

Financial Services
Mrs. Judith M. Marte, Chief Financial Officer

SUBJECT: AWARD BID NO. ITB-15-040-AC – REFRIGERATED DELIVERY OF SUMMER MEALS

COMMITTEE: FISCAL ACCOUNTABILITY

LINK TO STRATEGIC BLUEPRINT: EFFECTIVE AND SUSTAINABLE BUSINESS PRACTICES

Procurement Management Services, at the request of the Department of Food and Nutrition, released the above-referenced solicitation. The purpose of this Invitation to bid is to purchase, at a firm unit price, delivery of prepared breakfast, lunches and snacks with beverages, for Miami-Dade County Public Schools. This is a term bid which states that the Board may purchase quantities, as may be required, at the unit price bid, but is not obligated to purchase any guaranteed amount. This Invitation to Bid was advertised on the Miami-Dade County Public Schools Procurement Management Services website, the Demandstar website, Bid Net, Florida Bid, The Miami Times and The Diario Las Americas newspapers, as well as emailed to 48 potential bidders.

This Invitation To Bid provided potential Bidders to provide pricing for the entire District, as well as North or South Flagler Street. The initial term of the bid shall be for a two (2) year period, commencing April 13, 2016 through April 12, 2018, and may, by mutual agreement between The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, and the successful bidders, be extended for three (3) additional one (1) year periods.

Strategies were employed to increase SBE/MBE participation however, during the Goal Setting Committee Meeting, the recommendation for this solicitation was to be open, not sheltered, as a large number of SBE/MBE vendors were not identified within the commodity code(s).

One (1) vendor responded to this advertised bid. Based on the criteria listed in the solicitation and the results of the Best and Final pricing, the contract shall be awarded to Food Fantasies, Inc.

Fund Source

0100 - General

0410 – Food Service Fund

E-142

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida:

1. award Bid No. ITB-15-040-AC, REFRIGERATED DELIVERY OF SUMMER MEALS to purchase, at a firm unit price, delivery services, for Miami-Dade County Public Schools locations, during the term of the bid, effective April 13, 2016 through April 12, 2018, as follows:

FOOD FANTASIES, INC.
18770 N.E. 6 AVENUE
MIAMI, FL 33179
OWNER: JAMES P. CRAVEN, VICE PRESIDENT

Low Unit Price: Item 1. ALL DISTRICT SITES

Item 1 - Daily pick-up and delivery of prepared meals. Pick-ups will be made from Production Center kitchens. Delivery to approved summer food service centers serving meals. All pick-up and deliveries must be made utilizing thermostatically controlled trucks @ \$467 per truck, per day.

2. authorize Procurement Management Services to purchase up to the total estimated amount of \$502,000, for the initial contract term, and an amount not to exceed \$251,000, for each additional one (1) year extension period. Board authorization of this recommendation does not mean the amount shown will be expended.