

Financial Services
Richard H. Hinds, Chief Financial Officer

SUBJECT: REJECT BID NO. 096-NN09 – CHILLER-SERVICE CONTRACT

COMMITTEE: FACILITIES AND CONSTRUCTION REFORM

LINK TO STRATEGIC FRAMEWORK: FINANCIAL EFFICIENCY/STABILITY

The purpose of this bid was to provide, at firm unit prices, all labor, materials and equipment, to furnish monthly air-conditioning and chiller-maintenance services, including water treatment, for schools and facilities, through Maintenance Operations. Four (4) vendors responded to this advertised solicitation.

Inasmuch as two (2) out of the three (3) vendors who responded qualified their bids and the third vendor's pricing was excessive, the recommendation reflects that all bids be rejected to permit rebidding, using revised specifications. In the interim, the District will utilize the existing contract extension until the new bid is issued in the future.

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, **REJECT** Bid No. 096-NN09 – CHILLER-SERVICE CONTRACT, to permit rebidding, using revised specifications, for a solicitation in the future.

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