOR POST-SECONDARY STUDENTS IN MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, is to obtain services of outside agencies interested in providing apprenticeship training for post-secondary students in Miami-Dade County, in accordance with the Florida Department of Education (FDOE). This is a term proposal. Six (6) vendors responded to this advertised solicitation.

The apprenticeship program, as outlined in the FDOE Curriculum Frameworks, is a job-preparatory course that is designed to prepare students for employment as journeymen in their selected trade.

A meeting of the Selection Committee to evaluate the proposals was held on May 21, 2009. Six proposals were presented for consideration: Asbestos Workers Local 60 Apprenticeship; Dade County Air Conditioning, Refrigeration and Pipefitting Education Committee, JAC; Florida Masonry Apprentice & Educational Foundation; Miami Joint Electrical Apprenticeship and Training Committee; Plumbers Joint Apprentice and Educational Committee; and Sheet Metal Workers LU 32 Apprenticeship and Training Program. After considerable discussion, the Committee recommended that five proposers be recommended for award.

Fund Source

0100 – General (Workforce Development)

**RECOMMENDED:** That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, **AUTHORIZE** the Superintendent of Schools to enter into contractual services agreements between The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, and Asbestos Workers Local 60 Apprenticeship; Florida Masonry Apprentice & Educational Foundation; Miami Joint Electrical Apprenticeship and Training Committee; Plumbers Joint Apprentice and Educational Committee; and Sheet Metal Workers LU 32 Apprenticeship and Training Program, pursuant to Request For Proposals No. 056-JJ10 – OUTSIDE AGENCY QUALIFIED TO OPERATE APPRENTICESHIP TRAINING PROGRAMS FOR POST-SECONDARY STUDENTS IN MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, to obtain services of outside agencies interested in providing apprenticeship training for post-secondary students in Miami-Dade County, in accordance with the Florida Department of Education (FDOE), effective August 20, 2009, through August 19, 2010, as follows:

1. ASBESTOS WORKERS LOCAL 60 APPRENTICESHIP  
13000 N. W. 47 AVENUE  
OPA-LOCKA, FL 33054  
GLENN ERNE, COORDINATOR
  
2. FLORIDA MASONRY APPRENTICE & EDUCATIONAL  
FOUNDATION  
398 CAMINO GARDENS BLVD., SUITE 108  
BOCA RATON, FL 33432  
PATRICK J. MCLAUGHLIN, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

3. MIAMI JOINT ELECTRICAL APPRENTICESHIP TRAINING  
COMMITTEE  
1601 N.W. 17 AVENUE  
MIAMI, FL 33125  
WILLIAM RILEY, DIRECTOR
4. PLUMBERS JOINT APPRENTICE & EDUCATIONAL  
COMMITTEE  
14105 N.W. 58 COURT  
MIAMI LAKES, FL 33014  
PHIL TRUCKS, JR., CHAIRPERSON
5. SHEET METAL WORKERS LU 32 APPRENTICESHIP &  
TRAINING PROGRAM  
20401 N.E. 15 COURT  
MIAMI, FL 33179  
WILLIAM R. WOOTTEN, COORDINATOR
6. Authorize Procurement Management Services to purchase  
up to the not to exceed amount of \$1,201,000, utilizing  
Workforce Development funds.

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