November 21, 2019

Financial Services
Mr. Ron Y. Steiger, Chief Financial Officer

SUBJECT: AWARD INVITATION TO BID NO. ITB-19-002-DP - WIRELESS

NETWORKS

COMMITTEE: FISCAL ACCOUNTABILITY & GOVERNMENT RELATIONS

LINK TO STRATEGIC

BLUEPRINT: EFFECTIVE AND SUSTAINABLE BUSINESS PRACTICES

Procurement Management Services, at the request of Information Technology Services, released the above-referenced solicitation. The purpose of this Invitation to Bid (ITB) is to establish contracts with preapproved vendors for the purchase of wireless networking equipment, installation, and support for Miami-Dade County Public Schools. This is a term bid states that the Board may purchase services, as may be needed, but is not obligated to purchase any guaranteed amount. This ITB was advertised on the Procurement Management Services and DemandStar websites. The solicitation was shared with District offices for additional community outreach, and its various media platforms, including but not limited to social media, local newspapers, local radio stations, and prior bid forecasting lists.

The initial term of the bid shall be for a period of three (3) years, commencing July 1, 2020, through June 30, 2023, and may, by mutual agreement between the School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, and the successful bidders, be extended for two (2) additional one (1) year periods. At the time of contract extension, additional vendors may be added and/or removed, at the discretion of the District.

Strategies were employed to increase SBE/MBE/VBE (Small/Micro Business Enterprise/Veteran Business Enterprise) participation. The Goal Setting Committee recommended that this solicitation be open with a 5% SBE/MBE preference rate.

Eleven (11) vendors responded to this advertised bid. Based on the criteria listed in the solicitation, the contract will be awarded to seven (7) vendors of which four (4) are SBE/MBE certified.

In Fiscal Year 2018-2019, the District spent \$230,191 on Wireless Network contracts.

M-DCPS OEO staff verified the SBE/MBE certification status of the prime firms and all subcontractors.

Fund Source Various

E-142

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

- 1. AWARD INVITATION TO BID NO. ITB-19-002-DP WIRELESS NETWORKS, to establish contracts with preapproved vendors for the purchase of wireless networking equipment, installation, and support for Miami-Dade County Public Schools, during the term of the bid, with an effective date of July 1, 2020, through June 30, 2023, and may, by mutual agreement between The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, and the successful bidders, be extended for two (2) additional one (1) year extension periods thereto, as follows:
 - A. CDW GOVERNMENT, LLC
 DBA CDW-G
 230 N MILWAUKEE AVENUE
 VERNON HILLS, IL 660061
 OWNER/OFFICER: ROBERT WELYKI, VP

SUB-CONTRACTOR:

AUTOMATED SYSTEMS CONSULTING, INC
DBA ASC, INC
15310 AMBERLY DRIVE, SUITE 250
TAMPA, FL 33647
OWNER/OFFICER: ANDY NUMA, PRESIDENT
AFRICAN AMERICAN

B. CONVERGED NETWORKS, LLC 2 STILL SHADOW DRIVE, SUITE G CHARLESTON, SC 29414 OWNER/OFFICER: MIKE DUCK, PRESIDENT

SUB-CONTRACTOR:

GLOBALXNET TECHNOLOGIES, LLC
660 NW 119TH STREET
MIAMI, FL 33168
OWNER/OFFICER: MACK SAMUEL, MGR
AFRICAN AMERICAN

C. ELECTRONACA, INC
16621 GERMAIN DRIVE
DELRAY BEACH, FL 33433
OWNER/OFFICER: JHONATTAN NAVAS, VP

SUB-CONTRACTOR:

GREYSON TECHNOLOGIES, INC 6350 N ANDREWS AVENUE, SUITE 200 FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33309 OWNER/OFFICER: GREG NORDONE, CEO

- D. PC SOLUTIONS & INTEGRATION, INC
 4937 SW 75TH AVENUE
 MIAMI, FL 33155
 OWNER/OFFICER: DAVID RUDNICK, VP
- E. SOFTCHOICE CORPORATION
 173 DUFFERIN STREET, SUITE 200
 TORONTO, ON M6K3H-7, CANADA
 OWNER/OFFICER: VINCE DE PALMA, CEO

SUB-CONTRACTOR:

TRIORB SOLUTIONS, LLC 7457 ALOMA AVENUE, SUITE 305 WINTER PARK, FL 32792 OWNER/OFFICER: JOSEPH I. HALL II, CEO

F. STRUCTURED CABLING SOLUTIONS, INC. DBA SCS TECHNOLOGIES
5632 NW 161ST STREET
MIAMI GARDENS, FL 33014
OWNER/OFFICER: SYED SHAH, PSTD
ASIAN AMERICAN

G. UNITED DATA TECHNOLOGIES, INC
DBA UDT
2900 MONARCH LAKES BOULEVARD, SUITE 300
MIRAMAR, FL 33027
OWNER/OFFICER: ENRIQUE FLECHES, CEO
HISPANIC AMERICAN

SUB-CONTRACTORS:

IPHONE AND IPAD WAREHOUSE, LLC
DBA PHONE AND PAD WAREHOUSE
18149 NE 19TH AVENUE
NORTH MIAMI BEACH, FL 33162
OWNER/OFFICER: BRIAN FARRELL, MGR
AFRICAN AMERICAN

PREMISES CABLING SYSTEMS, INC 10850 NW 138TH STREET, BAY 6 MIAMI, FL 33018 OWNER/OFFICER: JESUS FERNANDEZ, PRESIDENT

2. AUTHORIZE Procurement Management Services to purchase up to the total estimated amount of \$4,500,000 for the initial contract term and an amount not to exceed \$1,500,000 for each subsequent one (1) year extension period. Board authorization of this recommendation does not mean the amount shown will be expended.