

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Recommendation to Award Additional Vendors 18-013R-1 – Motor Coach Transportation Services

This request is to approve the recommendation to award additional vendors to the Invitation to Bid (ITB) 18-013R-1 Motor Coach Transportation Services for two (2) years and nine (9) months from October 4, 2017 through June 30, 2020. This ITB was advertised to add additional vendors to the original ITB 18-013R - Motor Coach Transportation Services. ITB 18-013R – Motor Coach Transportation Services, Section 4, Special Conditions 1 states, “SBBC reserves the right to increase the pool of school bus companies to provide the services included in the ITB if deemed necessary by SBBC. Subject to approval, additional providers may be added to the pool of awarded bus companies. Regardless as to the year, a bus company is added to the pool of awarded coach bus companies; all awards will be terminated at the end of this ITB”. ITB 18-013R-1 was approved on June 13, 2017, at the Regular School Board Meeting (RSBM).

The School Board of Broward County, Florida, received nine (9) responses to the ITB 18-013R-1 - Motor Coach Transportation Services. This ITB will provide for extra-curricular motor coach transportation services that will transport students, staff, chaperones, advisors, etc. to and from athletic and scholastic events, field trips, and grad night.

The solicitation for the ITB 18-013R-1 was advertised on August 21, 2017, with a due date of September 6, 2017. Eight (8) bids met the requirements of the ITB and are recommended for award. The additional eight (8) vendors awarded under this ITB will provide the District with a total of twenty-five (25) vendors awarded to provide motor coach transportation service.

Financial Impact

The total contract award amount for 18-013R and 18-013R-1 is \$750,000. The spending authority was approved by the School Board at the June 13, 2017, RSBM. There is no additional request for spending authority for this item.

Below is a chart of awarded vendors.

Vendor	Vendor Awarded under previous ITB 14-045V	Vendors Awarded under 18-013R	Vendors Awarded under 18-013R-1
Academy Bus, LLC	Awarded	Awarded	N/A
Ace Tours and Transportation, Inc., d/b/a Sawgrass Tours and Bus Charters	Awarded	No Bid	Awarded
Atlantic Charters, Inc. *	Awarded	Awarded	N/A
Blue Lagoon Tours & Transportation, d/b/a Miami Jet Tours	No Bid	Awarded	N/A
Boss Transit Solutions	No Bid	No Bid	Awarded
Classic Bus Lines, Inc.	Awarded	Awarded	N/A
Davis Tours, Inc.	Awarded	No Bid	Awarded
Empire Coach Line, Inc.	No Bid	Awarded	N/A
Escot Bus Lines LLC	Awarded	Awarded	N/A
Florida Tours.Com LLC	No Bid	Awarded	N/A

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Vendor	Vendor Awarded under previous ITB 14-064V	Vendors Awarded under 18-013R	Vendors Awarded under 18-013R-1
Florida Trails, Inc., d/b/a Annett Bus Lines	Awarded	No Bid	Awarded
Gold Star Transportation, Inc.	Awarded	No Bid	Awarded
Heavenly Charters, Inc. *	Awarded	Awarded	N/A
International Limo of South Florida LLC*	No Bid	Awarded	N/A
Jet Set Line, Inc.	No Bid	Awarded	N/A
Kings College Tours, Inc. *	No Bid	Awarded	N/A
Miami Coach Tours LLC	No Bid	Awarded	N/A
Motorcoach Class "A" Transportation, Inc.	No Bid	No Bid	Awarded
PS Tour Service, Inc.	No Bid	Awarded	N/A
Southern Bus Lines, Inc.	Awarded	Non Responsive Bid	Awarded
The Merlin Bus Network LLC d/b/a International LIMO	No Bid	Awarded	N/A
Treasure Coast Motor Coach, Inc. d/b/a Magic Carpet Ride	Awarded	Awarded	N/A
Travel by Bus! LLC	Awarded	Awarded	N/A
Travel & Tours Global Management Company, LLC	No Bid	No Bid	Awarded
Unique Charters, Inc.	No Bid	Awarded	N/A

*Certified Small/Minority/Women Business Enterprise

The previous ITB 14-045V had a total of twenty-two (22) awarded vendors. Ten (10) vendors awarded under 14-045V did not submit a bid for 18-013R or 18-013R-1. Under ITB 18-013R and 18-013R-1, a total of twenty-five (25) vendors are recommended for award. ITB 18-013R and 18-013R-1 had thirteen (13) new vendors who submitted bids and are being recommended for award who did not participate in the previous ITB 14-045V.