August 23, 2007

**Business Operations** Ofelia San Pedro, Deputy Superintendent

SUBJECT:

AWARD BID NO. 068-GG06 - TREE, PALM AND SHRUB

PRUNING/REMOVAL

COMMITTEE:

**FACILITIES AND CONSTRUCTION REFORM** 

LINK TO DISTRICT

STRATEGIC PLAN: IMPROVE CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE SERVICES

The purpose of this bid, opened on July 26, 2007, is to pre-qualify yendors and establish a term contract for tree trimming, tree, palm and shrub removal, for Maintenance Operations. This is a term bid which states that the Board may purchase quantities, as may be required, at the unit price bid, but is not obligated to purchase any guaranteed amount. Ten (10) vendors responded to this advertised solicitation.

This bid will establish a list of preapproved vendors who will be contacted to submit competitive solicitations for specific scopes of work on all jobs exceeding the quotation threshold.

Fund Source 0100 - General

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, AWARD Bid No. 068-GG06 - TREE, PALM AND SHRUB PRUNING/REMOVAL, to pre-qualify vendors and establish a term contract for tree trimming, tree, palm and shrub removal, for Maintenance Operations, during the term of the bid, effective September 5, 2007, through September 4, 2008, as follows:

> 1. A NATIVE TREE SERVICE, INC. 15733 S.W. 117 AVENUE MIAMI, FL 33177 OWNER: ANGELA TOMASETTI, CORPORATE OFFICER

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- 2. ARBORCARE, INC. 2658 WEST 68 PLACE HIALEAH, FL 33016 OWNER: JOE R. RODRIQUEZ, PRESIDENT
- CRODON, INC.
   11767 SOUTH DIXIE HIGHWAY, #429
   MIAMI, FL 33156
   OWNER: RODGER CROUSE, PRESIDENT
- 4. FLORIDA COAST SERVICES, INC.
  6664 SWEET MAPLE LANE
  BOCA RATON, FL 33433
  OWNER: DONNA MULGREW, PRESIDENT
- 5. OCEAN CROWN ENVIRONMENTAL, INC. 1031 N.W. 202 STREET MIAMI, FL 33169 OWNER: LARRY KOLAPO, PRESIDENT
- 6. LUKE'S LANDSCAPING, INC.
  D.B.A. SHERWOOD FOREST ARBORCARE
  16400 S.W. 172 AVENUE
  MIAMI, FL 33187
  OWNER: LUKE FACARAZZO, JR., PRESIDENT
- 7. SFM SERVICES, INC. 9700 N.W. 79 AVENUE MIAMI, FL 33016 OWNER: JOSE INFANTE, PRESIDENT
- 8. STILES CORPORATION
  D.B.A. STILES LANDSCAPE COMPANY
  300 S.E. 2 STREET, SUITE 620
  FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33301
  OWNER: DON T. WINSETT, PRESIDENT
- 9. T.T.C. ENVIRONMENTAL, INC. 3310 N.W. 178 STREET MIAMI, FL 33056 OWNER: PAT JOSHUA, VICE PRESIDENT

10. TROMPEX CORPORATION
13380 S.W. 131 STREET, SUITE 126
MIAMI, FL 33186
OWNER: TIM OKOINYAN, PRESIDENT

11. Authorize Procurement Management Services to purchase up to the total estimated amount of \$2,000,000.

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