



AGENDA REQUEST FORM

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA

Special Order Request	
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ITEM No.:
EE-6.

MEETING DATE	Mar 17 2015 10:15AM - Regular School Board Meeting
AGENDA ITEM	OPEN ITEMS
CATEGORY	EE. OFFICE OF STRATEGY & OPERATIONS
DEPARTMENT	Procurement & Warehousing Services

TITLE:
Bid Recommendation of \$500,000 or Greater - 55-117R - School Buses

REQUESTED ACTION:
Approve the recommendation to award for the above contract. Contract Term: March 18, 2015, through December 31, 2015, 9 Months; User Department: Student Transportation and Fleet Services (STFS); Award Amount: \$10,603,000; Vendor(s) Awarded: Florida Transportation Systems, Inc.; LBS South; and Matthews Buses, Inc.; M/WBE Vendor(s): None

SUMMARY EXPLANATION AND BACKGROUND:
The School Board of Broward County, Florida, Purchasing Policy 3320, Part II, Section M, permits the District to piggyback on contracts awarded by other public or governmental agencies. School Districts within the State of Florida utilize the Florida Department of Education bid for the purchase of school buses. This request is for the purchase of ninety-eight (98) school buses. Ninety-five (95) of the buses are for STFS (in accordance with the District's Educational and Facilities Plan, Fiscal Year 2014-15 to 2018-19) and three (3) of the buses are for the technical high schools.
A copy of the Florida Department of Education School Bus Bid #2015-01 is available online at:
www.fapflorida.org/schoolBusSpecification/2014-2015%20Pricing%20&%20Ordering%20Guide_Final.pdf.

SCHOOL BOARD GOALS:
 Goal 1: High Quality Instruction
 Goal 2: Continuous Improvement
 Goal 3: Effective Communication

FINANCIAL IMPACT:
The estimated financial impact will be \$10,603,000. As outlined in the adopted District Educational Facilities Plan, the School Board approved the capital funding on September 23, 2014, in the amount of \$10,300,000. The funding source for the \$303,000 purchase by the technical high schools will be allocated to the Workforce Development Reserve Fund.

EXHIBITS: (List)
(1) Executive Summary (2) Approved ARF 9-15-2014 RSBM 2. (3) Recommendation Tabulation (4) Financial Analysis Worksheet (5) Supplier Evaluation

BOARD ACTION:

(For Official School Board Records Office Only)

SOURCE OF ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:	
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THE SCHOOL BOARD OF BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA
Senior Leader & Title

Maurice L. Woods - Chief Strategy & Operations Officer

Signature
Maurice Woods
Mon Mar 9 14:59:01 2015

Approved In Open Board Meeting On: _____

By: _____
School Board Chair