

Financial Services
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
DADE COUNTY AIR CONDITIONING, REFRIGERATION, AND
PIPEFITTING EDUCATION COMMITTEE AND FLORIDA
CARPENTERS REGIONAL COUNCIL TRAINING TRUST
FUND, PURSUANT TO REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS
NO. 103-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. 103-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 to provide apprenticeship training for post-secondary students in Miami-Dade County, in accordance with the Florida Department of Education (FDOE). This is a term proposal. Two (2) 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 June 22, 2009. Two proposals were presented for consideration: Dade County Air Conditioning, Refrigeration, and Pipefitting Education Committee and Florida Carpenters Regional Council Training Trust Fund. After considerable discussion, the Committee recommended the two proposers 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, Dade County Air Conditioning, Refrigeration and Pipefitting Education Committee and Florida Carpenters Regional Council Training Trust Fund, pursuant to Request For Proposals No. 103-JJ10 – OUTSIDE AGENCY QUALIFIED TO OPERATE APPRENTICESHIP-TRAINING PROGRAMS FOR POST-SECONDARY STUDENTS IN MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, to obtain services of outside agencies to provide 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. **DADE COUNTY AIR CONDITIONING, REFRIGERATION,
AND PIPEFITTING EDUCATION COMMITTEE**
13201 N. W. 45 AVENUE
MIAMI, FL 33054
L. ARTHUR WARREN, DIRECTOR

2. **FLORIDA CARPENTERS REGIONAL COUNCIL TRAINING
TRUST FUND**
2840 N.W. 27 AVENUE
MIAMI, FL 33311
FRANKLIN GRAY, STATE DIRECTOR

3. Authorize Procurement Management Services to purchase up to the not to exceed amount of \$550,000 utilizing Workforce Development funds.

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