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Dear Prospective Proposers:

SUBJECT: Instructions to Proposers Request for Proposals (RFP) 15-076C

The School Board of Broward County, Florida (SBBC) is interested in receiving Proposals, in response to the attached RFP, for **Purchase and Installation of Indoor/Outdoor Walk-in Freezer/Coolers**. Any questions regarding this RFP should be addressed to me, in writing, at the address stated above, via facsimile at 754-321-0533 or via e-mail **diane.leray@browardschools.com**. No other School Board staff member should be contacted in relation to this RFP. Any information that amends or supplements any portion of this RFP, which is received by any method other than an Addendum issued to the RFP should not be considered and is not binding on SBBC.

November 14, 2014

In order to assure that your Proposal is in full compliance with all requirements of the RFP, carefully read all portions of RFP document paying particular attention to the following areas:

NON-MANDATORY PROPOSERS' CONFERENCE

A Proposers' Conference will be held on <u>Wednesday, December 3, 2014, beginning at 10:00 a.m. Eastern Time (ET),</u> <u>in the Procurement and Warehousing Services, 7720 West Oakland Park Boulevard, Suite 323, Bid Rooms 1 and 2,</u> <u>Sunrise, Florida 33351.</u> Representatives from all interested companies are encouraged to attend.

REQUIRED RESPONSE FORM

Section 1.0, Required Response Form must be completed in full and executed by an authorized representative.

PROPOSAL SUBMITTAL FORMAT

Proposers are requested to organize their Proposals in accordance with Section 4.0. SBBC reserves the right to reject and not consider any Proposal not organized and not containing all the information outlined in Section 4.0.

DUE DATE

Proposals are due in Procurement & Warehousing Services on the date and time stated in Section 3.0. In order to have your Proposal considered, it must be received on or before the date and time due. Proposals received after 2:00 p.m. ET on date due will not be considered.

STATEMENT OF "NO RESPONSE"

If you are **not** submitting a Proposal in response to this RFP, please complete Attachment G, Statement of "No Response" and return via facsimile to 754-321-0533 or scan and send via e-mail <u>diane.leray@browardschools.com</u>. Your responses to the Statement of "No Response" are very important to Procurement & Warehousing Services when creating future RFPs.

Thank you for your interest in SBBC. Again, if you have any questions, please contact me at the telephone number or email address stated above.

Sincerely,

Purchasing Agent

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (RFP) RFP 15-076C

PURCHASE AND INSTALLATION OF INDOOR/OUTDOOR WALK-IN FREEZERS/COOLERS



RFP Release Date:	Friday November 14, 2014
Non-Mandatory Proposers' Conference:*	Wednesday, December 3, 2014
Written Questions Due:	On or Before 5:00 p.m. ET Monday, December 8, 2014 in Procurement & Warehousing Services
Proposals Due:*	On or Before 2:00 p.m. ET Wednesday, December 17, 2014 in Procurement & Warehousing Services

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA Procurement & Warehousing Services 7720 W. Oakland Park Boulevard, Suite 323 Sunrise, Florida 33351-6704

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REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (RFP) 15-076C <u>1.0 REQUIRED RESPONSE FORM</u>

RELEASE DATE: November 14, 2014

TITLE: PURCHASE AND INSTALLATION OF INDOOR/OUTDOOR WALK-IN FREEZERS/COOLERS

This Proposal must be submitted to Procurement & Warehousing Services of The School Board of Broward County, Florida, 7720 W. Oakland Park Boulevard, Suite 323, Sunrise, Florida 33351-6704, on or before 2:00 p.m. ET December 17, 2014 and plainly marked RFP 15-076C, Purchase and Installation of Indoor/Outdoor Walk-in Freezers/Coolers. Proposals received after 2:00 p.m. EST on date due will not be considered.

Note: Cost of Services/Price Summary Sheet should be submitted in a sealed envelope along with, but separate from, the remainder of proposal.

One complete, original hard-copy Proposal (clearly marked as such), and one complete, original electronic version (both clearly marked as "original") will constitute the original governing documents. The electronic version in Microsoft Word/PDF 6.0 or higher on CD/flash drive and six (6) copies (which must be identical to the original Proposal, including any supplemental information/marketing materials), of the RFP Proposal, including this <u>REQUIRED RESPONSE FORM</u> (Page 1 of RFP 15-076C), must be fully executed and returned on or before 2:00 p.m. ET on date due to the Procurement & Warehousing Services in accordance with the submittal requirements In the case of any discrepancy between the original hard-copy Proposal and the copies, the original hard-copy Proposal will be the governing document. Proposal must contain all information required to be included in the Proposal as described herein. Completed Proposals must be submitted in a sealed envelope (package, box, etc.) with the RFP number and name clearly typed or written on the front.

PROPOSER INFORMATION

PROPOSER'S (COMPANY) NAME:	
STREET ADDRESS:	
CITY, STATE AND ZIP CODE:	
PROPOSER TELEPHONE:	PROPOSER FAX:
PROPOSER TOLL FREE:	
CONTACT PERSON'S ADDRESS:	
CONTACT PERSON'S EMAIL ADDRESS:	
CONTACT TELEPHONE: FAX:	TOLL FREE:
E-MAIL ADDRESS TO SEND PURCHASE ORDERS TO:	
INTERNET URL:	

PROPOSER TAXPAYER IDENTIFICATION NUMBER:

Proposal Certification

I hereby certify that: I am submitting the following information as my firm's (Proposer) Proposal and am authorized by Proposer to do so. Proposer has not divulged, discussed, or compared the Proposal with other Proposers and has not colluded with any other Proposer or party to any other Proposal; Proposer, its principals, or their lobbyists has not offered campaign contributions to School Board Members or offer contributions to School Board Members for campaigns of other candidates for political office during the period in which the Proposer is attempting to sell goods or services to the School Board. This period of limitation of offering campaign contributions shall commence at the time of the "cone of silence" period for any solicitation for a competitive procurement as described by School Board Policy 3320, Part II, Section GG as well as School Board Policy 1007, Section 5.4 – Campaign Contribution Fundraising. Proposer acknowledges that all information contained herein is part of the public record as defined by the State of Florida Sunshine and Public Records Laws; all responses, data and information contained in this Proposals (RFP), and all appendices and the contents of any Addenda released hereto; Proposer agrees to be bound to any and all specifications, terms and conditions contained in the Request for Proposals, and any released Addenda and understand that the following are requirements of this RFP and failure to comply will result in disqualification of Proposal submitted.

Signature of Proposer's Authorized Representative (blue ink preferred on original)

Date

Name of Proposer's Authorized Representative

Title of Proposer's Authorized Representative

<u>NOTE:</u> Entries must be completed in ink or typewritten. This original Required Response Form must be fully executed and submitted with this Proposal (see Section 4.2.9.1).

2.0 INTRODUCTION AND GENERAL INFORMATION

2.1 The School Board of Broward County, Florida (hereinafter referred to as "SBBC") desires Proposals from qualified contractors for the Purchase and Installation of Indoor/Outdoor Walk-in Coolers/Freezer being a qualified team to be comprised of the supplier, consultant and contractor as described herein. <u>Please be advised that any contractor being</u> represented by the primary firm or if the primary firm is a contractor, must be pre-qualified with the SBBC before the closing of this RFP. This requirement is as per SBBC Policy 7003. A list of pre-qualified contractors can be found at the following link: http://www.broward.k12.fl.us/constructioncontracts/documents/daisy/QSEC_Tracking_Logs.pdf.

The award will be to the three (3) highest ranked proposers who has provided pertinent information to be rendered as responsive and responsible to the requirements of the RFP. At the time services are needed, SBBC will utilize a rotational method whereby the highest ranked proposer will be invited first to produce a quote for that particular project.

2.2 <u>Non-Mandatory Proposers' Conference:</u> A Proposers' Conference will be held on Wednesday, December 3, 2014 at 10:00am in Procurement & Warehousing Services, 7720 West Oakland Park Boulevard, Suite 323 – Bid Rooms 1 and 2, Sunrise, Florida 33351-6704. Representatives from all interested companies are encouraged to attend.

The purpose of the Proposers' Conference is to allow prospective Proposers to bring forth questions they may have, to allow prospective Proposers to be aware of questions other Proposers may have, and to stimulate discussions that will generate questions in an effort to assist prospective Proposers in preparing the best and most comprehensive Proposal for submission to SBBC. Questions submitted will be answered to all Proposers via Addenda. All questions shall be submitted in accordance with Section 2.3 Questions and Interpretations. Any information given, by any party, at the Proposers' Conference is not binding on SBBC. Only the information provided in the RFP or via Addenda shall be considered by Proposers.

In addition, a representative from SBBC Supplier Diversity & Outreach Program may be present to address issues regarding M/WBE participation. M/WBE certified vendors are invited to attend.

2.3 Questions And Interpretations: Any questions concerning any portion of this RFP must be submitted, in writing, to Diane CPPO, CPPB, Purchasing Agent, Procurement Warehousing Services. LeRay, & 754-321-0542 at the address listed in Section 6.1 or via facsimile 754-321-0533 or via e-mail diane.leray@browardschools.com. Any questions which require a response which amends the RFP document in any manner will be answered via Addendum by Procurement & Warehousing Services and provided to all Proposers. No information given in any other matter will be binding on SBBC.

Any questions concerning any condition or requirement of this RFP must be received in Procurement & Warehousing Services, in writing, **on or before 5:00 p.m. ET Monday, December 8, 2014**. Questions received after this date and time will not be answered. Submit all questions to the attention of the individual stated above. If necessary, an Addendum will be issued. Any verbal or written information, which is obtained other than by information in this RFP document or by Addenda, shall not be binding on SBBC.

2.4 <u>Contract Term:</u> The purpose of this RFP is to establish a contract beginning at the time the School Board approved that contract and continuing through three (3) years. The term of the contract may, by mutual agreement between SBBC and the Awardee, be extended for two (2) additional one-year periods and, if needed, 180 days beyond the expiration date of the renewal period. Procurement & Warehousing Services, will, if considering renewing, request a letter of intent to renew from each Awardee, prior to the end of the current contract period. The Awardee will be notified when the recommendation has been acted upon by the School Board. <u>The Cost of Services/Price Summary Sheet outlining the price rates for the contract shall be firm for the term of the contract as stated in Section 2.5 of this RFP. The Proposer agrees to this condition by signing its Proposal.</u>

- 2.5 <u>PRICE ADJUSTMENTS:</u> Prices offered shall remain firm through the first three (3) years of the contract. A request for price adjustment may be submitted thirty (30) days prior to the first renewal date of the contract. If a price increase is approved after the first renewal date, then that price must remain firm for the two (2) remaining years of the contract. Price adjustment requests will be evaluated on an annual basis thereafter. Requests for price adjustments shall not exceed the percentage of change in the Consumer Price Index (CPI) for the previous twelve months of the anniversary date, but shall not exceed 3% per adjustment. The CPI will not be seasonally adjusted. SBBC reserves the right to request a reduction in contract prices equal to the percentage of change of the CPI in the event of a reduction. SBBC reserves the right to not renew any contract regardless of price considerations. Information on the CPI may be obtained from the Bureau of Labor Statistics at http://www.bls.gov or by contacting the Bureau directly.
- 2.6 <u>Submittal Of Proposal:</u> Submit Proposals in accordance with Section 4.0. Proposals should be organized and shall include necessary information as to be in full compliance with this Section. In order to facilitate the Proposal evaluation process, special attention should be paid to organizing Proposals in a manner consistent with Section 4.0. SBBC reserves the right to reject and not consider any Proposal that is not submitted in accordance with Section 4.0 or that does not include any necessary information.
- 2.7 <u>Evaluation and Award:</u> All responsive Proposals will be evaluated by the Evaluation Committee (hereinafter referred to as "Committee") based upon the information submitted by Proposers in response to Section 4.0 and in accordance with the evaluation criteria established in Section 5.0 as follows: a.) Primary Firm's Experience to include Past Performance; b.) Assigned Staff Qualifications and Experience; c.) Approach and Proposed Method; d) Cost of Services; and e.) Minority/Women Business Participation. The Minority/Women Business Participation will be evaluated and scored by the District's Supplier Diversity & Outreach Program staff. Based upon the evaluation of Proposals, the Committee will recommend Proposer(s) to SBBC for award. The number of firms to be recommended is solely at the discretion of the Committee.
- 2.8 <u>Calendar</u>: The tentative time schedule related to this procurement is as follows:

Friday, November 14, 2014	Release of RFP No.: 15-076C
Wednesday, December 3, 2014	Non-Mandatory Proposers' Conference (See Section 2.2)
Monday, December 8, 2014	Written questions due on or before 5:00 p.m. ET in Procurement & Warehousing Services
Wednesday, December 17, 2014	Proposals due on or before 2:00 p.m. ET in Procurement & Warehousing Services. Proposal opening will be at 7720 West Oakland Park Blvd., Suite 323, Sunrise, Florida 33351-6704.*
Monday, January 5, 2015	Evaluation Committee reviews Proposals and makes Recommendation for award. Meeting to be held at Procurement & Warehousing Services 7720 West Oakland Park Boulevard, Suite 323 Sunrise, Florida 33351-6704 at 1:00 p.m.*
Monday, January 12, 2015	Posting of Recommendation

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3.0 SCOPE OF SERVICES

- 3.1 <u>BACKGROUND:</u> The School Board of Broward County, Florida ("SBBC") is the sixth largest public school system in the United States, the second largest in the State of Florida and the largest accredited K-12 and adult school district in the nation. SBBC has over 26,000 students and approximately 175,000 adult students in 229 schools and education centers and 95 charter schools.
- 3.2 <u>GOAL:</u> The SBBC through the Food and Nutrition Services Department is committed to having the schools' cafeteria fully functional with the equipment to ensure that foods are handled as per proper state, local and federal regulations. SBBC Food and Nutrition Services anticipates installation of approximately 36 indoor/outdoor freezers/coolers over a three (3) year period with a very aggressive schedule.
- 3.3 <u>SCOPE OF SERVICES</u>: The School Board of Broward County's ("SBBC") shall purchase and install customized Indoor/Outdoor Walk-in Coolers and Walk-in Freezers to be installed at various schools and departments located throughout Broward County, or as otherwise designated. Deliveries shall be made F.O.B. destination as per the purchase orders and all deliveries to schools and departments shall require inside delivery unless otherwise specified.

It is the intention of this solicitation to obtain qualifications of a contractor that has the ability to install custom indoor/outdoor freezers/coolers which requires the services of the supplier of Bally, Kolpak and Thermokool manufacturers only; provide sign and sealed shop drawings; and install said equipment as per manufacturer's and SBBC's standards.

The award will be to the three (3) highest ranked proposers who has provided pertinent information to be rendered as responsive and responsible to the requirements of the RFP. At the time services are needed, a rotational method will be utilized starting with the highest ranked proposer/ contractor that will be invited to produce a quote for that particular project. Highest ranked proposer/Contractor will be notified and given a date and time for Site Visit (see Scope of Services 3.6). All required parties must attend and sign the attendance sheet. The attendance sheet will be collected by SBBC's assigned Project Manager after the scheduled time. Those arriving after the attendance sheet has been collected shall be considered as not in attendance for purposes of the mandatory site inspection. Each quote must be precise, accurate and firm. The second highest ranked Proposer/Contractor will be notified for the next project whereby all such procedures as the first highest ranked Proposer/Contractor will apply and the same for the third highest ranked.

Each walk-in Cooler/Freezer shall be factory prefabricated and have a unitized design. Each unit shall allow installation without assembly or relocation without disassembly. Indoor/Outdoor Walk-in Coolers/Freezers shall include but not be limited to the following:

- A. Sectional (indoor and outdoor) walk-in (cooler or freezer/multi-compartment) complete with doors that shall be manufactured by Bally Refrigeration Boxes, Inc., Kolpak, or Themokool. For the purposes of standardization, no substitutions will be allowed.
- B. Foam core panels (4", 5" or 6" thick) shall be Underwriters Laboratories listed as having a flame spread of 25 or lower and smoke generation of 450 or lower when tested in accordance with ASTME-84-76. Panels shall be approved by Factory Mutual as a Class 1 building type. They shall be manufactured with foamed in place CFC fee Enovate 3000 foam system.
- C. Panels shall consist of interior and exterior metal skins precisely foamed with steel dies and roll-form equipment and thoroughly check with gauges for accuracy. The metal skins shall be placed into heated molds and liquid urethane injected between them. For extra rigidity, exterior metal skins with the exception of doors and corners over 118" in height are made with vertical grooves on 5 ¾" centers. Urethane shall be Enovate 3000 foamed in place (poured, not frothed) and when completely cured shall bind tenaciously to metal skins to form an insulated panel. Panels shall contain 100% urethane insulation and have no internal wood or structural members between skins. To insure tight joints, panel edges must have foamed-in place tongues and grooves with a flexible vinyl gasket on the interior and

exterior of all tongue edges. Gaskets shall be resistant to damage from oil, fats, water and detergents and must be NSF approved. Gaskets shall not be stapled or glued to metal skins.

- D. All panels except corner panels shall be made in 23" x 46" widths, fully interchangeable for fast, easy, assembly. Panels 11 ½", 17 ¼", or 34 ½" wide are to be furnished only if required to fit allocated space. To assure perfect alignment sand maximum strength, corner panels shall employ a right angle configuration with exterior horizontal dimensions of 12" on each side. Panel heights availability 7'6" or 8'6". Panel Finishes: Stucco embossed Galvalume steel, stainless steel, stucco-embossed aluminum, smooth wihite aluminum, galvanized steel, stucco-embossed white galvalume. 1/8" diamond tread wainscoting available as option upon request.
- E. Floor Construction: Standard floors support 600 pounds per square foot of evenly distributed stationary loads. Coved corners on floor panels. Walk-in finished floor sections placed in a level recessed concrete floor area so that the walk-in finished floor is flush with the adjacent kitchen quarry tile floor without the need for a ramp. Freezer floor to be insulated.
- F. Doors and Entrance Door Frame Construction: Door shall be flush-mounted, in-fitting type with door panel same construction as adjacent panels. Door frame constructed of heavy reinforced "u" channel welded steel frame around perimeter of door opening to prevent twisting and warping. Cooler and freezer door opening size 30"-36" x 76" 78". U.L. listed thermostatically controlled closed loop heater wire around door frame to protect against condensation or the formation of frost. Glow in the dark inside safety release on both doors. Self-closing hinges and door closers on both doors. Touch latch with cylinder lock. Removable magnetic gaskets. Freezer door furnished with a pressure relief port. Entrance door has unitized structural steel frame with thermal breaker, with 1/8" thick aluminum diamond tread kick plate on the exterior and interior door frame for protection from carts. All doors to contain a minimum of three (3) door hinges.
- G. Light Fixtures: Provide a minimum 48" of energy efficient fluorescent double bulb light fixtures designed for use at -20 degrees. One for every 100 square feet enough to provide adequate lighting to all areas of walk-in. Light bulbs included. No air intrusion is allowed that would create water in the fixture.
- H. Thermometers: Weiss digital thermometer with alarm to be provided on door frame adjacent to door opening. Weiss model# XWA11V 100 x 64mm format. Freezer thermometer on multi-unit to be provide on outside cooler door frame.
- I. Refrigeration Equipment: Condensing unit to be provided with Copeland compressor, semi-hermetic and sized by walkin manufacturer for a temperature of – 10 degrees in the freezer and 34 degrees in the cooler. Low-profile electronically controlled evaporator sized to match condensing unit.
- J. Provide shelving and shelving layouts.
- K. Plumbing shall comply with specifications within accordance to the prefabricated room schedule and all codes.
- 3.4 **INSTALLATION:** Contractor shall be responsible for off-loading all materials on site, erection (to include all electrical and plumbing connections) and testing of the cooler/freezer to make completed structure ready for operation in accordance with FAC 6A-2 rules. In addition Contractor shall demolish and remove existing walk-in unit, refrigeration piping (depressurize and cap lines); and drain lines from evaporators.

All penetrations electrical and otherwise to be completely air tight. Door gasket around perimeter of both doors is also to be completely air tight. Installation must meet all local codes. Installation includes panel door assembly, setting in place of evaporator and condensing unit. Running all refrigeration lines from condensing unit to evaporator for final hook up by SBBC's electricians. Installer is responsible for start-up and check systems.

- A. The concrete platform suitable for erection of the walk-in cooler/freezer will, if required, be the responsibility of the awarded contractor or sub-contractor. Any materials required to level cement slab (shims, etc.) shall be inclusive in the project quotation.
- B. All electrical conduit penetrating the unit shall have seal-off fitting. Electrical shall be 208/230 volt, single or three phase, 60 cycle at 11.2 amps or less for condensing unit and compressor. Fan motors shall be 208/230 volt, single phase, 60 cycle. If fan motor is straight 230 volt, a "buck and boost" transformer shall be installed to accommodate volt differential.
- C. All walk-in floors shall be level with adjacent floors to allow for roll carts. No ramps allowed.
- D. All work and materials shall be in accordance with local and or state ordinances.
- 3.5 <u>ASSEMBLY:</u> Assembly by the Contractor shall be either before or upon delivery. Assembly to equipment purchased before delivery, **must** be packaged appropriately and the contractor must take all necessary precautions to avoid damage in transit and must be inspected at time of delivery to site by SBBC Project Manager or Plant Manager or designee. If damages are found, all notes of any damages found must be made on the bill of lading. Damages discovered after delivery shall be reported to the contractor within ten (10) calendar days of receipt for replacement or repair. Assembly shall be National Sanitation Foundation (N.S.F.) and Underwriters Laboratories, Inc, (U.L.) rated and carry certifying labels.
- 3.6 <u>SITE VISITS</u>: Successful Contractors are responsible for site visits to include taking measurements, inspection of space above existing walk-in, recommend placement of refrigeration units to include shelving layouts, and gathering other pertinent information to provide customer with a 100% complete and permitted manufacturer's drawing for approval by SBBC.
- 3.7 <u>COORDINATION:</u> A SBBC Project Manager from Food and Nutrition Services will be designated as a liaison with the successful Contractor and will be the main contact to schedule Site Visits as per Bid Specifications 6.5 herein to initiate installation. Under no circumstances shall any delivery be attempted before clearance has been obtained from the said Project Manager. To minimize interruption of normal school/cafeteria operation, removal of old equipment that has been determined by SBBC to be of no value shall be disposed of by the Contractor. Contractor must provide receipt of disposal. The successful Contractor shall dispose of equipment in accordance with all local statutes and laws regarding dumping. Under no condition is the successful Contractor to use any bin or trash container on SBBC's site to dispose of such items. The SBBC reserves the right to remove parts for future utilization prior to disposal. The successful Contractor shall initiate installation of the new unit on the date and time mutually agreed upon by SBBC and the successful Contractor.
- 3.8 <u>SBBC'S FORCES</u>: The SBBC's Physical Plant Operations Department will be engaged in installing a small percentage of the Indoor/Outdoor Freezers/Coolers.
- 3.9 **INSPECTIONS/TESTS:** The SBBC will provide for inspections of all construction/installations of the walk-in cooler/walk-in freezer buildings specified herein.
 - 1. The SBBC's inspector/representative shall be the appointed Project Manager/inspector for the final inspection and will ensure that all concrete platforms are level, smooth and meet all state and local building codes prior to erection/installation of new unit.
 - 2. The successful Contractor shall notify the said Project Manager/inspector, unless otherwise specified, ten (10) working days prior to commencement date of individual jobs and obtain authorization to begin work.
 - 3. SBBC's inspector will make random inspections while installation of unit is in progress to ensure conformity with conditions and specifications of this bid.
 - 4. Upon completion of individual jobs, successful Contractor shall request final inspection through the Project Manager/inspector, two (2) days prior to date inspection is requested. The successful Contractor shall be present at final inspection.
 - 5. The successful Contractor shall re-execute any and all work that fails to conform to the requirements of this Invitation to Bid that appears during the progress of the work. The successful Contractor shall further remedy any defects due to faulty workmanship that appear at no additional cost to the SBBC.

- 3.10 **SAFETY/SECURITY:** Completed units shall have shut-off equipment and lockable doors that open from inside the walk-in cooler/freezer. Forward all walk-in keys to the SBBC Project Manager from Food and Nutrition Services for final acceptance.
- 3.11 <u>WARRANTY</u>: The successful Contractor must include manufacturer's warranty(ies); however, it will be the responsibility of the successful Bidder to warrant the complete walk-in unit, to include complete refrigeration system, and all material and/or workmanship under normal use and service for a period of at least five (5) years subsequent to SBBC's acceptance of original installation. The successful Contractor shall bear the full obligation and cost for repair and/or replacement which proves defective within the warranty period at no additional cost to the SBBC.

The successful Contractor shall warrant that the products are free from defects in material or workmanship under normal use and service. Warranty shall become effective following the acceptance date, which will be the date the equipment is placed into service (stocked with provisions) and cover the following items for the noted duration:

- 1. Panel warranty 10 years against delamination
- 2. Refrigeration: 5 year compression warranty
- 3. General walk-in 1 year parts and labor
- 4. Installation: 2 years warranty on air penetration
- 5. Membrane Roof Material: 20 year material warranty
- 6. Doors, door frames/threshold: 2 year warranty against ice build-up.
- 3.12 **HURRICANE TIE DOWN SYSTEM:** Tie down will be bolted at the bottom of the structure along with backing plates in the inside of the structure and are to be supplied as required by local codes for any outdoor units. Furnish wind load approval drawings signed and sealed by a Florida licensed architect as required per local codes for any outdoor unit.
- 3.13 **CONTRACTOR'S PERSONNEL:** The Contractor shall have sufficient number of personnel, materials, transportation and an adequate inventory of tools and equipment to perform work at the job site. Installation and service of the refrigeration and electrical components of the walk-in units must be performed by a refrigeration mechanical or licensed electrician.

3.14 CONTRACTOR'S RESPONSIBILITIES:

- A. After the initial Site Visit and the details of the project is finalized, Contractor shall complete the total estimate to accomplish the work and will identify any additional tasks necessary to satisfactorily accomplish the overall scope of the work. The Contractor must return an estimate to the SBBC's Project Manager or designee within five (5) business days, or as otherwise directed. The Contractor's estimate will be evaluated to determine if the scope has been clearly and accurately understood, the work has been properly estimated with supporting data presented to include but not limited to identifying material and equipment as per the resultant contract being properly documented. The Contractor acknowledges that work will be performed only <u>after receipt of an authorized purchase order.</u>
- B. <u>Shop Drawings:</u> The successful Contractor shall be responsible for providing signed and sealed shop drawings and shall be submitted with quotes. For outdoor structures only, drawings are to include wind load specifications, and must meet 140 MPH wind load. All drawings shall be approved by SBBC's Building Department prior to starting any project.
- C. If during the course of the work, the Contractor encounters unforeseen conditions which impact the work and which could not initially be evaluated, the Contractor shall not proceed without written authorization of the SBBC's Project Manager or designee. It is the Contractor's responsibility to notify the SBBC's Project Manager or designee upon 50% completion of project and to state at that time, the estimated time of completion.
- D. The Contractor shall be held responsible for the on-site supervision, scheduling, storage, receiving, and placement of materials. Emergency Work Requests may be needed from time to time. The Contractor shall within two (2) hours notice, meet SBBC's Project Manager or designee at the job site, review the scope of work, provide an estimate, and proceed with work without delay and in general be responsive to the emergency request. The Contractor's time shall start on the job site. Any travel time expenses shall be borne by the Contractor and will not be reimbursed by the SBBC.

- E. The Contractor shall and in addition to all other guarantees, be responsible for faulty labor or workmanship and shall promptly correct improper work, without cost to the SBBC, within forty-eight (48) hours after receipt of notification of such faulty labor or workmanship. If the Contractor fails within forty-eight (48) hours to correct defects, the SBBC shall be entitled to have such work remediated and the Contractor shall be fully liable for all costs and expense reasonably incurred by the SBBC. Payments in full or otherwise do not constitute a waiver of this guarantee. The guarantee period shall be effective for one (1) year after acceptance of the work by the SBBC.
- F. The Contractor shall exercise caution at all times for the protection of persons (including employees) and property. Barricades will be provided by the Contractor at the Contractor's expense when work is performed in areas traversed by persons or vehicles, or when deemed necessary by the SBBC's Project Manager or designee.
- G. The Contractor shall conform to all Federal, State, county, and city regulations during the performance of the resultant contract. Any fines levied due to inadequacies or failure to comply with any and all requirements shall be the sole responsibility of the Contractor. Any person found not in conformance with any laws, statutes, rules or regulations will not be allowed on the job site. Continued violations by a Contractor shall constitute cause for immediate termination of the resultant contract.
- H. The Contractor shall provide response within twenty-four (24) hours of any refrigeration failure that inhibits storage of food for breakfast and lunch programs.
- I. <u>CLEAN-UP</u>: The successful Contractor is to clean interior and exterior of walk-in including components and removal of all protective material from surfaces. The successful Bidder must dispose of all trash, debris, etc. leaving the area in a clean and orderly fashion.
- 3.15 <u>ACCEPTANCE TESTING:</u> Acceptance of the walk-ins shall come only after each room has met the parameters as outlined above. It is the responsibility of the Contractor in the presence of a factory trained representative to verify the operation of the walk-ins and obtain SBBC's written approval. A copy of this document must remain the SBBC with an additional copy sent to the room manufacturer. The walk-in operation will then become the SBBC's responsibility and the warranty period will coincide with acceptance which will be the date the equipment is placed into service (stocked with provisions). The successful Contractor or its representative shall provide a demonstration for SBBC's personnel as to inform them of proper walk-in cooler/freezer operations and maintenance.
- 3.16 <u>MAINTENANCE/PARTS/REPAIR AVAILABILITY:</u> Maintenance, repair service and local parts availability are also essential, therefore Bidders on machinery, equipment and/or tools should furnish parts catalog and price list, as well as applicable repair manual. The SBBC reserves the right to delve into availability, efficiency, and quality of service **before** making final evaluation and decision.
- 3.17 The SBBC's Procurement & Warehousing Services Department shall determine whether each Proposer meets the Minimum Eligibility requirements of Section 3.17.1 and shall only deliver Proposals meeting the Minimum Eligibility requirements to the Evaluation Committee for further evaluation.
 - 3.17.1 <u>Minimum Eligibility:</u> In order to be considered for award and to be further evaluated, Proposer must meet or exceed the following criteria as of the opening date of the Proposal. Failure to provide the information requested below will result in disqualification of Proposal. The Proposer is responsible for providing the following information in its response. The Proposer must also include a statement of acknowledgement for each item below.
 - a. Provide written evidence of possessing the required licenses and/or registrations in the form of copies of documents received from governing agencies.
 - b. Provide evidence of having financial capability to retain qualified staff to commit to the requirement of this RFP.
 - c. Have required staff members to successfully fulfil the required services.
 - d. Submit all required submittals as outlined in Section 4.2.9 herein.

- e. Contractors providing the construction work must be pre-qualified with SBBC at the time of this RFP closing. A list of the pre-qualified contractor are located at: <u>http://www.broward.k12.fl.us/constructioncontracts/documents/daisy/QSEC_Tracking_Logs.pdf.</u>
- f. ALL PROPOSERS MUST EXECUTE AND SUBMIT ATTACHMENT D, LEGAL OPINION OF BIDDER'S PREFERENCE FORM TO BE CONSIDERED. Proposers from outside the State of Florida must submit a completed and signed legal opinion as specified by Florida Statute 287.084(2). Florida Proposers are not required to have an Attorney render an opinion but the Florida Proposer must complete its portion of this form. Failure to submit and execute this form, with Proposal, shall result in Proposal being considered "nonresponsive" and Proposal rejected.

4.0 INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN THE SUBMITTED PROPOSAL

4.1 This section represents the information that will be utilized in the evaluation of Proposals received and assignment of points in accordance with the evaluation criteria established in Section 5.0 for Proposals submitted. Proposers are cautioned to read this section carefully and respond with full complete information that will assist the Selection Evaluation Committee in evaluating Proposals submitted. Proposers are requested to respond in the format and organizational structure stated and to refrain from including promotional or advertisement materials in their Proposal.

In order to maintain comparability and facilitate the review process, it is requested that Proposals be organized in the manner specified below. Include all information requested herein in your Proposal. The SBBC's Procurement and Warehousing Services shall determine whether each Proposer meets the Minimum Eligibility requirements as per Section 3.18 and shall only deliver Proposals meeting the Minimum Qualifications to the Evaluation Committee for further evaluation. The maximum allowable points (see Section 5.0) that will be awarded for each section as stated. Failure to respond or incomplete responses to the established criteria may result in zero or reduced allocation of points for such criteria and may result in disqualification of entire Proposal as non-responsive or non-responsible.

- 4.1.1 <u>Title Page:</u> Include RFP number, subject, the name of the Proposer, address, telephone number and the date.
- 4.1.2 <u>Table of Contents:</u> Include a clear identification of the material by section and by page number.

4.2 <u>EVALUATION CRITERIA - (Proposer's Experience to include Past Performance, Assigned Staff Qualifications and Experience, Approach and Proposed Method of Scope of Services, Costs of Services and M/WBE Participation):</u>

4.2.1 <u>Letter of Interest (TAB 1)</u> Letter must be a maximum of two (2) pages summarizing the firm's qualifications and their commitment to provide the services as stipulated in the Scope of Work (Section 3.0) herein, and must include the name of the persons who will be authorized to make representations for the Proposer; their titles, addresses and telephone numbers to include acknowledgement of any and all addenda by listing the Addendum by number(s) and date(s). In addition, provide the names, titles, and legal addresses of two (2) principals, officers, or executives authorized to negotiate and execute a contract to satisfy the Notice Provision located within the Contract Agreement, Attachment G, herein.

State the location/address of the Proposer's primary or corporate office and the Contractor's office servicing this project, if different than information provided in Attachment "B" – Proposer's Qualification Statement.

PROPOSER'S EXPERIENCE to include PAST PERFORMANCE (TAB 2) – (Maximum 20 allowable points)

- 4.2.1 Provide details on the qualifications to include the description of the Primary Firm (firm submitting on behalf of the entire team), description of firm including size (number of employees), range of activities, strength, stability, experience, etc. Particular emphasis should be given on Firm's experience and expertise that will be directly beneficial to SBBC for the related work.
- 4.2.2 Provide detail illustrating familiarity with any of the manufacturers (Bally, Kolpak, or Thermakool) stated in the Scope of Work.
- 4.2.3 Complete and return with your Proposal, Attachment "B" Proposer's Qualification Statement of the RFP.
- 4.2.4 <u>Past Performance</u>: Submit five (5) references for which Proposer have performed work similar in nature, scope and size as services described herein within the last five (5) years prior to this RFP due date. Provide the following information:
 - a. Project name
 - b. Address of Project
 - c. Project Type:
 - d. Brief scope of the project and similarity with scope and size of the work.
 - e. Cost
 - f. Completion Date
 - g. Contact name and title

- h. Contact email address
- i. Secondary contact name and title.

Contact persons must be informed that they are being used as reference and that the SBBC's Procurement and Warehousing Services will be contacting them for information. Procurement and Warehousing Services will make an attempt to call up to three (3) times, if the attempt at the first and second call were unsuccessful. If all attempts fail, the SBBC may apply no points for that project for reference.

ASSIGNED STAFF QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPERIENCE (TAB 3) – Maximum 25 allowable points)

- 4.2.5 Submit an organizational chart illustrating proposed key team members including at a minimum: project manager, consultant providing signed and sealed drawings, supplier (Bally, Kolpak, or Themakool), and contractor to provide removal of existing and installation of indoor/outdoor freezer/cooler as per the Scope of Work. For each person shown on the chart, indicate their role and responsibility. Persons representing as sub-consultant should be identified as such with their role and responsibility as well.
- 4.2.6 <u>Financial Capability</u>: Identify financial resources and working capital necessary to assure financial stability through the term of the contract. (Submit in separate envelope) Pursuant to Florida Statutes Chapter 119.07(3)(t), financial information will be exempt from examination by anyone other than legally authorized committee members and SBBC staff. The financial information will be reviewed. Therefore, provide clear and succinct information that will allow insight to the SBBC about the firm's financial capabilities, fitness and stability of the firm, to include but not limited to financial statements that must be independently prepared by a CPA or auditor, or three (3) prior years of tax returns. If joint venture or team effort arrangement is being proposed, provide similar information from the firm representing as primary. In addition to examples of financial reports requested, proposer to complete the Annual Average Revenue (Government Related and/or Non-Governmental Related of the Proposer for the last three (3) years located within the Proposers' Qualification Statement Attachment B. If the Proposer has filed for bankruptcy previously, please disclose information as permitted by law.
- 4.2.7 <u>Pre-Qualified Contractors</u>: Contractors that are part of the team representing the primary firm or if primary firm is a contractor; must be pre-qualified with SBBC before the closing of this RFP. However, if the individuals providing construction is a member or members of the staff, this requirement may be waived. SBBC reserves the right to request additional information to validate the claim for exclusion of this requirement. This requirement is as per SBBC Policy 7003. A list of pre-qualified contractors can be found at the following link: http://www.broward.k12.fl.us/constructioncontracts/documents/daisy/QSEC_Tracking_Logs.pdf

APPROACH AND PROPOSED METHOD OF THE SCOPE OF SERVICES (TAB 4) - (Maximum 25 allowable points)

- 4.2.8 A. Understanding and Approach
 - 1. Understanding of the Services Required
 - a. Current contract or arrangement to ensure that the required equipment from the manufacturer suppliers (ThemaKool, Bally and Kolpak) are available for utilization to ensure no delay in work.
 - b. How the proposer intends to interact with SBBC's Physical Plant Operations Department that will be engaged in installing a small percentage of the Indoor/Outdoor Freezers/Coolers.
 - 2. Technical Approach and Method
 - a. Methodology that will meet or exceed the required services outlining each step in phases (1) Planning,
 2) Procurement of manufacturer supplies and 3) Installation (construction).
 - b. The SBBC requires an aggressive schedule. Therefore Firm to provide anticipated time frames for completion of work by projects from the time of the site visit to include permitting, installation, testing and acceptance to achieve substantial completion and final completion.
 - c. How Contractor will engage training/demonstration
 - d. How Contractor will provide catalog listing for parts, maintenance and repair availability after the installation of each unit.

- 3. Management Approach and Method
 - a. Quality Assurance
 - b. Schedule
 - c. Cost Control
 - d. Dispute Resolution
 - e. Other pertinent information

4.2.9 **<u>REQUIRED SUBMITTALS (TAB 5)</u>**: Submit the following executed documents

- 4.2.9.1 Required Response Form (Page 1 of this RFP) with all required information completed with all signatures as specified (blue ink preferred as original). This Required Response Form within this solicitation will be the only acceptable form.
- 4.2.9.2 Attachment A M/WBE Utilization Report
- 4.2.9.3 Attachment B Proposers' Qualification Statement
- 4.2.9.4 Attachment C Disclosure of Potential Conflict of Interest and Conflicting Employment or Contractual Relationship
- 4.2.9.5 Attachment D- Legal Opinion on Bidder's Preference
- 4.2.9.6 Attachment E W-9 Form
- 4.2.9.7 Attachment H ACH Payment Agreement Form, if this a request of the Proposer
- 4.2.9.8 Bid Summary Sheet Pages 15-17
- 4.2.9.9 Evidence that contractor has been pre-qualified with the School Board of Broward County and all other licenses and manufacturer's certification that will certify the firm as authorized supplier.

4.2.10 COST OF SERVICES: (TAB 6) – (Maximum 20 points)

This is a Hypothetical Scope of Services which requires the Proposer to utilize the Drawing with the heading "For Bidding Purposes Only" located within this RFP document. Proposer shall submit rates based on the following scope of work along referencing the attached drawing to determine the lowest cost. Proposer with the lowest cost will be afforded the highest points allowed. Scoring will be as per Section 5.4, "Price Proposals" herein.

Contractor to provide the following for a Bally Outdoor Cooler/Freezer:

- 1. Design work and drawings provided
- 2. Execute jobsite project meeting with SBBC representative
- 3. Review job schedule with SBBC representative
- 4. Order all project materials
- 5. Internal review with the SBBC representative
- 6. Provide engineered drawings
- 7. Obtain building permit from SBBC Building Department
- 8. Lockout tag out electrical in work area
- 9. Order 811 Utility Survey for underground utilities
- 10. Floor scans to identify indoor sub floor utilities
- 11. Demo existing walls, cooler/freezer, chain link fencing surrounding it and concrete pad it sits on.
- 12. Cut concrete in kitchen floor to install floor drain and drainage piping
- 13. Level pad per drawings, place steel framing supports and pour flooring.
- 14. Run new refrigerant lines from cooler freezer units to condensing units outside building adjacent on ground level.
- 15. Run Condensate Drain Lines as specified on drawings
- 16. Install Weiss Model #XWA11V 100 x 64mm format digital thermometer with alarm.
- 17. Power up unit and test for all leaks
- 18. Perform all start up and tests to validate operation.

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- 19. Inspections at each trades completion
- 20. Finish walls and floors to match existing other walls and floors in rooms affected
- 21. Provide Fire Sprinkler System as needed including all necessary drawings and specs including up to four (4) sprinkler heads.
- 22. Provide final close out for inspection
- 23. Execute job close-out meeting with SBBC personnel.

The following assumptions apply that are not to be included in the proposal:

- Plumbing, piping, connections and sewer drain installation shall be done by the School Board of Broward County (SBBC) staff including materials necessary for this work.
- Any and all upgrades/repairs to School Facilities including electrical panels, mains, branches, etc. not specifically listed in the drawings that have been approved by the SBBC Building Permit department.
- Any Fire/Smoke alarm system interaction including removal of detectors or related equipment, upgrades, repairs, inspections, etc. not specifically listed above.
- Electrical work to be completed by SBBC including running conduits, power lines and panel work.
- Any overtime labor unless specified.
- Any work not specifically listed on the proposal above.

COST OF SERVICES/PRICE SUMMARY SHEET

This section (pages 14-16) must be submitted as part of the proposal submittal

BALLY REPRESENTATIVE	YES	NO
Have you provided a copy of Manufacturer's Distribution and Installation certification?	YES	NO
Is the Primary Contractor or the contractor performing construction as part of your team pre-qualified with the School Board of Broward County? (Provide evidence)	YES	NO

KOLPAK REPRESENTATIVE	YES	NO
Have you provided a copy of Manufacturer's Distribution and Installation certification?	YES	NO
Is the Primary Contractor or the contractor performing construction as part of your team pre-qualified with the School Board of Broward County? (Provide evidence)	YES	NO

THERMAKOOL REPRESENTATIVE	YES	NO
Have you provided a copy of Manufacturer's Distribution and Installation certification?	YES	NO
Is the Primary Contractor or the contractor performing construction as part of your team pre-qualified with the School Board of Broward County? (Provide evidence)	YES	NO

ITEM 1:	Walk-in freezer unit - Outdoor Manufacturers: Bally, Kolpak or Therma Kool	% off manufacturer's list price
	Brand Offered:	
	Model Offered:	
	Minimum Shipment:	
	Delivery (days ARO):	
	Miscellaneous Parts	% off manufacturer's list price

<u>ITEM 2:</u>	Walk-in cooler unit - Outdoor Manufacturers: Bally, Kolpak or Therma Kool	% off manufacturer's list price
	Brand Offered:	
	Model Offered:	
	Minimum Shipment:	
	Delivery (days ARO):	
	Miscellaneous Parts	% off manufacturer's list price

<u>ITEM 3:</u>	Walk-in freezer/cooler unit - Indoor Manufacturers: Bally, Kolpak or Therma Kool	% off manufacturer's list price
	Brand Offered:	· ·
	Model Offered:	
	Minimum Shipment:	
	Delivery (days ARO):	
	Miscellaneous Parts	% off manufacturer's list price

<u>ITEM 4:</u>	Walk-in freezer/cooler unit - Outdoor Manufacturers: Bally, Kolpak or Therma Kool	% off manufacturer's list price
	Brand Offered:	
	Model Offered:	
	Minimum Shipment:	
	Delivery (days ARO):	
	Miscellaneous Parts	% off manufacturer's list price

LABOR RATES FOR REGULAR AND OVERTIME		
Technicians \$per hour (regular)* \$per hour (overtime)**		
	* regular hours (7:00am to 5:00pm)	** overtime hours (after 5:00pm & Saturdays) prior approval required.

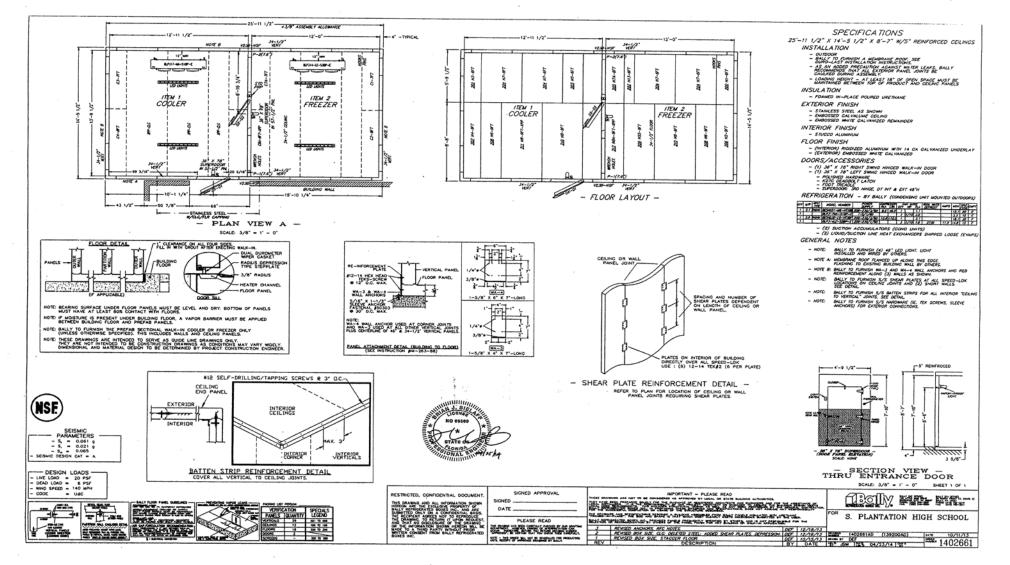
The following is a formatted guide to be used for submittal for Section 4.2.10 "Cost of Services". However Contractor may add and/or delete lines as necessary to include all the necessary costs to complete the work as per the Drawings provided along with the Hypothetical Scope of Service to determine the lowest cost to achieve the highest points allowed.

ITEM NO	DESCRIPTION	EST QTY	UNITS	UNIT COST	VALUE		
SECTION 1 – DESIG							
1.1	(Enter job classification)				\$		
Sub Total Section 1							
SECTION 2 – LABO							
2.1	(Enter job classification)			\$	\$		
2.2	(Enter job classification)			\$	\$		
2.3	(Enter job classification)			\$	\$		
2.4	(Enter job classification)			\$	\$		
2.5	(Enter job classification)			\$	\$		
2.6	(Enter job classification)						
2.7	(Enter job classification)						
Sub Total Section 2					\$		
SECTION 3 – CONS			1		1.		
3.1	(Enter detail information)			\$	\$		
3.2	(Enter detail information)			\$	\$		
3.3	(Enter detail information)			\$	\$		
3.4				\$	\$		
Sub Total Section 3							
SECTION 4 - MATE			1	-	1.		
4.1	(Manufacturer equipment)			\$	\$		
4.2	(Equipment/Supply)			\$	\$		
4.3	(Equipment/Supply)			\$	\$		
4.4	(Equipment/Supply)			\$	\$		
4.5	(Equipment/Supply)			\$	\$		
4.6	(Equipment/Supply)			\$	\$		
4.7	(Equipment/Supply)			\$	\$		
Sub Total Section 4					\$		
SECTION 5 - MISCE			1		-		
5.1	(Enter detailed information)			\$	\$		
5.2	(Enter detailed information)			\$	\$		
5.3	(Enter detailed information)			\$	\$		
5.4	(Enter detailed information)			\$	\$		
5.5	(Enter detailed information)			\$	\$		
5.6	(Enter detailed information)			\$	\$		
5.7	(Enter detailed information)			\$	\$		
Sub Total Section 5					\$		

Total Sections 1 through 5	\$
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MAXIMUM POINTS ALLOCATED: <u>20</u>

FOR BIDDING PURPOSES ONLY



4.0 INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN THE SUBMITTED PROPOSAL (Continued)

4.4 <u>M/WBE Participation: (Maximum 10 allowable points):</u> SBBC has a Supplier Diversity & Outreach Program. An M/WBE is defined by SBBC as any legal entity, other than a joint venture, which is organized to engage in commercial transactions and which is a least 51% owned and controlled by minority persons. For information on M/WBE Certification, contact SBBC's Supplier Diversity & Outreach Program at 754-321-0550. SBBC's Florida Supplier Diversity & Outreach Program works to increase the participation of Minority and Women Business Enterprise (M/WBE). It is the intent of the Supplier Diversity & Outreach Program to have a diverse group, as well as an equitable distribution of M/WBE's, participating on any award of this Proposal.

4.4.1	<u>M/WBE Information</u> : Proposer will be evaluated and points will be allocated for criterion 4.4.4.2, 4.4.4.3 and 4.4.4.4 depending on the information submitted by the Proposer	Maximum Points
4.4.2	Identify the M/WBE firm or firms who will be working with you on this engagement (see Attachment A3, M/WBE Participation). Indicate the extent and nature of the M/WBE's work with specificity, as it relates to the services as described in this RFP, including the percentage of the total costs which will be received by the M/WBE firm in connection with this Proposal (See Attachment A3). Provide proof, in writing, that each proposed firm to be utilized as an M/WBE is certified by The School Board of Broward County, Florida	6
4.4.3	Proposer shall provide the staff diversity information by completing and submitting Attachment A2, Employment Diversity Statistics.	2
4.4.4	Proposer shall submit information of its involvement in the minority community. Such evidence may include, but not be limited to, minority sponsored events, purchases made from minority companies, scholarship funds targeting minority students, financial contributions and/or providing other corporate resources for minority community projects.	2
	TOTAL POINTS	10
	The Awardee will be required to submit a monthly M/WBE Utilization Report (see Attachment A1) to our Supplier Diversity & Outreach Program, which will track payments to M/WBE(s). This report is required 15 days after the end of each month, whether the M/WBE(s) received payments or not, until all committed remuneration has been received by the M/WBE. <u>State your willingness to comply with this requirement.</u>	
	Awardee must provide the Supplier Diversity & Outreach Program a 30-day written notice for substitution of an M/WBE Proposer. <u>State your willingness to comply with this requirement.</u>	

5.0 EVALUATION OF PROPOSALS

5.1 The Evaluation Committee (hereinafter referred to as "Committee"), shall evaluate all Proposals received, which meet or exceed Section 4.2, Minimum Eligibility Requirements and Section 7.1 Indemnification, according to the following criteria:

<u>C/</u>	ATEGORY		MAXIMUM POINTS
A.	Experience to include Past Performance		20
В.	Assigned Staff Qualifications and Experience		25
C.	Approach and Proposed Method		25
D.	Cost of Services		20
E.	Supplier Diversity & Outreach ProgramE.1ParticipationE.2DiversityE.3Community Outreach	TOTAL	6 2 <u>2</u> 100

Failure to respond, provide detailed information or to provide requested Proposal elements may result in the reduction of points in the evaluation process. The Committee may recommend the rejection of any proposal containing material deviations from the RFP. The Committee may recommend waiving any irregularities and technicalities.

- 5.2 The Committee reserves the right to ask questions of a clarifying nature once Proposals have been opened, require presentations from all Proposers, interview any or all Proposers that respond to the RFP, or make their recommendations based solely on the information contained in the Proposals submitted. Presentations, if required, will be part of the evaluation process.
- 5.3 Based upon Section 5.1, the Committee, at its sole discretion, may commence negotiations with selected Proposer(s). The Committee reserves the right to negotiate any term, condition, specification, or price (other than Section 4.2 and Section 7.1) with a selected Proposer(s). In the event that mutually agreeable negotiations cannot be reached with a Proposer, the Committee may negotiate with the next ranked Proposer(s), and so forth. An impasse may be declared by the Committee at any time. The Committee will make a recommendation to the Superintendent. The Superintendent may choose to post the recommendation as its intended action of the District in accordance with Section 120.57(3) Florida Statutes or the Superintendent may choose to return the recommendation to the Committee for further deliberations consistent with the RFP.
- 5.4 **PRICE PROPOSALS:** Evaluation of the Cost of Services as per Section 4.2.10 herein will be 20% or 20 points based on the lowest overall cost for the Hypothetical Scope of Services with information gained from the drawings herein entitled, "For Bidding Purposes Only". Calculation of points for Price Proposals will be completed as described in the following **EXAMPLE.**

FIRM NAME	PRICE PROPOSAL	LOWEST COST	20% OF LOW	MULTIPLIER	TOTAL POINTS
		PRICE PROPOSAL			ASSIGNED
Firm "A"	\$250,000	\$175,000	14%	20	14
Firm "B"	\$175,000	\$175,000	20%	20	20
Firm "C"	\$300,000	\$175,000	11.67%	20	11.67

5.5 <u>Award:</u> SBBC intends to approve only the Proposer(s) that have complied with the terms, conditions and requirements of the overall RFP and receive 70 points or higher from the Committee and approval will be based on the scores ascribed to Proposals as outlined in Evaluation Process and will be made for the goods and services required by SBBC as stated in the RFP. After the conclusion of negotiations, the recommended award would be made for the goods and services sought in the RFP in accordance with the terms of negotiations. An Agreement (in the form of the Sample Agreement attached hereto as Attachment "G") shall be prepared for execution by the Awardee and The School Board, and shall be governed by the laws of the State of Florida, and must have venue established in the 17th Court of Broward County, Florida or the United States Court of the Southern District of Florida. This Agreement approved by SBBC's General Counsel will be submitted to SBBC for final approval. <u>Approval shall not be a guarantee of business, a guarantee of specified volume of service or minimum dollar revenue to be received on this contract.</u>

6.0 SPECIAL CONDITIONS

6.1 The complete original hard-copy Proposal properly completed and signed must be submitted in a sealed envelope and received **on or before 2:00 p.m. ET, Wednesday, December 17, 2014** at the following address in order to be considered:

PROCUREMENT & WAREHOUSING SERVICES SBBC 7720 West Oakland Park Boulevard, Suite 323 Sunrise, Florida 33351-6704 Attention: RFP 15-076C - RFP TITLE: PURCHASE AND INSTALLATION OF INDOOR/OUTDOOR WALK-IN FREEZERS/COOLERS

One complete, original hard-copy Proposal (clearly marked as such), and one complete, original electronic version (all clearly marked as "original") will constitute the original governing documents. The electronic version in Microsoft Word 6.0 or higher on CD/flash drive and six (6) copies (which must be identical to the original Proposal, **including any supplemental information/marketing materials**), of the RFP Proposal, including the <u>REQUIRED RESPONSE FORM</u> (Page 1 of RFP 15-076C), must be fully executed and returned on or before 2:00 p.m. ET on date due to the Procurement & Warehousing Services Department in accordance with the submittal requirements. All Proposals shall be submitted in sealed packaging with RFP number and the Proposer's firm name clearly marked on the exterior of package.

6.2 <u>JOINT VENTURES:</u> In the event multiple Proposers submit a joint Proposal in response to the RFP, a single Proposer shall be identified as the Prime Proposer. If offering a joint Proposal, Prime Proposer must include the name and address of all parties of the joint Proposal. Prime Proposer shall provide all bonding and insurance requirements, execute any Contract, complete the <u>REQUIRED RESPONSE FORM</u> shown herein, have overall and complete accountability to resolve any dispute arising within this contract. Only a single contract with one Proposer shall be acceptable. Prime Proposer responsibilities shall include, but not be limited to, performing of overall contract administration, preside over other Proposers participating or present at SBBC meetings, oversee preparation of reports and presentations, and file any notice of protest and final protest as described herein. Prime Proposer shall also prepare and present a consolidated invoice(s) for services performed. SBBC shall issue only one check for each consolidated invoice to the Prime Proposer for services performed. Prime Proposer shall remain responsible for performing services associated with response to this RFP.

6.3 **INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS**

MINIMUM INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS

- 6.3.1 **GENERAL LIABILITY:** Limits not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence for Bodily Injury/ Property Damage; \$1,000,000 General Aggregate. Limits not less than \$1,000,000 for Products/Completed Operations Aggregate.
- 6.3.2 **WORKER'S COMPENSATION:** Florida Statutory limits in accordance with Chapter 440; Employer's Liability limits not less than \$100,000/\$100,000/\$500,000 (each accident/disease-each employee/disease-policy limit).
- 6.3.3. **PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY:** Limits not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence covering services provided under this contract.
- 6.3.4 **AUTO LIABILITY:** Owned, Non-Owned and Hired Auto Liability with Bodily Injury and Property Damage limits of not less than \$1,000,000 Combined Single Limit.

If Awardee does not own any vehicles, hired and non-owned automobile liability coverage in the amount of \$1,000,000 will be accepted. In addition, an affidavit signed by the Awardee must be furnished to SBBC indicating the following:

(Awardee Name) does not own any vehicles. In the event insured acquires any vehicles throughout the term of this agreement, insured agrees to provide proof of "Any Auto" coverage effective the date of acquisition. (Fax affidavit with Certificate of Insurance to SBBC Risk Management at 866-897-0424.)

- 6.3.5 ACCEPTABILITY OF INSURANCE CARRIERS: The insurance policies shall be issued by companies qualified to do business in the State of Florida. The insurance companies must be rated at least A- VI by AM Best or Aa3 by Moody's Investor Service.
- 6.3.6 VERIFICATION OF COVERAGE: Proof of the required insurance must be furnished by an Awardee to SBBC Risk Management Department by Certificate of Insurance within 15 days of notification of award. All certificates (and any required documents) must be received and approved by SBBC before any work commences to permit Awardee time to remedy any deficiencies. FAX CERTIFICATES OF INSURANCE TO SBBC RISK MANAGEMENT AT 866-897-0424.
- 6.3.7 REQUIRED CONDITIONS: Liability policies must contain the following provisions. In addition, the following wording must be included on the Certificate of Insurance: The School Board of Broward County, FL, its members, officers, employees and agents are added as additional insured. The endorsement # is: ______.
 All liability policies are primary of all other valid and collectable coverage maintained by the School Board of Broward County, Florida. (**Please include the Contract # and Title on the Certificate of Insurance.)
 (Certificate Holder: School Board of Broward County, 600 Southeast Third Avenue, Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

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6.3.8 **CANCELLATION OF INSURANCE:** Vendors are prohibited from providing services under this contract with SBBC without the minimum required insurance coverage and must notify SBBC within two business days if required insurance is cancelled.

6.4 AWARDEE ACCOUNTING RECORDS AND RIGHT TO AUDIT PROVISIONS:

- 6.4.1 Awardee's and Sub-Contractor's records shall include, but not be limited to, accounting records, payroll time sheets, audited and unaudited financial statements to substantiate payment rates and income, written policies and procedures, Sub-Contractor's files and any other supporting evidence necessary to substantiate payments and income related to this Agreement (all the foregoing herein after referred to as "records") shall be open to inspection and subject to audit and/or reproduction, during normal working hours, by SBBC's agent or its authorized representative to the extent necessary to adequately permit evaluation and verification of any invoices, payments or claims submitted by the Awardee(s) or any of his/her payees pursuant to the execution of the Agreement. Such records subject to examination shall also include, but not be limited to, those records necessary to evaluate and verify payments and any other matters or items associated with this Agreement.
- 6.4.2 For the purpose of such audits, inspections, examinations and evaluations, SBBC's agent or authorized representative shall have access to said records from the effective date of this Agreement, for the duration of the work, and until five (5) years after the date of final payment by Awardee(s) pursuant to this Agreement. All payments which cannot be documented as paid as required by the Agreement and found not to be in compliance with the provisions of this Agreement, shall be reimbursed to SBBC.
- 6.4.3 SBBC's agent or its authorized representative shall have access to the Awardee's facilities, shall have access to all necessary records and shall be provided adequate and appropriate work space, in order to conduct audits in compliance with this article. SBBC's agent or its authorized representative shall give audited firm reasonable advance notice of intended audits.
- 6.4.4 Awardee(s) shall certify that payments are accurate and correct on each and every payment. If an audit reveals discrepancies, such as an over payment, the Awardee will be required to reimburse SBBC for the discrepancy with a minimum of eighteen percent (18%) per annum.
- 6.4.5 If an audit inspection or examination in accordance with this article, discloses over payments (of any nature) to the Awardee(s) by SBBC in excess of ten (10%) percent of the total payments, the actual cost of SBBC's audit shall be paid by the Awardee as well as the over payments by SBBC.

6.5 <u>W-9 FORM</u>

6.5.1 All Proposers are requested to complete the attached W-9, Attachment E, and submit with their Proposal.

7.0 GENERAL CONDITIONS

- 7.1 <u>INDEMNIFICATION</u>: This General Condition of the RFP is NOT subject to negotiation and any Proposal that fails to accept these conditions will be rejected as "non-responsive".
 - 7.1.1 By SBBC: SBBC agrees to be fully responsible for its acts of negligence or its agents' acts of negligence when acting within the scope of their employment and agrees to be liable for any damages resulting from said negligence. Nothing herein is intended to serve as a waiver of sovereign immunity by SBBC. Nothing herein shall be construed as consent by SBBC to be sued by third parties in any matter arising out of any contract. Nothing herein shall be construed as a waiver by SBBC to any rights or limits to liability under Section 768.28, Florida Statutes.
 - 7.1.2 By AWARDEE: AWARDEE agrees to indemnify, hold harmless and defend SBBC, its agents, servants and employees from any and all claims, judgments, costs and expenses including, but not limited to, reasonable attorney's fees, reasonable investigative and discovery costs, court costs and all other sums which SBBC, its agents, servants and employees may pay or become obligated to pay on account of any, all and every claim or demand, or assertion of liability, or any claim or action founded thereon, arising or alleged to have arisen out of the products, goods or services furnished by the VENDOR, its agents, servants or employees; the equipment of the AWARDEE, its agents, servants or employees while such equipment is on premises owned or controlled by SBBC; or the negligence of AWARDEE or the negligence of AWARDEE's agents when acting within the scope of their employment, whether such claims, judgments, costs and expenses be for damages, damage to property including SBBC's property, and injury or death of any person whether employed by the AWARDEE, SBBC or otherwise.
- 7.2 IRREVOCABILITY OF PROPOSAL: A Proposal may not be withdrawn before the expiration of 90 days from the date of Proposal opening.
- 7.3 <u>EVALUATION COMMITTEES AND PROPOSALS</u>: SBBC and its Proposal Evaluation Committees evaluate and negotiate all Proposals in accordance with State Statutes 119.071 and 286.0113.
- 7.4 **INFORMATION NOT IN RFP:** No verbal or written information which is obtained other than by information in this document or Addenda to this Request for Proposal shall be binding on SBBC.
- 7.5 **PROPOSAL PUBLIC RECORD:** Proposer acknowledges that all information contained within their Proposal is part of the public domain as defined by the State of Florida Sunshine and Public Record Laws.
- 7.6 NONCONFORMANCE TO CONTRACT CONDITIONS: Services offered must be in compliance with RFP conditions and specifications and any resulting Agreement at all times. Services not conforming to RFP conditions, specifications or time frames may be terminated at Awardee(s) expense and acquired on the open market. Any increase in cost may be charged against the Awardee(s). Any violation of these stipulations may also result in:
 - 7.6.1 For a period of two years, any RFP submitted by Proposer will not be considered and will not be recommended for award.
 - 7.6.2 All departments being advised not to do business with Proposer.
- 7.7 <u>APPLICABLE LAW:</u> This RFP and any Agreement resulting from it shall be interpreted and construed according to the laws of the State of Florida.
- 7.8 <u>GOVERNING LAW</u>: This RFP, and any award(s) resulting from this RFP, shall be interpreted and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida. Any protests arising from this RFP shall be subject to Section 120.57(3), Florida Statutes. Any disputes or controversies arising out of a contract awarded under this RFP shall be submitted to the jurisdiction of the state courts of the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit in and for Broward County, Florida.
- 7.9 <u>LEGAL REQUIREMENTS</u>: Federal, state, county and local laws, ordinances, rules and regulations that in any manner affect the goods or services covered herein apply. Lack of knowledge by the Proposer will in no way be a cause for relief from responsibility.
- 7.10 <u>ADVERTISING</u>: In submitting an RFP, Proposer agrees not to use the results therefrom as a part of any commercial advertising without prior written approval of SBBC.
- 7.11 **PAYMENT:** A purchase order will be released after award by SBBC for any services to be performed as a result of the RFP. Payment will be provided after services are in compliance with all the conditions of this RFP. All payments will be made by ACH (Automated Clearing House) for automatic deposits (credits). ACH Payment Agreement Form is attached to this RFP.
- 7.12 **EXPENDITURE:** No guarantee is given or implied as to the total dollar value or work as a result of this RFP. SBBC is not obligated to place any order for services performed as a result of this award. Order placement will be based upon the needs and in the best interest of SBBC.

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- 7.13 CONFLICT OF INTEREST AND CONFLICTING EMPLOYMENT OR CONTRACTUAL RELATIONSHIP: Section 112.313 (3) and (7), Florida Statutes, sets forth restrictions on the ability of SBBC employees acting in a private capacity to rent, lease, or sell any realty, goods, or services to SBBC. It also places restrictions on SBBC employees concerning outside employment or contractual relationships with any business entity which is doing business with SBBC. Each Proposer is to disclose any employees it has who are also SBBC employees by submitting Attachment B with its Proposal. Any employees identified by the Proposer when completing Attachment B should obtain legal advice as to their obligations and restrictions under Section 112.313 (3) and (7), Florida Statutes.
- 7.14 **PATENTS AND ROYALTIES:** The Proposer, without exception, shall indemnify and save harmless SBBC and its employees from liability of any nature or kind, including cost and expenses for any copyrighted, patented, or unpatented invention, process, or article manufactured or used in the performance of the contract, including its use by SBBC. If the Proposer uses any design, device, or materials covered by letters, patent, or copyright, it is mutually understood and agreed without exception that the RFP prices shall include all royalties or cost arising from the use of such design, device or materials in any way involved in the work.
- 7.15 **DISPUTES:** In the event of a conflict between the documents, the order of priority of the documents shall be as follows:
 - > Any Agreement resulting from the award of this RFP (if applicable); then
 - > Addenda released for this RFP, with the latest Addendum taking precedence; then
 - ➤ the RFP; then
 - > Awardee's Proposal.

In case of any other doubt or difference of opinion, the decision of SBBC shall be final and binding on both parties.

- 7.16 OSHA: The Proposer warrants that the product supplied to SBBC shall conform in all respects to the standards set forth in the Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970, as amended, and the failure to comply with this condition will be considered as a breach of contract.
- 7.17 <u>ANTI-DISCRIMINATION:</u> SBBC prohibits any policy or procedure which results in discrimination on the basis of age, color, disability, gender identity, gender expression, national origin, marital status, race, religion, sex or sexual orientation. Individuals who wish to file a discrimination and/or harassment complaint may call the Executive Director, Benefits & EEO Compliance at 754-321-2150 or Teletype Machine TTY 754-321-2158.
- 7.18 <u>LIABILITY, INSURANCE, LICENSES AND PERMITS</u>: The Proposer agrees to The Indemnification Provision stated herein and will assume the full duty, obligation and expense of obtaining all necessary licenses, permits and insurance. Where Awardee(s) is required to enter or go onto SBBC property to deliver materials or perform work or services, the Awardee(s) shall be liable for any damages or loss to SBBC occasioned by negligence of the Awardee(s) (or agent) or any person the Awardee(s) has designated in the completion of the contract.
- 7.19 <u>BILLING INSTRUCTIONS AND PAYMENT</u>: Invoices, unless otherwise indicated, must show purchase order numbers and shall be submitted in duplicate to The School Board of Broward County, Florida, Accounting and Financial Reporting Department, Attn: Accounts Payable, 600 S.E. 3rd Avenue, 7th Floor, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33301. Payment will be made a minimum of 30 days after delivery, authorized inspection and acceptance. When vendors are directed to send invoices to a school, the school will make direct payments to the vendor.
- 7.20 <u>PUBLIC ENTITY CRIMES:</u> Section 287.133(2)(a), Florida Statutes, as currently enacted or as amended from time to time, states that a person or affiliate who has been placed on the convicted vendor list following a conviction for a public entity crime may not submit a Proposal on a contract to provide any goods or services to a public entity, may not submit a Proposal on a contract with a public entity for the construction or repair of a public building or public work, may not submit a Proposal on leases of real property to a public entity, may not be awarded or perform work as a contractor, supplier, subcontractor, or consultant under a contract with any public entity, and may not transact business with any public entity in excess of the threshold amount provided in Section 287.017 for CATEGORY TWO [currently \$25,000] for a period of 36 months from the date of being placed on the convicted vendor list.
- 7.21 CERTIFICATION REGARDING DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION, INELIGIBILITY OR VOLUNTARY EXCLUSION Lower Tier Covered Transactions: Executive Order 12549, as currently enacted or as amended from time to time, provides that, to the extent permitted by law, Executive departments and agencies shall participate in a government-wide system for non-procurement debarment and suspension. A person who is debarred or suspended shall be excluded from Federal financial and non-financial assistance and benefits under Federal programs and activities. Except as provided in § 85.200, Debarment or Suspension, § 85.201, Treatment of Title IV HEA participation, and §85.215, Exception provision, debarment or suspension of a participant in a program by one agency shall have government-wide effect. A lower tier covered transaction is, in part, any transaction between a participant [SBBC] and a person other than a procurement contract for goods or services, regardless of type, under a primary covered transaction; and any procurement contract for goods or services between a participant and a person, regardless of type, expected to equal or exceed the Federal procurement small purchase threshold fixed at 10 U.S.C. 2304(g) and 41 U.S.C. 253(g) (currently \$100,000) under a primary covered transaction; or any procurement contract for goods or services between a participant and a person under a covered transaction, regardless of amount, under which that person will have a critical influence on or substantive control over that covered transaction. A participant may rely upon the certification of a prospective participant in a lower tier covered transaction that it and its principals are not debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment under 48 CFR part 9, subpart 9.4, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from the

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CERTIFICATION

- 7.21.1 The prospective lower tier participant certifies, by submission of this Proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any Federal department or agency.
- 7.21.2 Where the prospective lower tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this Proposal.
- 7.22 BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (M/WBE) PARTICIPATION: SBBC has a Supplier Diversity & Outreach Program whose intent is to have a diverse group of Minorities and Women Business enterprises (M/WBE) participating on SBBC contract awards. SBBC encourages each Proposer to make every reasonable effort to include M/WBE participation on any contract award under this RFP. An M/WBE is defined by SBBC as any legal entity, other than a joint venture, which is organized to engage in commercial transactions and which is at least 51% owned and controlled by minority or women. If the Proposer is a Certified M/WBE by SBBC or by the State of Florida, Office of Supplier Diversity, Department of Management, Proposer should indicate its certification number in its Proposal.

For information on M/WBE Certification, or to obtain information on locating certified M/WBE's, contact SBBC's Supplier Diversity & Outreach Program at 754-321-0550 or www.broward.k12.fl.us/supply/vendors/mwbe.htm.

To receive evaluation points for M/WBE participation, the Proposal shall identify the specific certified M/WBE which will be utilized. The specific elements of work each M/WBE will be responsible for performing, and the dollar value of the work, as the percentage of the total contract value, must be provided.

7.23 **PROTESTING OF RFP CONDITIONS/SPECIFICATIONS:** Any person desiring to protest the conditions/specifications in this RFP, or any Addenda subsequently released thereto, shall file a notice of intent to protest, in writing, within 72 hours after electronic release of the competitive solicitation or Addendum and shall file a formal written protest within ten calendar days after the date the notice of protest was filed. Saturdays, Sundays, state holidays or days during which the school district administration is closed shall be excluded in the computation of the 72 hours. If the tenth calendar day falls on a Saturday, Sunday, state holiday or day during which the school district administration is closed, the formal written protest must be received on or before 5:00 p.m. EST of the next calendar day that is not a Saturday, Sunday, state holiday or day during which the school district administration is closed. Section 120.57(3)(b), Florida Statutes, as currently enacted or as amended from time to time, states that **"The formal written protest shall state with particularity the facts and law upon which the protest is based"**.

Failure to file a notice of protest or to file a formal written protest within the time prescribed by Section 120.57(3), Florida Statutes, or a failure to post the bond or other security required by Policy 3320, within the time allowed for filing a bond, shall constitute a waiver of proceedings. The failure to post the bond required by SBBC Policy 3320, Part VIII, as currently enacted or as amended from time to time, shall constitute a waiver of proceedings. Notices of protest, formal written protests, and the bonds required by Policy 3320, shall be filed at the office of the Director of Procurement & Warehousing Services, 7720 West Oakland Park Boulevard, Suite 323, Sunrise, Florida 33351 (fax 754-321-0936). Fax filing will not be acceptable for the filing of bonds.

7.24 POSTING OF REP RECOMMENDATIONS/TABULATIONS: RFP Recommendations and Tabulations will be posted in the Procurement & Warehousing Services Department and on www.demandstar.com on Monday, January 12, 2015 at 3:00 p.m. ET, and will remain posted for 72 hours. Any change to the date and time established herein for posting of RFP Recommendations/Tabulations shall be posted in the Procurement & Warehousing Services Department and/or at www.demandstar.com (under the document section for this RFP). In the event the date and time of the posting of RFP Recommendations/Tabulations is changed, it is the responsibility of each Proposer to ascertain the revised date of the posting of RFP Recommendations/Tabulations. Any person desiring to protest the intended decision shall file a notice of protest, in writing, within 72 hours after the posting of the RFP tabulation and shall file a formal written protest within ten calendar days after the date the notice of protest was filed. Saturdays, Sundays, state holidays and days during which the school district administration is closed shall be excluded in the computation of the 72 hours. If the tenth calendar day falls on a Saturday, Sunday, state holiday or day during which the school district administration is closed, the formal written protest must be received on or before 5:00 p.m. EST of the next calendar day that is not a Saturday or Sunday, state holiday or days during which the school district administration is closed. No submissions made after the Proposal opening amending or supplementing the Proposal shall be considered. Section 120.57(3)(b), Florida Statutes, as currently enacted or as amended from time to time, states that "The formal written protest shall state with particularity the facts and law upon which the protest is based". Any person who files an action protesting an intended decision shall post with SBBC, at the time of filing the formal written protest, a bond, payable to SBBC in an amount equal to one percent (1%) of SBBC's estimate of the total volume of the contract. SBBC shall provide the estimated contract amount to the vendor within 72 hours, excluding Saturdays, Sundays and other days during which SBBC administration is closed, of receipt of notice of intent to protest. The estimated contract amount is not subject to protest pursuant to Section 120.57(3), Florida Statutes. The bond shall be conditioned upon the payment of all costs which may be adjudged against the protestant in an Administrative Hearing in which the action is brought and in any subsequent appellate court proceeding. In lieu of a bond, SBBC may accept a cashier's check, official bank check or money order in the amount of the bond. If, after completion of the Administrative Hearing process and any appellate court

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proceedings, SBBC prevails, SBBC shall recover all costs and charges which shall be included in the Final Order or judgment, including charges made by the Division of Administrative Hearings, but excluding attorney's fees. Upon payment of such costs and charges by the protestant, the bond shall be returned. If the protestant prevails, then the protestant shall recover from the Board all costs and charges which shall be included in the Final Order or judgment, excluding attorney's fees. All documentation necessary for the protest proceedings will be provided electronically by SBBC.

Failure to file a notice of protest or to file a formal written protest within the time prescribed by Section 120.57(3), Florida Statutes, or a failure to post the bond or other security required by Policy 3320 within the time allowed for filing a bond, shall constitute a waiver of proceedings. The failure to post the bond required by SBBC Policy 3320, Part VIII, as currently enacted or as amended from time to time, shall constitute a waiver of proceedings. Notices of protests, formal written protests, and the bonds required by Policy 3320, shall be filed at the office of the Director of Procurement & Warehousing Services, 7720 West Oakland Park Boulevard, Suite 323, Sunrise, Florida 33351 (fax 754-321-0936). Fax filing will not be acceptable for the filing of bonds.

- 7.25 USE OF OTHER CONTRACTS: SBBC reserves the right to utilize any other SBBC contract, any State of Florida Contract, any contract awarded by any other city or county governmental agencies, other school boards, other community college/state university system cooperative agreements, or to directly negotiate/purchase per SBBC policy and/or State Board Rule 6A-1.012, as currently enacted or as amended from time to time, in lieu of any offer received or award made as a result of this RFP if it is in its best interest to do so.
- 7.26 <u>ASSIGNMENT:</u> Neither any award of this RFP nor any interest in any award of this RFP may be assigned, transferred or encumbered by any party without the prior written consent of the Director, Procurement & Warehousing Services Department. There shall be no partial assignments of this RFP including, without limitation, the partial assignment of any right to receive payments from SBBC.
- 7.27 <u>CANCELLATION</u>: In the event any of the provisions of this RFP are violated by the Awardee, the Superintendent shall give written notice to the Awardee stating the deficiencies and unless deficiencies are corrected within five days, recommendation will be made to SBBC for immediate cancellation.
- 7.28 **REASONABLE ACCOMMODATION:** Individuals with disabilities requesting accommodations under the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) may call Equal Educational Opportunities (EEO) at 754-321-2150 or Teletype Machine 754-321-2158.
- 7.29 <u>CONE OF SILENCE:</u> Any proposer, or lobbyist for a proposer, is prohibited from having any communications (except as provided in this rule) concerning any solicitation for a competitive procurement with any School Board member, the Superintendent, any Evaluation Committee Member, or any other School District employee after the Procurement & Warehousing Services Department releases a solicitation to the General Public. All communications regarding this solicitation shall be directed to the designated Purchasing Agent unless so notified by the Procurement & Warehousing Services Department. This "Cone of Silence" period shall go into effect and shall remain in effect from the time of release of the solicitation until the contract is awarded by the School Board. Further, any vendor, its principals, or their lobbyists shall not offer campaign contributions to School Board Members or offer contributions to School Board. This period of limitation of offering campaign contributions shall commence at the time of the "cone of silence" period for any solicitation for a competitive procurement as described by School Board Policy 3320, Part II, Section GG as well as School Board Policy 1007, Section 5.4 Campaign Contribution Fundraising. Any vendor or lobbyist who violates this provision shall cause their Proposal (or that of their principal) to be considered non-responsive and therefore be ineligible for award.

7.30 SBBC PHOTO IDENTIFICATION BADGE:

Background Screening: Awardee agrees to comply with all the requirements of Sections 1012.32 and 1012.465, Florida Statutes, and that Awardee and all its personnel who (1) are to be permitted access to school grounds when students are present, (2) will have direct contact with students, or (3) have access or control of school funds will successfully complete the background screening required by the referenced statutes and meet the standards established by the statutes. **Personnel shall include employees**, **representatives**, **agents or sub-contractors performing duties under the contract to SBBC and who meet any or all of the three requirements identified above**. This background screening will be conducted by SBBC in advance of Awardee or its personnel providing any services. Awardee will bear the cost of acquiring the background screening required under Section 1012.32, Florida Statutes, and any fee imposed by the Florida Department of Law Enforcement to maintain the fingerprints provided with respect to Awardee and its personnel. The Parties agree that the failure of Awardee to perform any of the duties described in this section shall constitute a material breach of this RFP entitling SBBC to terminate immediately with no further responsibilities or duties to perform under this Agreement. Awardee agrees to indemnify and hold harmless SBBC, its officers and employees of any liability in the form of physical or mental injury, death or property damage resulting in Awardee's failure to comply with the requirements of this section or Sections 1012.32 and 1012.465, Florida Statutes.

SBBC issued identification badges must be worn at all times when on SBBC property and must be worn where they are visible and easily readable.

L-1 Enrollment Services has been contracted to provide all background and fingerprinting services. All questions pertaining to fingerprinting, photo identification and background check services must be directed to the EasyPath Project Coordinator at 754-321-1830 or EasyPathInfo@morphotrust.com. Each individual, for whom a SBBC photo identification badge is requested, must fill out the forms that are required, provide his/her driver's license and social security card, and must be fingerprinted. A background check will be conducted for each badge applicant. SBBC reserves the right to require additional information, should it be necessary, and to deny the issuance of a badge to an applicant. Any applicant, that has been denied a badge, is prohibited from entering SBBC property as an employee, sub-contractor or agent of a contract Awardee. There will be three websites used for services: 1) http://www.l1enrollment.com/state/?st=broward (used for scheduling

and registering applicants) 2) <u>https://sbbc-easypath.browardschools.com/EasyPathWeb/Web.dll</u> (used for vendors to check the status of applicants and order replacement badges) and 3) <u>http://www.i1enrollment.com/state/forms/broward/51f2c822ca09f.pdf</u> (form/application). The total fee for the SBBC photo identification badge, fingerprinting and a FBI background check can be found at the following website: <u>http://www.identogo.com</u>. Payment options can be made by electronic check (e-check), Visa, MasterCard or use of an established escrow account code. These fees are non-refundable and are subject to change without notice. Badges are issued for a one-year period and must be renewed annually. The renewal date will be one year from date of issuance. Failure to renew the badge, at that time, will result in the vendor being required to re-apply and pay the going rate for badging and fingerprinting.

Vendors shall return expired and/or terminated employee badges to the following location: SBBC, Attn: L-1 Enrollment Services, 600 SE 3rd Avenue, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33301.

- 7.31 <u>GRATUITIES</u>: Proposers shall not offer any gratuities, favors, or anything of monetary value to any official, employee, or agent of SBBC; including any School Board Member, Superintendent of Schools and any Evaluation Committee Members, for the purpose of influencing consideration of this Proposal.
- 7.32 **LOBBYIST ACTIVITIES:** In accordance with SBBC Policy 1100B, as currently enacted or as amended from time to time, persons acting as lobbyists must state, at the beginning of their presentation, letter, telephone call, e-mail or facsimile transmission to School Board Members, Superintendent or Members of Senior Management, the group, association, organization or business interest she/he is representing.
 - 7.32.1 A lobbyist is defined as a person who, for immediate or subsequent compensation (e.g., monetary profit/personal gain), represents a public or private group, association, organization or business interest and engages in efforts to influence School Board Members on matters within their official jurisdiction.
 - 7.32.2 A lobbyist is not considered to be a person representing school allied groups (e.g., PTA, DAC, Band Booster Associations, etc.) nor a public official acting in her/his official capacity.
 - 7.32.3 Lobbyists shall annually (July 1) disclose in each instance and for each client prior to any lobbying activities, their identity and activities by completing the lobbyist statement form which can be obtained from official School Board Records, School Board Member's Offices or the Superintendent's Office and will be recorded on SBBC's website, www.browardschools.com.
 - 7.32.4 The lobbyist must disclose any direct business association with any current elected or appointed official or employee of SBBC or any immediate family member of such elected or appointed official or employee of SBBC.
 - 7.32.5 Senior-level employees (Pay Grade 30 and above) and/or School Board Members are prohibited from lobbying activities for one year after resignation or retirement or expiration of their term of office.
 - 7.32.6 The Deputy to the Superintendent shall keep a current list of persons who have submitted the lobbyist statement form.
- 7.33 **PREPARATION COST OF PROPOSAL:** Proposer is solely responsible for any and all costs associated with responding to this RFP. SBBC will not reimburse any Proposer for any costs associated with the preparation and submittal of any Proposal, or for any travel and per diem costs that are incurred by any Proposer.
- 7.34 <u>WITHDRAWAL OF RFP:</u> In the best interest of SBBC, SBBC reserves the right to withdraw this RFP at any time prior to the time and date specified for the Proposal opening.
- 7.35 <u>SEVERABILITY</u> In case of any one or more of the provisions contained in this RFP shall be for any reason be held to be invalid, illegal, unlawful, unenforceable or void in any respect, the invalidity, illegality, unenforceability or unlawful or void nature of that provision shall not affect any other provision and this shall be considered as if such invalid, unlawful, unenforceable or void provision had never been included herein.
- 7.36 It is the sole responsibility of the **Proposer** to assure it has received the entire Proposal and any and all Addendum.
- 7.37 It is the sole responsibility of the **Proposer** to assure that its Proposal is time stamped in the **PROCUREMENT & WAREHOUSING SERVICES DEPARTMENT** on or before 2:00 p.m. EST on the date due.
- 7.38 No verbal or written information which is obtained other than by information in this document or by Addenda to this RFP shall be binding on SBBC.
- 7.39 No submissions made after the Proposal opening, amending or supplementing the Proposal, shall be considered.
- 7.40 ACCEPTANCE AND REJECTION OF PROPOSALS:

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- 7.40.1 Acceptance: All Proposals properly completed and submitted will be evaluated in accordance with Section 5.1. SBBC reserves the right to reject any or all Proposals that contain material deviations from the RFP or that fail to meet all mandatory requirements. SBBC may reject any or all Proposals when it services the best interest of SBBC.
- 7.40.2 SBBC also reserves the right to waive irregularities or technicalities in any Proposal received if such action is in the best interest of SBBC. However, such a waiver shall in no way modify the RFP requirements or excuse the Proposer from full compliance with the RFP specifications and other contract requirements if the Proposer is awarded the contract.
- 7.40.3 **Rejection:** A Proposal may be rejected if it does not conform to the rules or the requirements contained in this RFP. Examples for rejection include, but are not limited to, the following:
 - 7.40.3.1 The Proposal is time-stamped at Procurement & Warehousing Services after the deadline specified in the RFP.
 - 7.40.3.2 Failure to execute and return the enclosed original <u>REQUIRED RESPONSE FORM</u> as defined in Subsection 4.2.8 (see Section 1.0).
 - 7.40.3.3 Failure to respond to all subsections within the RFP.
 - 7.40.3.4 Proof of collusion among Proposers, in which case all suspected Proposals involved in the alleged collusive action shall be rejected, and any participants to such collusion shall be barred from future procurement opportunities until reinstated.
 - 7.40.3.5 The Proposal shows non-compliance with applicable laws or contains any unauthorized additions or deletions, is a conditional Proposal, is an incomplete Proposal, or contains irregularities of any kind which make the Proposal incomplete, indefinite, or ambiguous as to its meaning.
 - 7.40.3.6 The Proposer adds provisions reserving the right to accept or reject an award or to enter into a contract pursuant to an award or adds provisions contrary to those in the RFP.
- 7.41 ORIGINAL DOCUMENT FORMAT: Only the terms and conditions of this solicitation as they were released by SBBC, or amended via Addendum, are valid. Any modification to any term or condition by a Proposer is not binding unless it is expressly agreed to in writing by SBBC.
- 7.42 <u>**TERMINATION:**</u> This RFP may be terminated with or without cause by SBBC during the term hereof upon thirty (30) days written notice to the other parties of its desire to terminate this RFP. In the event of such termination, SBBC shall not be obligated to pay for any services beyond the effective date of termination.
- 7.43 **PRICE REDUCTIONS:** If, from date of Proposal opening, the Awardee either bids the same products and/or services at a lower price than offered to SBBC or reduces the price of the proposed product or service, the lowest of these reduced prices will be extended to SBBC.
- 7.44 **DISTRIBUTION**: DemandStar by Onvia, <u>www.demandstar.com</u>, is the official method approved by the Supply Management and Logistics Department for the distribution of all competitive solicitations including ITBs and RFPs. It is the responsibility of all interested parties to assure they have received all necessary documents, including Addenda and have included all necessary information within their response. SBBC is not responsible for Proposer's failure to obtain complete bidding documents from DemandStar. SBBC reserves the right to reject any Proposal as non-responsive for failure to include all necessary documents or required Addenda. For information regarding the above-referenced solicitation, contact the designated Purchasing Agent as stated herein.
- 7.45 **PURCHASE BY OTHER PUBLIC AGENCIES**: With the consent and agreement of the Awardee(s), purchases may be made under this RFP by other agencies. Such purchases shall be governed by the same terms and conditions as stated herein.
- 7.46 <u>SBBC INFORMATION SECURITY GUIDELINES:</u> It is the responsibility of the vendor to read and adhere to the SBBC Information Security Guidelines when using any device connected to the SBBC's network. Following the conclusion of the contract term, all of SBBC's confidential information must be removed from vendor's equipment and all access privileges must be revoked. Final payment will be withheld until the vendor has confirmed, in writing, that all SBBC's confidential information has been purged from any and all electronic technology devices that were used during this contract and were connected to the SBBC's network.
- 7.47 <u>CONFIDENTIAL RECORDS</u>: The Vendor acknowledges that certain information about the District's students is contained in records created, maintained or accessed by the Vendor and that this information is confidential and protected by the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (FERPA) (20 U.S. C. 1232g), and/or the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) (45 CFR parts 160-164) and related District policies, as amended from time to time, currently available at <u>www.browardschools.com</u>. The confidential information cannot be disclosed unless valid consent is obtained from the District's students or their legal guardians. Both parties agree to protect these records in compliance with FERPA, HIPAA, and the District's policy. To the extent permitted by law, nothing contained herein shall be construed as precluding either party from releasing such information to the other so that each can perform its respective responsibilities.

Vendor agrees that it may create, receive from or on behalf of the District, or have access to, records or record systems that are subject to FERPA and/or HIPAA (collectively, the "Confidential Records"). Vendor represents, warrants, and agrees that it will: (1) hold the Confidential Records in strict confidence and will not use or disclose the Confidential Records except as (a) permitted or required by this Agreement, (b) required by law, or (c) otherwise authorized by the District in writing; (2) safeguard the Confidential Records according to commercially reasonable administrative, physical and technical standards as required by law; and (3) continually monitor its operations and take any and all action necessary to assure that the Confidential Records are safeguarded in accordance with the terms of this Agreement. At the request of the District, Vendor agrees to provide the District with a written summary of the procedures Vendor uses to safeguard the Confidential Records. A breach of these confidentiality requirements

shall constitute grounds for the District to terminate any Agreement with Vendor.

- 7.48 <u>TIE BID PROCEDURES</u>: If the Committee's evaluation results in a tie total score between two or more Proposals, priority shall be given to Proposers in the following sequence:
 - A business that certifies that it has implemented a drug-free workplace program shall be given preference in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 287.087, Florida Statutes, as currently enacted or as amended from time to time;
 - > The Broward County Certified Minority/Women Business Enterprise vendor;
 - > The Palm Beach or Miami-Dade County Certified Minority/Women Business Enterprise vendor;
 - > The Florida Certified Minority/Women Business Enterprise vendor;
 - > The Broward County vendor, other than a Minority/Women Business Enterprise vendor;
 - > The Palm Beach or Miami-Dade County vendor, other than a Minority/Women Business Enterprise vendor;
 - > The Florida vendor, other than a Minority/Women Business Enterprise vendor.
 - ➤ If application of the above criteria does not indicate a priority for award, the award will be decided by a coin toss. The coin toss shall be held publicly either in the Procurement & Warehousing Services Department or the location where the RFP Evaluation takes place. The vendors with the same scores will be invited to be present as witnesses.
- 7.49 If the RFP is for auditing services, and in accordance with Policy 3100 Annual Financial Audit, the independent audit firm selected by the School Board shall serve at the discretion of the School Board for five (5) consecutive years: the firm selected shall not succeed itself as the School Board's independent auditor except for the first selection when the current auditor will be exempted.

ATTACHMENT A

- A1 M/WBE Utilization Report
- A2 Employment Diversity Statistics
- A3 M/WBE Participation

Proposer's Company Name: _

754-321-0550 Telephone

754-321-0934 FAX

Monthly M/WBE Utilization Report

This report is required 15 days after the end of each month, whether the M/WBE(s) received payments or not, until all committed remuneration has been received by the M/WBE.

1. Reporting Period From:

Reporting Period To:

This report is required by The School Board of Broward County, Florida. Failure to comply may result in the School Board commencing proceedings to impose sanctions on the Prime Vendor, in addition to pursuing any other available legal remedy. Sanctions may include the withholding of payments for work committed to M/ WBE participants, and a negative recommendation to award further contracts bid by The School Board of Broward County, Florida.

Prime Vendor Information								
NAME & ADDRESS OF PRIME VENDOR	CONTRACT AMOUNT (if applicable)	LENGTH OF CONTRACT	CONTRACT START DATE	CONTRACT END DATE	TOTAL % OR \$ AMOUNT TO MINORITY/ WOMEN			
RFP Number:								
RFP Title:								

SUPPLIER DIVERSITY & OUT	REACH PROGRAM	VENDOR INFORMATION	

NAME OF CERTIFIED M/WBE VENDOR	WORK DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT DRAWN/PAID TO VENDOR	AMOUNT FOR WORK PERFORMED DURING MONTH	AMOUNT PAID TO DATE	% of TOTAL PAID TO CONTRACT AMOUNT			
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Company Official's Signature & Title:								

Employment Diversity Statistics

Proposer's Company Name: _____

Provide the following employment diversity statistics by completing the chart below.

JOB CATEGORIES	TOTAL		SPANIC IITE		SPANIC ACK	HISF	PANIC	AS	SIAN	INI	rican Dian/ A native
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
Officials and Managers											
Professionals											
Technicians											
Sales Workers											
Office and Clerical											
Craft Workers (Skilled)											
Operatives (Semi- Skilled)											
Laborers (Unskilled)											
Service Workers											
TOTAL											
% of Total Workforce											

ATTACHMENT A3

M/WBE PARTICIPATION

Complete the following information on the proposed M/WBE participation on this contract. Proposer's Company Name: _____

M/WBE Firm Information	Scope and/or Nature of Work to be Performed by the M/WBE	% of M/WBE Participation	Actual Amount to be expended with M/WBE *
Firm Name:		•	
Contact Person:			
Address:			
Telephone No.:			
Facsimile No.:			
M/WBE Certification No.:			
Certifying Agency Name:			
Address:			
Telephone No.:			
Firm Name:			
Contact Person:			
Address:			
Telephone No.:			
Facsimile No.:			
M/WBE Certification No.:			
Certifying Agency Name:			
Address:			
Telephone No.:			
Firm Name:			
Contact Person:			
Address:			
Telephone No.:			
Facsimile No.:			
M/WBE Certification No.:			
Certifying Agency Name:			
Address:			
Telephone No.:			

* PLEASE INDICATE IF AMOUNT TO BE EXPENSED IS: PER YEAR - PER CONTRACT PERIOD OR OTHER

Proposer's Qualification Statement

RFP-15-076C

ATTACHMENT "B" PROPOSER'S QUALIFICATION STATEMENT

The undersigned certifies under oath the truth and correctness of all statements and of all answers to questions made hereinafter:

SUBMITTED TO: The School Board of Broward County Procurement and Warehousing Services 7720 W. Oakland Park Boulevard, Suite 323 Sunrise, Florida 33351

	Check One
Submitted By:	Corporation
Name:	Partnership
Address:	Individual
City, State, Zip:	Other*
Telephone No.:	

Fax No.: _____

(*if other is being checked, please provide supporting information to validate the legality of the Firm).

1. State the true, exact, correct and complete name of the partnership, corporation, trade or fictitious name under which you do business and the address of the place of business.

The correct name of the Proposer is:

The address of the principal place of business is:

2. If Proposer is a corporation, answer the following:

- a. Date of Incorporation:
- b. State of Incorporation:
- c. President's name: _____
- d. Vice President's name: _____
- e. Secretary's name: _____
- f. Treasurer's name: _____
- g. Name and address of Resident Agent: _____
- 3. If Proposer is an individual or a partnership, answer the following:
 - a. Date of organization: _____
 - b. Name, address and ownership units of all partners:

If Proposer is other than an individual, corporation or partnership, describe the organization and give the name and address of 4. principals: 5. If Proposer is operating under a fictitious name, submit evidence of compliance with the Florida Fictitious Name Statute. How many years has your organization been in business under its present business name? 6. Under what other former names has your organization operated? 7. Indicate registration, license numbers or certificate numbers for the businesses or professions, which are the subject of this RFP solicitation. Please attach certificate of competency and/or state registration. 8. Have you personally inspected the site of the proposed work? YES NO Do you have a complete set of documents, including drawings and addenda? 9. YES NO Did you attend the Pre-Proposal Conference if any such conference was held? 10. YES NO 11. Have you ever failed to complete any work awarded to you? If so, state when, where and why: List the pertinent experience of the key individuals of your organization (continue on insert sheet, if necessary) 12.

State whether general or limited partnership: _____

C.

- 13. State the name of the individual who will have personal supervision of the work:
- 14. State the name and address of attorney, if any, for the business of the Proposer:
- 15. State the names and addresses of all businesses and/or individuals who own an interest of more than five percent (5%) of the Proposer's business and indicate the percentage owned of each such business and/or individual:

16. State the names, addresses, and the type of business of all firms that are partially or wholly owned by Proposer:

17. State the name of Surety Company which will be providing the bond (if applicable), and name and address of agent:

18. Annual Average Revenue of the Proposer for the last three years as follows:

		Revenue Index Number
а.	Government Related Work	
b.	Non-Governmental Related Work	
	Total Work (a +b):	

Revenue Index Number

1.	Less than \$100,000
2.	\$100,000 to less than \$250,000
3.	\$250,000 to less than \$500,000
4.	\$500,000 to less than \$1 million
5.	\$1 million to less than \$2 million
6.	\$2 million to less than \$5 million
7.	\$5 million to less than \$10 million
8.	\$10 million to less than \$25 million
9.	\$25 million to less than \$50 million
10.	\$50 million or greater

19. Bank References:

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20. If Proposer has submitted a financial statement with their proposal, is the document for the identical organization named on

page one?

YES	NO	

21. If not, explain the relationship and financial responsibility of the organization whose financial statement is provided (e.g., parentsubsidiary).

22. What will be your turnaround time for written responses to City inquires?

23. List and describe all bankruptcy petitions (voluntary or involuntary) which have been filed by or against the Proposer, its parent or subsidiaries or predecessor organizations during the past five (5) years. Include in the description, the disposition of each such petition.

24. List all claims, arbitrations, administrative hearings and lawsuits brought by or against the Proposer or its predecessor organization(s) during the last five (5) years. The list shall include all case names, case arbitration or hearing identification numbers, the name of the project which the dispute arose, and a description of the subject matter of the dispute.

25. List and describe all criminal proceedings or hearings concerning business related offenses to which the Proposer, its principals or officers or predecessors' organization(s) were defendants.

26. Has the Proposer, its principals, officers or predecessors' organization(s) been CONVICTED OF a Public Entity Crime, debarred or suspended from bidding by any government during the last five (5) years? If so, provide details.

27. Proposer must meet or exceed the requirements of Section 7.1, Indemnification within this solicitation document. Will your company meet or exceed the requirements as written in Section 7.1 for this contract?
Yes No Do not check both boxes.

The Proposer acknowledges and understands that the information contained in response to this Qualification Statement shall be relied upon by owner in awarding the contract and such information is warranted by Proposer to be true. The discovery of any omission or misstatement that materially affects the Proposer's qualifications to perform under the contract shall cause the owner to reject the proposal, and if after the award, to cancel and terminate the award and/or contract.

		(Signed)
		(Title)
Subscribed and sworn to before me		
This day of	, 20	
		Notary Public (Signature)
		My Commission Expires:

Disclosure of Potential Conflict of Interest and Conflicting Employment or Contractual Relationship

The School Board of Broward County, Florida PURCHASE AND INSTALLATION OF INDOOR/OUTDOOR WALK-IN FREEZERS/COOLERS

DISCLOSURE OF POTENTIAL CONFLICT OF INTEREST AND CONFLICTING EMPLOYMENT OR CONTRACTUAL RELATIONSHIP

In accordance with General Condition 7.12, each Proposer must disclose, in its RFP, the names of any employees who are employed by Proposer who are also an employee of SBBC. Persons identified below may have obligations and restrictions applicable to them under Chapter 112, Florida Statutes.

Name of Proposer's Employee	2	SBBC Title or Position of Propos Employee	er's	SBBC Department/ School of Proposer's Employee
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	_			
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Check one of the following and sign:

I hereby affirm that there are no known persons employed by Proposer who are also an employee of SBBC.

I hereby affirm that all known persons who are employed by Proposer, who are also an employee of SBBC, have been identified above.

Signature

Company Name

Name of Official

Business Address

City, State, Zip Code

03/28/13

LEGAL OPINION OF BIDDER'S PREFERENCE

LEGAL OPINION OF BIDDER'S PREFERENCE

MUST BE COMPLETED BY ALL BIDDERS.

Section 1 must be completed by the Attorney for an Out-of-State Bidder Section 2 must be completed and signed by Florida Bidder

NOTICE: The State of Florida provides a Bidder's preference for Bidders whose principal place of business is within the State of Florida for the purchase of personal property. The local preference is five (5) percent. Bidders whose principal place of business is outside the State of Florida must have an Attorney, licensed to practice law in the out-of-state jurisdiction, as required by Florida Statute 287.084(2), execute the "Opinion of Out-of-State Bidder's Attorney on Bidding Preferences" form, Section 7, Attachment C, and must submit this form with submitted bid. Such opinion should permit SBBC's reliance on such attorney's opinion for purposes of complying with Florida Statute 287.084. Florida Bidders are not required to have an Attorney render an opinion but the Florida Bidder must complete its portion of this form. Failure to submit and execute this form, with bid, shall result in bid being considered "non-responsive" and bid rejected.

SECTION 1

LEGAL OPINION ABOUT OUT-OF-STATE BIDDING PREFERENCES (Must Select One)

_____ The Bidder's principal place of business is in the State of ______ and it is my legal opinion that the laws of that state <u>do not</u> grant a preference in the letting of any or all public contracts to business entities whose principal places of business are in that state.

_____ The Bidder's principal place of business is in the State of ______ and it is my legal opinion that the laws of that state grant the following preference(s) in the letting of any or all public contracts to business entities whose principal places of business are in that state: [Please describe applicable preference(s) and identify applicable state law(s)]:

The undersigned attorney submits the foregoing opinions with the intention that they be relied upon by The School Board of Broward County, Florida in the letting of public contracts

Signature of out-of-state Bidder's attorney:

Printed name of out-of-state Bidder's attorney:

Address of out-of-state Bidder's attorney:

Telephone Number of out-of-state Bidder's attorney: (___) ____ - ____

Email address of out-of-state Bidder's attorney:

Attorney's state(s) of bar admission: _____

SECTION 2 LEGAL OPINION ABOUT POLITICAL SUBDIVISION BIDDING PREFERENCES FOR A FLORIDA BIDDER ONLY ATTORNEY'S OPINION AND SIGNATURE NOT REQUIRED FOR FLORIDA BIDDERS (Must Select One)

The Bidder's principal place of business is in the political subdivision of Broward County, Florida.

_____ The Bidder's principal place of business is in the political subdivision of ______ and it is my legal opinion that the laws of that political subdivision <u>do not grant a preference</u> in the letting of any or all public contracts to business entities whose principal places of business are in that political division.

The Bidder's principal place of business is in the political subdivision of ______ and it is my legal opinion that the laws of that political subdivision grant the following preference(s) in the letting of any or all public contracts to business entities whose principal places of business are in that political subdivision: [Please describe applicable preference(s) and identify applicable authority granting the preference(s)]:

W-9 Form



Form	W-	.9
Departr	agust 20 nent of th	e Treasury

Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

Give Form to the requester. Do not send to the IRS.

Name (as shown on your income tax return)

oi.	Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above		
eBod			
	Check appropriate box for federal tax classification:		Exemptions (see instructions):
s on	Individual/sole proprietor C Corporation S Corporation Partnership	Trust/estate	
8.5			Exempt payee code (if any)
Print or type Specific Instructions	Limited liability company. Enter the tax classification (C=C corporation, S=S corporation, P-partner	ship) 🕨	Exemption from FATCA reporting code (if any)
Prin Prin	Other (see instructions) ►		
edili	Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.)	Requester's name a	and address (optional)
Sp	City, state, and ZIP code		
See	City, state, and zir code		
~	List account number(s) here (optional)		
	Elst account number(s) nere (optional)		
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	your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on the "Name"		curity number
reside	id backup withholding. For individuals, this is your social security number (SSN). However, to nt alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the Part I instructions on page 3. For other		
	s, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see How to ge 1 page 3.	ta 🗌 🗌	
Note.	If the account is in more than one name, see the chart on page 4 for guidelines on whose	Employer	identification number
numb	er to enter.		

Part II Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

1. The number shown on this form is my correct taxpaver identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me), and

- I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all Interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding, and
- 3. I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below), and

4. The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct.

Certification instructions. You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, avapation or avapation or availabilities or accured property, cancellation or debt, contributions to an individual retrement arrangement (IPA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions on page 3.

Sign	Signature of
Here	U.S. person ►

General Instructions

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted. Future developments. The IRS has created a page on IRS.gov for Information about Form W-9, at www.its.gov/w9. Information about any future developments affacting Form W-9 (such as legislation enacted after we release it) will be posted on that page.

Purpose of Form

A person who is required to file an information return with the IRS must obtain your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) to report, for example, income paid to you, payments made to you in settlement of payment card and third party network transactions, real estate transactions, mortgage interest you paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, or contributions you made to accele to an IRA.

Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alleri), to provide your correct TIN to the person requesting it (the requester) and, when applicable, to:

1. Certify that the TIN you are giving is correct (or you are waiting for a number to be issued).

2. Certify that you are not subject to backup withholding, or

3. Claim axemption from backup withholding if you are a U.S. exempt payee. If applicable, you are also contriving that as a U.S. person, your allocable share of any partnership income from a U.S. trade or toushase is not subject to the

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withholding tax on foreign partners' share of effectively connected income, and Certify that FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that you are exempt from the FATCA reporting, is correct.

Note. If you are a U.S. person and a requester gives you a form other than Form W-9 to request your TIN, you must use the requester's form if it is substantially similar to this Form W-9.

Definition of a U.S. person. For federal tax purposes, you are considered a U.S. person If you ar

An individual who is a U.S. citizen or U.S. resident allen,

A partnership, corporation, company, or association created or organized in the United States or under the laws of the United States,

An estate (other than a foreign estate), or

Date 🕨

A domestic trust (as defined in Regulations section 301.7701-7).

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 Special nulses for partmenships. Parhorships that conduct a trade or business in the United States are generally required to pay a withholding tax under section 1446 on any foreign partners' share of effectively connected taxable income from such business. Further, in certain cases where a Form W-9 has not been received, the rules under section 1446 require a partnership to presume that a partner is a foreign person, and pay the section 1446 withholding tax. Therefore, if you are a U.S. person that is a partner in a partnership conducting a trade or business in the United States, provide Form W-9 to the partnership to establish your U.S. status and avoid section 1446 withholding on your share of partnership income.

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In the cases below, the following person must give Form W-9 to the partnership for purposes of establishing its U.S. status and avoiding withholding on its allocable share of net income from the partnership conducting a trade or business in the United States:

In the case of a disregarded entity with a U.S. owner, the U.S. owner of the disregarded entity and not the entity,

In the case of a grantor trust with a U.S. grantor or other U.S. owner, generally, the U.S. grantor or other U.S. owner of the grantor trust and not the trust, and

In the case of a U.S. trust (other than a grantor trust), the U.S. trust (other than a grantor trust) and not the beneficiaries of the trust.

Foreign person. If you are a foreign person or the U.S. branch of a foreign bank that has elected to be treated as a U.S. person, do not use Form W-9. Instead, u the appropriate Form W-8 or Form 8233 (see Publication 515, Withholding of Tax on Nonresident Aliens and Foreign Entities).

Nonresident alien who becomes a resident alien. Generally, only a nonresident alien individual may use the terms of a tax treatly to reduce or eliminate U.S. tax on certain types of income. However, most tax treatiles contain a provision known as a "saving clause." Exceptions specified in the saving clause may permit an exemption from tax to continue for certain types of income even after the payse has otherwise become a U.S. resident alien for tax purposes.

If you are a U.S. resident alien who is relying on an exceptions. If you are a U.S. resident alien who is relying on an exception contained in the saving clause of a tax treaty to claim an exemption from U.S. tax on certain types of income, you must attach a statement to Form W-9 that specifies the following five items:

1. The treaty country. Generally, this must be the same treaty under which you claimed exemption from tax as a nonresident allen.

2. The treaty article addressing the income.

3. The article number (or location) in the tax treaty that contains the saving clause and its exceptions

4. The type and amount of income that qualifies for the exemption from tax. 5. Sufficient facts to justify the exemption from tax under the terms of the treaty article.

Example. Article 20 of the U.S.-China income tax treaty allows an exemption Example. Article 20 of the U.S.-China income tax treaty allows an examption from tax for scholarship income received by a Chinase student temporarily present in the United States. Under U.S. law, this student will become a resident alien for tax purposes if his or hor stay in the United States exceeds 5 calendar years. However, paragraph 2 of the first Protocol to the U.S.-China treaty (dated April 30, 1964) allows the provisions of Article 20 to continue to apply even after the Chinase student becomes a resident alien of the United States. A Chinase student who qualities for this exception (under paragraph 2 of the first protocol) and is relying on this exception to claim an examption from tax on his or her scholarship or fellowship income would attach to Form W-9 a statement that includes the information described above to support that examption.

If you are a nonresident alien or a toreign entity, give the requester the appropriate completed Form W-8 or Form 8233.

What is backup withholding? Persons making certain payments to you must What is backup withinkking Parsons making Certain payments to you must under certain conditions withhold and pay to the IRS a parcentage of such payments. This is called "backup withholding." Payments that may be subject to backup withholding include Interest, tax-axempt Interest, dividends, brokkor and barter exchange transactions, rents, royatiles, nonemployee pay, payments made in settlement of payment card and third party network transactions, and certain payments from fishing boat operators. Real estate transactions are not subject to backup withholding.

You will not be subject to backup withholding on payments you receive if you give the requester your correct TIN, make the proper certifications, and report all your taxable interest and dividends on your tax relarm.

Payments you receive will be subject to backup withholding if:

1. You do not furnish your TIN to the requester,

2. You do not certify your TIN when required (see the Part II instructions on page 3 for de

3. The IRS tells the requester that you furnished an incorrect TIN,

4. The IRS tells you that you are subject to backup withholding because you did not report all your interest and dividends on your tax return (for reportable interest and dividends only), or

You do not certify to the requester that you are not subject to backup withholding under 4 above (for reportable interest and dividend accounts opened after 1983 only).

Certain payees and payments are exempt from backup withholding. See Exempt payee code on page 3 and the separate instructions for the Requester of Form W-9 for more information.

Also see Special rules for partnerships on page 1.

What is FACA reporting? The Foreign Account Tax Compliance Act (FATCA) requires a participating foreign financial institution to report all United States account holders that are specified United States persons. Cartain payees are example from FATCA reporting. See Examplian fram FATCA reporting code on page 3 and the Instructions for the Requester of Form W-9 for more information

Updating Your Information

You must provide updated information to any person to whom you claimed to be an axempt payee if you are no longer an exempt payee and anticipate receiving reportable payments in the tuture from this person. For example, you may need to provide updated information If you are a C corporation that elects to be an S corporation, or If you no longer are tax exempt. In addition, you must furnish a new Form W-9 if the name or TIN changes for the account, for example, if the grantor advanced back files. of a grantor trust dies.

Penalties

Failure to furnish TIN. If you fail to furnish your correct TIN to a requester, you are subject to a penalty of \$50 for each such failure unless your failure is due to reasonable cause and not to willful neglect.

Civil penalty for false information with respect to withholding. If you make a false statement with no reasonable basis that results in no backup withholding, you are subject to a \$500 penalty.

Criminal penalty for faisitying information. Wilfully faisitying certifications or affirmations may subject you to criminal penalties including fines and/or imprisonment.

Misuse of TINs. If the requester discloses or uses TINs in violation of federal law, the requester may be subject to civil and criminal penalties.

Specific Instructions

Name

If you are an individual, you must generally enter the name shown on your income tax return. However, if you have changed your last name, for instance, due to marriage without informing the Social Socurity Administration of the name change, enter your first name, the last name shown on your social security card, and your new last name.

If the account is in joint names, list first, and then circle, the name of the person or entity whose number you entered in Part I of the form.

Sole proprietor. Enter your individual name as shown on your income tax return on the "Name" line. You may enter your business, trade, or "doing business as (DBA)" name on the "Business name/disregarded entity name" line.

Partnership, C Corporation, or S Corporation. Enter the entity's name on the "Name" line and any business, trade, or "doing business as (DBA) name" on the "Business name/disregarded entity name" line.

Disregarded entity. For U.S. todenal tax purposes, an artity that is disregarded as an artify separate from its owner is treated as a "disregarded entity." See Regulation section 301.7701-2(c)(2)(ii). Enter the owner's name on the "Name" line. The name of the artify anteride on the "Name" line should never be a disregarded entity. The name on the "Name" line must be the name shown on the income tax return on which the income should be reported. For axample, if a foreign LLC that is treated as a disregarded entity for U.S. federal tax purposes has a stretch entry in the LLS. expecting memory is more than the foreign tax of the article as the sum of the set U.S. expecting the set U.S. expecting the federal tax purposes has a stretch entry. has a single owner that is a U.S. person, the U.S. owner's name is required to be provided on the "Name" line. If the direct owner of the entity is also a disregarded entity, enter the first owner that is not disrogarded for federal tax purposes. Enter the disrogarded entity's name on the "Business name/disrogarded entity name" line. If the owner of the disrogarded entity is a foreign person, the owner must complete an appropriate Form W-8 instead of a Form W-9. This is the case even if the foreign person has a U.S. TIN.

Note. Check the appropriate box for the U.S. federal tax classification of the person whose name is entered on the "Name" line (Individual/sole proprietor, Partnership, C Corporation, S Corporation, Trust/estate).

Partnership, C Corporation, S Corporation, Trust/estate). Limited Liability Company (LLC). If the person identified on the "Name" line is an LLC, check the "Limited liability company" box only and arter the appropriate code for the U.S. fadoral tax classification in the space provided. If you are an LLC that is tradated as a partnership for U.S. fadoral tax purposes, enter "P" for partnership. If you are an LLC that has filed a Form 8832 or a Form 2553 to be taxed as a corporation, enter "C" for C corporation or "S" for S corporation, as appropriate. If you are an LLC that is disregarded as an entity separate from its owner under Regulation section 301.7701-3 (secopt for employment and accise tax), do not check the LLC box unless the owner of the LLC (required to be identified on the "Name" line) is another LLC that is not disregarded for U.S. foderal tax purposes. If the LLC is disregarded as an entity separate from its owner, entar the appropriate tax classification of the owner identified on the "Name" line. "Name" Inc.

Other entities. Enter your business name as shown on required U.S. federal tax documents on the "Name" line. This name should match the name shown on the chartor or other logal document creating the entity. You may enter any business, trade, or DBA name on the "Business name/disregarded entity name" line.

Exemptions

If you are exempt from backup withholding and/or FATCA reporting, enter in the Exemptions box, any code(s) that may apply to you. See Exempt payee code and Exemption from FATCA reporting code on page 3.

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Exempt payee code. Generally, individuals (including sole proprietors) are not exempt from backup withholding. Corporations are exempt from backup withholding for certain payments, such as interest and dividends. Corporations are not exempt from backup withholding for payments made in settlement of payment card or third party network transactions.

Note. If you are exempt from backup withholding, you should still complete this form to avoid possible erroneous backup withholding.

The following codes identify payees that are exempt from backup withholding: 1—An organization exempt from tax under section 501(a), any IRA, or a

custodial account under section 403(b)(7) if the account satisfies the requirements of section 401(f)(2)

2-The United States or any of its agencies or instrumentalities

3—A state, the District of Columbia, a possession of the United States, or any of their political subdivisions or instrumentalities

4—A foreign government or any of its political subdivisions, agencies, or instrumentalities

5-A corporation

6—A dealer in securities or commodities required to register in the United States, the District of Columbia, or a possession of the United States

7-A futures commission merchant registered with the Commodity Futures Trading Commission

8-A real estate investment trust

 $9-\mbox{An ontity registered at all times during the tax year under the investment Company Act of <math display="inline">1940$

10-A common trust fund operated by a bank under section 584(a)

11-A financial Institution

12-A middleman known in the investment community as a nominee or custodian

13—A trust exempt from tax under section 664 or described in section 4947 The following chart shows types of payments that may be exempt from backup withholding. The chart applies to the exempt payees listed above, 1 through 13.

IF the payment is for	THEN the payment is exempt for
Interest and dividend payments	All exempt payees except for 7
Broker transactions	Exempt payees 1 through 4 and 6 through 11 and all C corporations. S corporations must not enter an exempt payee code because they are exempt only for sales of noncovered securities acquired prior to 2012.
Barler exchange transactions and patronage dividends	Exempt payees 1 through 4
Payments over \$600 required to be reported and direct sales over \$5,000 ¹	Generally, exempt payees 1 through 5 ²
Payments made in settlement of payment card or third party network transactions	Exempt payees 1 through 4

See Form 1099-MISC, Miscellaneous Income, and its instructions.

³However, the following payments made to a corporation and reportable on Form 1099-MISC are not axempt from backup withholding: medical and health care payments, attorneys' fees, gross proceeds paid to an attorney, and payments for services paid by a foderal executive agency.

Exemption from FATCA reporting code. The following codes identify payees that are exempt from reporting under FATCA. These codes apply to persons submitting this form for accounts maintained outside of the United States by certain foreign financial institutions. Therefore, if you are only submitting this form for an account you hold in the United States, you may leave this field blank. Consult with the person requesting this form if you are uncertain if the financial institution is subject to these requirements.

A-An organization exempt from tax under section 501(a) or any individual retirement plan as defined in section 7701(a)(37)

B-The United States or any of its agencies or instrumentalities

C-A state, the District of Columbia, a possession of the United States, or any of their political subdivisions or instrumentalities

D-A corporation the stock of which is regularly traded on one or more

established securities markets, as described in Reg. section 1.1472-1(c)(1)() E-A corporation that is a member of the same expanded affiliated group as a corporation described in Reg. section 1.1472-1(c)(1)()

F—A dealer in securities, commodities, or derivative financial instruments (including notional principal contracts, futures, forwards, and options) that is registered as such under the laws of the United States or any state G-A real estate investment trust

H—A regulated investment company as defined in section 851 or an entity registered at all times during the tax year under the investment Company Act of 1940

I-A common trust fund as defined in section 584(a)

J-A bank as defined in section 581

K-A broker

L-A trust exempt from tax under section 664 or described in section 4947(a)(1)

M-A tax exempt trust under a section 403(b) plan or section 457(g) plan

Part I. Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. If you are a resident alien and you do not have and are not eligible to get an SSN, your TIN is your IRS individual taxpayer identification number (TIN). Enter it in the social security number box. If you do not have an ITIN, see How to get a TIN below.

If you are a sole proprietor and you have an EIN, you may enter either your SSN or EIN. However, the IRS prefers that you use your SSN.

If you are a single-member LLC that is disregarded as an entity separate from its owner (see Limited Liability Company (LLC) on page 2), enter the owner's SSN (or EIN, if the owner has one). Do not enter the disregarded entity's EIN. If the LLC is classified as a corporation or partnership, enter the entity's EIN.

Note. See the chart on page 4 for further clarification of name and TIN combinations

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How to get a TIN. If you do not have a TIN, apply for one immediately. To apply for an SSN, get Form SS-5, Application for a Social Security Card, from your local Social Security Administration office or get this form online at www.ssa.gov. You may also get this form by calling 1-800-772-173. Use Form W-7, Application for TIRS Individual Taxpayer Identification Number, to apply for an ITIN, or Form SS-4, Application for Employer Identification Number, to apply for an EIN you can apply for an SS-4, to applie the to apply for an EIN you can apply for a EIN you can apply for a EIN you can be apply for a EIN you can apply for a EIN you can apply for a EIN you can apply for apply for EIN apple.

If you are asked to complete Form W-9 but do not have a TIN, apply for a TIN and write "Applied For" in the space for the TIN, sign and date the form, and give it to the requester. For interest and dividend payments, and certain payments made with respect to readily tradable instruments, generally you will have 60 days to get a TIN and give it to the requestor before you are subject to backup withholding on payments. The 60-day rule does not apply to other types of payments. You will be subject to backup withholding on all such payments until you provide your TIN to the requestor.

Note. Entering "Applied For" means that you have already applied for a TIN or that you intend to apply for one soon.

Caution: A disregarded U.S. entity that has a foreign owner must use the appropriate Form W-8.

Part II. Certification

To establish to the withholding agent that you are a U.S. person, or resident alien, sign Form W-9. You may be requested to sign by the withholding agent even if items 1,4, or 5 below indicate otherwise.

For a joint account, only the person whose TIN is shown in Part I should sign (when required). In the case of a disregarded entity, the person identified on the "Name" line must sign. Exempt payees, see *Exempt payee* code earlier.

Signature requirements. Complete the certification as indicated in items 1 through 5 below.

 Interest, dividend, and barter exchange accounts opened before 1984 and broker accounts considered active during 1983. You must give your correct TIN, but you do not have to sign the certification.

 Interest, dividend, traine to agrin local matching accounts opened after 1963 and broker accounts considered inactive during 1963. You must sign the certification or backup withholding will apply. If you are subject to backup withholding and you are marely providing your correct TN to the requester, you must cross out item 2 in the certification before signing the form.

 Real estate transactions. You must sign the certification. You may cross out item 2 of the certification.

4. Other payments. You must give your correct TIN, but you do not have to sign the certification unless you have been notified that you have previously given an incorrect TIN. "Other payments" include payments made in the course of the requestar's trade or business for rents, royalities, goods (other than bills for merchandlee), medical and health care services, genments made in settlement of payment to a nonemployee for services, payments made in settlement of payment card and third party network transactions, payments to cortain fishing boat crew members and fishermon, and gross proceeds paid to attorneys (including payments to corporations).

 Mortgage interest paid by you, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, qualified tuition program payments (under section 520), IRA, Coverdell ESA, Archer MSA or HSA contributions or distributions, and pension distributions. You must give your correct TIN, but you do not have to sign the cartification.

What Name and Number To Give the Requester

For this type of account:	Give name and SSN of:
1. Individual	The individual
 Two or more individuals (joint account) 	The actual owner of the account or, If combined funds, the first
	Individual on the account "
 Custodian account of a minor (Uniform Gift to Minors Act) 	The minor "
 a. The usual revocable savings trust (grantor is also trustee) 	The grantor-trustee '
 b. So-called trust account that is not a legal or valid trust under state law 	The actual owner "
 Sole proprietorship or disregarded entity owned by an individual 	The owner*
 Grantor trust filing under Optional Form 1099 Filing Method 1 (see Regulation section 1.671-4(b)(2)(I)(A)) 	The grantor*
For this type of account:	Give name and EIN of:
7. Disregarded entity not owned by an	The owner
Individual	
8. A valid trust, estate, or pension trust	Legal entity *
9. Corporation or LLC electing corporate status on Form 8832 or Form 2553	The corporation
 Association, club, religious, charitable, educational, or other tax-exempt organization 	The organization
11. Partnership or multi-member LLC	The partnership
12. A broker or registered nominee	The broker or nominee
 Account with the Department of Agriculture in the name of a public entity (such as a state or local government, school district, or prison) that receives agricultural 	The public entity
program payments	
 Grantor trust filing under the Form 1041 Filing Method or the Optional Form 1099 Filing Method 2 [see Regulation section 1.671-4(b)(2)()(B)) 	The trust
Regulation section 1.671-4(b)(2)()(B))	

¹List first and circle the name of the person whose number you furnish. If only one person on a joint account has an SSN, that person's number must be furnished.

Circle the minor's name and furnish the minor's SSN.

³You must show your individual name and you may also onfar your business or "DBA" name on the "Business name/disrogarded entby" name line. You may use either your SSN or EIN (if you have one), but the IRS encourages you to use your SSN.

⁴List first and circle the name of the trust, estate, or pension trust. Do not furnish the TIN of the personal representative or trustee unless the legal entity itself is not designated in the account title.) Also see Special rules for partnerships on page 1.

"Note. Grantor also must provide a Form W-e to trustee of trust.

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Note. If no name is circled when more than one name is listed, the number will be considered to be that of the first name listed.

Secure Your Tax Records from Identity Theft

Identity theft occurs when someone uses your personal information such as your name, social security number (SSN), or other identifying information, without your permission, to commit fraud or other ortmes. An identity their may use your SSN to get a job or may file a tax return using your SSN to receive a retund.

To reduce your risk:

Protect your SSN,

- Ensure your employer is protecting your SSN, and
- Be careful when choosing a tax preparer.

If your tax records are affected by identity theft and you receive a notice from the IRS, respond right away to the name and phone number printed on the IRS notice or letter.

If your tax records are not currently affected by identify theft but you think you are at risk due to a lost or stolen purse or wallet, questionable credit card activity or credit report, contact the IRS identify Theft Hotline at 1-800-908-4490 or submit Form 14230.

For more information, see Publication 4535, Identity Theft Prevention and Victim Assistance.

Victims of identity theft who are experiencing economic harm or a system problem, or are seeking help in resolving tax problems that have not been resolved through normal channels, may be eligible for Taxpayer Advocate Service (TAS) assistance. You can reach TAS by calling the TAS foll-free case intake line at 1-877-777-4778 or TTY/TDD 1-800-829-4059.

Protect yourself from suspicious emails or phishing schemes. Phishing is the creation and use of email and websites designed to mimic legitimate business emails and websites. The most common act is sending an email to a user falsely claiming to be an established legitimate enterprise in an attempt to scare the user into surrendering private information that will be used for identity theft.

The IRS does not initiate contacts with taxpayers via emails. Also, the IRS does not request personal datalied information through email or ask taxpayers for the PIN numbers, passwords, or similar secret access information for their credit card, bank, or other financial accounts.

If you receive an unsolicited email claiming to be from the IRS, forward this message to phishing@irs.gov. You may also report misuse of the IRS name, logo, or other IRS property to the Treasury inspector General for Tax Administration at 1-800-306-4484. You can forward suspicious emails to the Federal Trade Commission at spam@uce.gov or contact them at www.ftc.gov/idtheft or 1-877-IDTHEFT (1-877-438-4338).

Visit IRS.gov to learn more about identity theft and how to reduce your risk.

Privacy Act Notice

Section 6109 of the Internal Revenue Code requires you to provide your correct TIN to persons (including federal agencies) who are required to file information returns with the IRS to report interest, dividends, or certain other income paid to you; mortgage interest you paid; the acquisition or abandomment of secured property; the cancellation of dobt; or contributions you made to an IRA, Archer MSA, or HSA. The person collecting this form uses the information on the form to file information returns with the IRS, reporting the above information. Routine uses of this information include giving it to the Dopartment of Justice for civil and criminal ligation and to clibe, states, the District of Columbia, and U.S. commonwealths and possessions for use in administering their laws. The information also may be disclosed to other countries under a treaty, to federal and state agencies to enforce civil and criminal laws, or to federal law enforcement and intelligence agencies to combat terrorism. You must provide your TIN whether or not you are required to file a tax return. Under section \$400, payers must generally withhold a percentage of taxable interest, dividend, and certain other payments to a payee who does not give a TIN to the payer. Certain penalties may also apply for providing taise or fraudulent information.

Drug-Free Workplace

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA <u>SWORN STATEMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 287.087, FLORIDA STATUTES, AS CURRENTLY ENACTED OR AS</u> <u>AMENDED FROM TIME TO TIME, ON PREFERENCE TO BUSINESSES WITH DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE</u> <u>PROGRAMS.</u>

THIS FORM MUST BE SIGNED AND SWORN TO IN THE PRESENCE OF A NOTARY PUBLIC OR OTHER OFFICIAL AUTHORIZED TO ADMINISTER OATHS.

This sworn statement is submitted to The School Board of Broward County, Florida,

by ___

(Print individual's name and title)

for ______(Print name of entity submitting sworn statement) whose business address is

I certify that I have established a drug-free workplace program and have complied with the following:

- 1. Published a statement notifying employees that the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violations of such prohibition.
- 2. Informed employees about the dangers of drug abuse in the workplace, the business' policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace, any available drug counseling, rehabilitation and employee assistance programs, and the penalties that may be imposed upon employees for drug abuse violations.
- 3. Given each employee engaged in providing the commodities or contractual services that are under bid a copy of the statement specified in subsection (1).
- 4. In the statement specified in subsection (1), notified the employees that, as a condition of working on the commodities or contractual services that are under bid, the employee will abide by the terms of the statement and will notify the employer of any conviction of, or plea of guilty or nolo contendere to, any violation of chapter 893 or of any controlled substance law of the United States or any state, for a violation occurring in the workplace no later than five days after such conviction.
- 5. Will impose a sanction on, or require the satisfactory participation in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program if such is available in the employee's community by, any employee who is so convicted.
- 6. Am making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation of this section.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this	day of	(Signature) , 20
Personally Known OR Produced identification	Notary Public - State My commission exp	e of
(Type of identification)		
FORM: #4530 3/93	(Printed, typed or st	amped commissioned name of notary public)

Sample Agreement

CONTRACT AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT is made and entered into as of this _____ day of _____, 2014, by and

between

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA

(hereinafter referred to as "SBBC"), a body corporate and political subdivision of the State of Florida, whose principal place of business is 600 Southeast Third Avenue, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33301

and

(NAME OF CONTRACTOR) (hereinafter referred to as "Contractor"), whose principal place of business is [insert their address here].

WHEREAS, SBBC, Procurement and Warehousing Services has solicited proposals from qualified firms by way of RFP No.: 15-076C to provide Purchase and Installation of Indoor/Outdoor Walk-in Freezers/Coolers; and

WHEREAS, Contractor has allocated the necessary resources and is willing and able to perform the Work for compensation and on the terms hereinafter set forth.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and of the mutual covenants contained herein and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the Parties hereby agree as follows:

ARTICLE 1 - RECITALS

1.01 <u>Recitals</u>. The parties agree that the foregoing recitals are true and correct and that such recitals are incorporated herein by reference.

ARTICLE 2 – SPECIAL CONDITIONS

2.01 <u>Term of Agreement</u>. Unless terminated earlier pursuant to Section 3.05 of this Agreement, the term of this Agreement shall commence on the date after the Board approval and shall conclude on ______, 2018.

2.02 <u>Scope of Work.</u> The Contractor shall furnish all the materials, tools, equipment, labor and all that is necessary to perform; and shall perform in accordance with its Proposal, the RFP and its Addenda, if applicable, and the terms of this Agreement; the work of purchasing and installing of indoor/outdoor walk-in freezer/coolers as specified in Attachment "<u>A</u>" attached hereto and incorporated herein.

2.03 **<u>Payments to Contractor.</u>** The Contractor shall be paid by the SBBC for completed work and for services under this agreement as follows:

- a) Payment of work provided by the Contractor shall be made in accordance with the Fee Schedule as provided in Exhibit "B" attached hereto.
- b) Payment as provided in this section shall be full compensation for work performed, services rendered and for all materials, supplies, equipment, and incidentals necessary to complete the work.
- c) Final payment on any balance due the Contractor of the total of the contract price earned will be made promptly upon its ascertainment and verification by the SBBC after the completion of the work under this Agreement and its acceptance by the SBBC.
- d) <u>Final Invoice:</u> In order for both parties herein to close their books and records, the Contractor will clearly state "Final Invoice" on the Contractor's final/last billing to the SBBC. The Final Invoice certifies that all services have been properly performed and all charges and costs have been invoiced to the SBBC. Since this account will thereupon be closed, and any other further charges if not properly included on this invoice are considered waived by the Contractor.
- e) The cost of all services as stated herein shall remain fixed and firm for the initial three (3) year period of the Agreement. Costs for subsequent years and any extension terms shall be subject to an adjustment only if increases incur in the industry

2.04 <u>M/WBE Participation</u>. VENDOR is a Certified MBE <u>(*Type*)</u> with SBBC, Certificate #7007-____. OR

2.04 <u>M/WBE Participation</u>. VENDOR will provide for M/WBE participation during its performance of services under this contract agreement by using _(*Company Name*)_ and as set forth in VENDOR's proposal.

2.05 **Inspection of Contractor's Records by SBBC**. Contractor shall establish and maintain books, records and documents (including electronic storage media) sufficient to reflect all income and expenditures of funds provided by SBBC under this Agreement. All Contractor's Records, regardless of the form in which they are kept, shall be open to inspection and subject to audit, inspection, examination, evaluation and/or reproduction, during normal working hours, by SBBC's agent or its authorized representative to permit SBBC to evaluate, analyze and verify the satisfactory performance of the terms and conditions of this Agreement and to evaluate, analyze and verify any and all invoices, billings, payments and/or claims submitted by Contractor or any of Contractor's payees pursuant to this Agreement. Contractor's Records subject to examination shall include, without limitation, those records necessary to evaluate and verify direct and indirect costs (including overhead allocations) as they may apply to costs associated with this Agreement. Contractor's Records subject to this section shall include any and all documents pertinent to the evaluation, analysis, verification and reconciliation of any and all expenditures under this Agreement without regard to funding sources.

(a) <u>Contractor's Records Defined</u>. For the purposes of this Agreement, the term "Contractor's Records" shall include, without limitation, and any supporting documents that would substantiate, reconcile or refute any charges and/or expenditures related to this Agreement.

(b) <u>Duration of Right to Inspect</u>. For the purpose of such audits, inspections, examinations, evaluations and/or reproductions, SBBC's agent or authorized representative shall have access to Contractor's Records from the effective date of this Agreement, for the duration of the term of this Agreement, and until the later of five (5) years after the termination of this Agreement or five (5) years after the date of final payment by SBBC to Contractor pursuant to this Agreement.

(c) <u>Notice of Inspection</u>. SBBC's agent or its authorized representative shall provide Contractor reasonable advance notice (not to exceed two (2) weeks) of any intended audit, inspection, examination, evaluation and or reproduction.

(d) <u>Audit Site Conditions</u>. SBBC's agent or its authorized representative shall have access to Contractor's facilities and to any and all records related to this Agreement, and shall be provided adequate and appropriate work space in order to exercise the rights permitted under this section.

(e) <u>Failure to Permit Inspection</u>. Failure by Contractor to permit audit, inspection, examination, evaluation and/or reproduction as permitted under this Section shall constitute grounds for termination of this Agreement by SBBC for cause and shall be grounds for the denial of some or all of any Contractor's claims for payment by SBBC.

(f) <u>Overcharges and Unauthorized Charges</u>. If an audit conducted in accordance with this Section discloses overcharges or unauthorized charges to SBBC by Contractor in excess of two percent (2%) of the total billings under this Agreement, the actual cost of SBBC's audit shall be paid by Contractor. If the audit discloses billings or charges to which *Insert Name* is not contractually entitled, Contractor shall pay said sum to SBBC within twenty (20) days of receipt of written demand under otherwise agreed to in writing by both parties.

(g) <u>Inspection of Subcontractor's Records</u>. Contractor shall require any and all subcontractors, insurance agents and material suppliers (hereafter referred to as "Payees") providing services or goods with regard to this Agreement to comply with the requirements of this section by insertion of such requirements in any written subcontract. Failure by Contractor to include such requirements in any subcontract shall constitute grounds for termination of this Agreement by SBBC for cause and shall be grounds for the exclusion of some or all of any Payee's costs from amounts payable by SBBC to Contractor pursuant to this Agreement and such excluded costs shall become the liability of Contractor.

(h) <u>Inspector General Audits</u>. Contractor shall comply and cooperate immediately with any inspections, reviews, investigations, or audits deemed necessary by the Florida Office of the Inspector General or by any other state or federal officials.

2.06 <u>Notice</u>. When any of the parties desire to give notice to the other, such notice must be in writing, sent by U.S. Mail, postage prepaid, addressed to the party for whom it is intended at the place last specified; the place for giving notice shall remain such until it is changed by written notice in compliance with the provisions of this paragraph. For the present, the Parties designate the following as the respective places for giving notice:

To SBBC:	Superintendent of Schools The School Board of Broward County, Florida 600 Southeast Third Avenue Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33301
With a Copy to:	Insert Job Title of District Representative Insert Address of District Representative
To Contractor:	Insert Name Provided by Other Party Insert Address Provided by Other Party
With a Copy to:	Insert Name Provided by Other Party Insert Address Provided by Other Party

2.07 **Background Screening**: Contractor agrees to comply with all requirements of Sections 1012.32 and 1012.465, Florida Statutes, and all of its personnel who (1) are to be permitted access to school grounds when students are present, (2) will have direct contact with students, or (3) have access or control of school funds, will successfully complete the background screening required by the referenced statutes and meet the standards established by the statutes. This background screening will be conducted by SBBC in advance of Contractor or

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its personnel providing any services under the conditions described in the previous sentence. Contractor shall bear the cost of acquiring the background screening required by Section 1012.32, Florida Statutes, and any fee imposed by the Florida Department of Law Enforcement to maintain the fingerprints provided with respect to Contractor and its personnel. The parties agree that the failure of Contractor to perform any of the duties described in this section shall constitute a material breach of this Agreement entitling SBBC to terminate immediately with no further responsibilities or duties to perform under this Agreement. Contractor agrees to indemnify and hold harmless SBBC, its officers and employees from any liability in the form of physical or mental injury, death or property damage resulting from Contractor's failure to comply with the requirements of this Section or with Sections 1012.32 and 1012.465, Florida Statutes.

2.08 <u>Liability</u>. This section shall survive the termination of all performance or obligations under this Agreement and shall be fully binding until such time as any proceeding brought on account of this Agreement is barred by any applicable statute of limitations.

(a) By SBBC: SBBC agrees to be fully responsible up to the limits of Section 768.28, Florida Statutes, for its acts of negligence, or its employees' acts of negligence when acting within the scope of their employment and agrees to be liable for any damages resulting from said negligence.

(b) By Contractor: Contractor agrees to indemnify, hold harmless and defend SBBC, its agents, servants and employees from any and all claims, judgments, costs, and expenses including, but not limited to, reasonable attorney's fees, reasonable investigative and discovery costs, court costs and all other sums which SBBC, its agents, servants and employees may pay or become obligated to pay on account of any, all and every claim or demand, or assertion of liability, or any claim or action founded thereon, arising or alleged to have arisen out of the products, goods or services furnished by Contractor its agents, servants or employees; the equipment of Contractor, its agents, servants or employees while such equipment is on premises owned or controlled by SBBC; or the negligence of Contractor or the negligence of Contractor's agents when acting within the scope of their employment, whether such claims, judgments, costs and expenses be for damages, damage to property including SBBC's property, and injury or death of any person whether employed by Contractor, SBBC or otherwise.

ARTICLE 3 – GENERAL CONDITIONS

3.01 <u>No Waiver of Sovereign Immunity</u>. Nothing herein is intended to serve as a waiver of sovereign immunity by any agency or political subdivision to which sovereign immunity may be applicable or of any rights or limits to liability existing under Section 768.28, Florida Statutes. This section shall survive the termination of all performance or obligations under this Agreement and shall be fully binding until such time as any proceeding brought on account of this Agreement is barred by any applicable statute of limitations.

3.02 <u>No Third Party Beneficiaries</u>. The parties expressly acknowledge that it is not their intent to create or confer any rights or obligations in or upon any third person or entity under this Agreement. None of the parties intend to directly or substantially benefit a third party by this Agreement. The parties agree that there are no third party beneficiaries to this Agreement and that no third party shall be entitled to assert a claim against any of the parties based upon this Agreement. Nothing herein shall be construed as consent by an agency or political subdivision of the State of Florida to be sued by third parties in any matter arising out of any contract.

3.03 <u>Independent Contractor</u>. The parties to this agreement shall at all times be acting in the capacity of independent contractors and not as an officer, employee or agent of one another. Neither party or its respective agents, employees, subcontractors or assignees shall represent to others that it has the authority to bind the other party unless specifically authorized in writing to do so. No right to SBBC retirement, leave benefits or any other benefits of SBBC employees shall exist as a result of the performance of any duties or responsibilities under this Agreement. SBBC shall not be responsible for social security, withholding taxes, contributions to

unemployment compensation funds or insurance for the other party or the other party's officers, employees, agents, subcontractors or assignees.

3.04 **Equal Opportunity Provision**. The parties agree that no person shall be subjected to discrimination because of age, race, color, disability, gender identity, gender expression marital status, national origin, religion, sex or sexual orientation in the performance of the parties' respective duties, responsibilities and obligations under this Agreement.

3.05 <u>Termination</u>. This Agreement may be canceled with or without cause by SBBC during the term hereof upon thirty (30) days written notice to the other parties of its desire to terminate this Agreement. <u>SBBC</u> shall have no liability for any property left on SBBC's property by any party to this Agreement after the termination of this Agreement. Any party contracting with SBBC under this Agreement agrees that any of its property placed upon SBBC's facilities pursuant to this Agreement shall be removed within ten (10) business days following the termination, conclusion or cancellation of this Agreement and that any such property remaining upon SBBC's facilities after that time shall be deemed to be abandoned, title to such property shall pass to SBBC, and SBBC may use or dispose of such property as SBBC deems fit and appropriate.

3.06 **Default**. The parties agree that, in the event that either party is in default of its obligations under this Agreement, the non-defaulting party shall provide to the defaulting party (30) days written notice to cure the default. However, in the event said default cannot be cured within said thirty (30) day period and the defaulting party is diligently attempting in good faith to cure same, the time period shall be reasonably extended to allow the defaulting party additional cure time. Upon the occurrence of a default that is not cured during the applicable cure period, this Agreement may be terminated by the non-defaulting party upon thirty (30) days notice. This remedy is not intended to be exclusive of any other remedy, and each and every such remedy shall be cumulative and shall be in addition to every other remedy now or hereafter existing at law or in equity or by statute or otherwise. No single or partial exercise by any party of any right, power, or remedy hereunder shall preclude any other or future exercise thereof. Nothing in this section shall be construed to preclude termination for convenience pursuant to Section 3.05.

3.07 <u>Annual Appropriation.</u> The performance and obligations of SBBC under this Agreement shall be contingent upon an annual budgetary appropriation by its governing body. If SBBC does not allocate funds for the payment of services or products to be provided under this Agreement, this Agreement may be terminated by SBBC at the end of the period for which funds have been allocated. SBBC shall notify the other party at the earliest possible time before such termination. No penalty shall accrue to SBBC in the event this provision is exercised, and SBBC shall not be obligated or liable for any future payments due or any damages as a result of termination under this section.

3.08 **Excess Funds**. Any party receiving funds paid by SBBC under this Agreement agrees to promptly notify SBBC of any funds erroneously received from SBBC upon the discovery of such erroneous payment or overpayment. Any such excess funds shall be refunded to SBBC with interest calculated from the date of the erroneous payment or overpayment. Interest shall be calculated using the interest rate for judgments under Section 55.03, Florida Statutes, applicable at the time the erroneous payment or overpayment was made by SBBC.

3.09 <u>Public Records</u>. Pursuant to Section 119.0701, Florida Statutes, any party contracting with SBBC is required to (a) keep and maintain available for public inspection any records that pertain to services rendered under this Agreement; (b) provide the public with access to public records on the same terms and conditions that SBBC would provide such records and at a cost that does not exceed the cost provided in Chapter 119, Florida Statutes or as otherwise provided by law; (c) ensure that public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements are not disclosed except as authorized by law; and (d) meet all requirements for retaining public records and transfer, <u>at no cost to SBBC</u>, all public records in that party's possession upon termination of its <u>Agreement</u> with SBBC and destroy any duplicate public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements. All of such party's records stored electronically must be provided to SBBC in a format that is compatible with SBBC's information

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technology systems. Each party shall maintain its own respective records and documents associated with this Agreement in accordance with the records retention requirements applicable to public records. Each party shall be responsible for compliance with any public documents request served upon it pursuant to Section 119.07, Florida Statutes, and any resultant award of attorney's fees for non-compliance with that law. Each party acknowledges that this Agreement and all attachments thereto are public records and do not constitute trade secrets.

3.10 <u>Student Records</u>: Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary within this Agreement, any party contracting with SBBC under this Agreement shall fully comply with the requirements of <u>Sections</u> 1002.22 and <u>1002.221</u>, Florida Statutes; FERPA, and any other state or federal law or regulation regarding the confidentiality of student information and records. Each such party agrees, for itself, its officers, employees, agents, representatives, contractors or subcontractors, to fully indemnify and hold harmless SBBC and its officers and employees for any violation of this section, including, without limitation, defending SBBC and its officers and employees against any complaint, administrative or judicial proceeding, payment of any penalty imposed upon SBBC, or payment of any and all costs, damages, judgments or losses incurred by or imposed upon SBBC arising out of a breach of this covenant by the party, or an officer, employee, agent, representative, contractor, or subcontractor of the party to the extent that the party or an officer, employee, agent, representative, contractor, or sub-contractor of the party shall either intentionally or negligently violate the provisions of this section or of <u>Sections</u> 1002.22 and/or 1002.221, Florida Statutes.

3.11 <u>Compliance with Laws</u>. Each party shall comply with all applicable federal and state laws, codes, rules and regulations in performing its duties, responsibilities and obligations pursuant to this Agreement.

3.12 <u>Place of Performance</u>. All obligations of SBBC under the terms of this Agreement are reasonably susceptible of being performed in Broward County, Florida and shall be payable and performable in Broward County, Florida.

3.13 <u>Governing Law and Venue</u>. This Agreement shall be interpreted and construed in accordance with and governed by the laws of the State of Florida. Any controversies or legal problems arising out of this Agreement and any action involving the enforcement or interpretation of any rights hereunder shall be submitted to the jurisdiction of the State courts of the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit of Broward County, Florida.

3.14 **Entirety of Agreement**. This document incorporates and includes all prior negotiations, correspondence, conversations, agreements and understandings applicable to the matters contained herein and the parties agree that there are no commitments, agreements or understandings concerning the subject matter of this Agreement that are not contained in this document. Accordingly, the parties agree that no deviation from the terms hereof shall be predicated upon any prior representations or agreements, whether oral or written.

3.15 **<u>Binding Effect</u>**. This Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties hereto and their respective successors and assigns.

3.16 <u>Assignment</u>. Neither this Agreement nor any interest herein may be assigned, transferred or encumbered by any party without the prior written consent of the other party. There shall be no partial assignments of this Agreement including, without limitation, the partial assignment of any right to receive payments from SBBC.

3.17 **Incorporation by Reference**. Exhibits attached hereto and referenced herein shall be deemed to be incorporated into this Agreement by reference.

3.18 <u>**Captions</u>**. The captions, section designations, section numbers, article numbers, titles and headings appearing in this Agreement are inserted only as a matter of convenience, have no substantive meaning, and in no way define, limit, construe or describe the scope or intent of such articles or sections of this Agreement,</u>

nor in any way effect this Agreement and shall not be construed to create a conflict with the provisions of this Agreement.

3.19 <u>Severability</u>. In the event that any one or more of the sections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses or provisions contained in this Agreement is held by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, illegal, unlawful, unenforceable or void in any respect, such shall not affect the remaining portions of this Agreement and the same shall remain in full force and effect as if such invalid, illegal, unlawful, unenforceable or void sections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses or provisions had never been included herein.

3.20 **<u>Preparation of Agreement</u>**. The parties acknowledge that they have sought and obtained whatever competent advice and counsel as was necessary for them to form a full and complete understanding of all rights and obligations herein and that the preparation of this Agreement has been their joint effort. The language agreed to herein expresses their mutual intent and the resulting document shall not, solely as a matter of judicial construction, be construed more severely against one of the parties than the other.

3.21 <u>Amendments</u>. No modification, amendment, or alteration in the terms or conditions contained herein shall be effective unless contained in a written document prepared with the same or similar formality as this Agreement and executed by each party hereto.

3.22 <u>Waiver</u>. The parties agree that each requirement, duty and obligation set forth herein is substantial and important to the formation of this Agreement and, therefore, is a material term hereof. Any party's failure to enforce any provision of this Agreement shall not be deemed a waiver of such provision or modification of this Agreement unless the waiver is in writing and signed by the party waiving such provision. A written waiver shall only be effective as to the specific instance for which it is obtained and shall not be deemed a continuing or future waiver.

3.23 **Force Majeure**. Neither party shall be obligated to perform any duty, requirement or obligation under this Agreement if such performance is prevented by fire, hurricane, earthquake, explosion, wars, sabotage, accident, flood, acts of God, strikes, or other labor disputes, riot or civil commotions, or by reason of any other matter or condition beyond the control of either party, and which cannot be overcome by reasonable diligence and without unusual expense ("Force Majeure"). In no event shall a lack of funds on the part of either party be deemed Force Majeure.

3.24 <u>Survival</u>. All representations and warranties made herein, indemnification obligations, obligations to reimburse SBBC, obligations to maintain and allow inspection and audit of records and property, obligations to maintain the confidentiality of records, reporting requirements, and obligations to return public funds shall survive the termination of this Agreement.

3.25 <u>Contract Administration</u>: <u>SBBC has delegated authority to the Superintendent of Schools or</u> <u>his/her designee to take any actions necessary to implement and administer this Agreement.</u>

3.26 <u>Authority</u>. Each person signing this Agreement on behalf of either party individually warrants that he or she has full legal power to execute this Agreement on behalf of the party for whom he or she is signing, and to bind and obligate such party with respect to all provisions contained in this Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have made and executed this Agreement on the date first above written.

	FOR SBBC
(Corporate Seal)	THE SCHOOL BOARD OF BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA
	By
ATTEST:	By Patricia Good, Chair
Robert W. Runcie, Superintendent of Schools	Approved as to Form and Legal Content:
	Office of the General Counsel
	FOR [Insert Name Here]
(Corporate Seal)	
	Insert Full Legal Name of the Corporation, Agency or Other Legal Entity
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_ as identification and

Name of Person _, on behalf of the corporation/agency.

Name of Corporation or Agency

He/She is personally known to me or produced _____did/did not first take an oath.Type of Identification

My Commission Expires:

Signature – Notary Public

(SEAL)

Printed Name of Notary

Notary's Commission No.

ACH Payment Agreement Form



The School Board of Broward County, Florida ACH Payment Agreement Form (ACH CREDITS)

VENDOR NAME:

Authorization Agreement

I (we) hereby authorize The School Board of Broward County to initiate automatic deposits (credits) to my account at the financial institution named below. Additionally, I authorize The School Board of Broward County to make the necessary debit entries/adjustments in the event that a credit entry is made in error.

Further, I agree not to hold The School Board of Broward County responsible for any delay or loss of funds due to incorrect or incomplete information supplied by me or by my financial institution or due to an error on the part of my financial institution in depositing funds to my account.

This agreement will remain in effect until The School Board of Broward County receives written notification of cancellation from me or my financial institution and that the origination of ACH transactions to my (our) account must comply with the provisions of U.S. law. Account Information

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Statement of "No Response"

ATTACHMENT I, STATEMENT OF "NO RESPONSE"

If your company will not be submitting a response to this Request for Proposal, please complete this Statement of "No" Response Sheet and return, prior to the RFP Due Date established within, to:

SBBC **Procurement & Warehousing Services** 7720 West Oakland Park Boulevard, Suite 323 Sunrise, Florida 33351

This information will help SBBC in the preparation of future RFPs.

RFP Number:	Title:
Company Name:	
Contact:	
Address:	

Telephone:______ Facsimile:_____ E-mail:_____ E-mail:_____

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	Unable to comply with product or service specifications.
	Unable to comply with scope of work.
	Unable to quote on all items in the group.
	Insufficient time to respond to the Request for Proposal.
	Unable to hold prices firm through the term of the contract period.
	Our schedule would not permit us to perform.
	Unable to meet delivery requirements.
	Unable to meet bond requirements.
	Unable to meet insurance requirements.
	Other (Specify below)

Comments:

Signature: _____

Date: