

## BROWARD COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS SMART PROGRAM QUARTERLY UPDATE

November 2015



Other Project Charter meetings are being scheduled for Year 1 projects.

## REQUESTS FOR PROPOSALS

Three Board Items will be presented at the November 3, 2015 Regular School Board Meeting seeking approval to advertise Requests for Proposals for Design/Build services for Renovation Projects at Blanche Ely, Northeast and Stranahan High Schools. The project values are \$14,795,436, \$14,162,600, and \$16,004,650, respectively.

In addition, several other projects will be presented at the December 8, 2015 Regular School Board Meeting for approval to advertise for more Design/Build services, as well as Requests for Qualifications (RFQ) for Architectural and Engineering services. The RFQs will encompass term contracts and site specific solicitations.

By expanding on delivery methods to include Design/Build, Design/Bid/Build, and term contracts, the District is broadening and diversifying the bidder pool, with the intent on attracting a wide range of potential proposers to execute on the projects.

## OFC RELOCATION

The Office of Facilities and Construction will be relocating to the Rock Island Administration Center at the beginning of 2016. Both Heery and Atkins will be located with OFC allowing for day-to-day interaction and coordination on projects, maximizing the synergy that is necessary to execute the very important work of the SMART Program. Additionally, with the District's Building Department already housed at this location, further integration of processes can be realized for optimum success.

## SMART PROGRAM ADMINISTRATIVE AND PROJECT EXPENDITURES

As stated above, the first SMART Program projects are being presented at the November 3, 2015 Regular School Board meeting to authorize the advertisement of Requests for Proposals for Design/Build services for the first three projects. Additionally, the District has not yet received its first invoice for administrative services from its strategic business partners. As such, the SMART Program expenditures for this period are limited to the distribution of technology as separately reported to the Bond Oversight Committee.