

Office of School Facilities
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SUBJECT: AUTHORIZATION TO EXTEND THE GEOTECHNICAL, CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS TESTING AND ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT CONSULTING (GEOTECH) SERVICES FOR ONE (1) YEAR, UNDER THE SAME TERMS, CONDITIONS AND FEES AS THE FOURTH-YEAR OPTION AND CURRENT EXTENSION, WITH THE FOLLOWING FIRMS:

- AMEC ENVIRONMENT & INFRASTRUCTURE, INC.
- NUTTING ENGINEERS OF FLORIDA, INC.
- PROFESSIONAL SERVICE INDUSTRIES, INC.

COMMITTEE: FACILITIES AND CONSTRUCTION REFORM

LINK TO STRATEGIC FRAMEWORK: FINANCIAL EFFICIENCY/STABILITY

The District's Geotech Services Agreements with all firms expire on July 14, 2014. To effectively support on-going, future and General Obligation Bond projects, staff recommends that the Agreements with the following three (3) firms be extended for an additional one (1) year period until July 14, 2015:

- AMEC Environment & Infrastructure, Inc.
- Nutting Engineers of Florida, Inc.
- Professional Services Industries, Inc.

During the extension period, all contract terms, conditions and fees will remain the same as the fourth-year option and current extension (a negotiated fee reduction from the original Agreements of approximately 10%).

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, authorize the extension of the Geotechnical, Construction Materials Testing and Environmental Assessment Consulting Services Agreements for one (1) year under the same terms, conditions and fees as the fourth-year option and current extension, with the following firms:

- AMEC Environment & Infrastructure, Inc.
- Nutting Engineers of Florida, Inc.
- Professional Services Industries, Inc.

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