TO:

Mr. Alberto M. Carvalho, Superintendent of Schools

THROUGH: Richard H. Hinds, Chief Financial Officer

FROM:

Barry S. Meltz, District Director Procurement Management Services

SUBJECT:

SUPERINTENDENT'S EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS

The following contracts are requested to be approved as Superintendent's Extension of Contracts, as authorized by Board Policy 6320 - Purchasing. It is the District's established practice, for Procurement Management Services to apply the contract amount for each approved extension, during the term of the bid. There is no obligation to purchase any amount within the contract period as set forth in the bid solicitation. It is requested that you review and approve the extensions listed below:

CONTRACT NO.	CONTRACT TITLE	<u>AWARD</u> <u>AMOUNT</u>	<u>EXTENSION</u> <u>DATE</u>
1. 069-LL06	FERTILIZER, SPECIAL MIX	\$55,325	08/03/12 - 08/02/13
2. 096-НН01	STUDENT DESKS	\$15,656	08/04/12 - 11/02/12
3. 012-KK01	SCHOOL OFFICE FURNITURE/ CATALOG DISCOUNT BID	\$300,000	08/04/12 - 08/03/13
4. 105-FF10	COLLECTION-AGENCY SERVICES	N/A	08/25/12 - 08/24/13
5. 086-JJ01	CIRCULATION DESKS AND COMPONENTS	\$30,340	09/09/12 - 09/08/13
6. 003-JJ11	FIRE-ALARM COMPONENTS	\$22,322	09/10/12 - 09/09/13

REVIEWED:

School Board Attorney

APPROVED: -

Alberto M. Carvalho Superintendent of Schools

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## CONTRACT EXTENSION SUMMARY

Contract No.:

012-KK01

Contract Title:

SCHOOL OFFICE FURNITURE/CATALOG DISCOUNT BID

Board Meeting Date: August 4, 2010 – Agenda Item E-141

Purpose of Contract: The purpose of this contract is to purchase, at firm discount and prices, quantities, as may be required, of student desks, for various school locations

throughout the District.

Initial Award Amount: \$620,000

Initial Contract Award Period and Extension:

August 4, 2010 - August 3, 2012

Two (2) years, with an option to extend for three (3) additional one (1) year periods and, if needed, an additional ninety (90) days beyond the expiration date

of the current contract period.

Current Extension Amount: N/A

Current Extension Period:

N/A

Recommended Extension Award Amount: \$300,000

Recommended Extension Period: August 4, 2012 - August 3, 2013

This is the first extension of the contract. The awardees have agreed to extend for an additional one (1) year period, by letter, on

file.

Vendors Recommended for Contract Extension: Five (5)

Contemporary Interiors, Inc.

Schoolhouse Product, Inc. School Specialty, Inc.

Demaria Holdings, Inc., d.ba. Mark Products J.C. White Office Furniture Co. - M/WBE

Cost Savings: No √

Justification: It is considered to be in the best interest of the District to extend this contract for an additional one (1) year period, to benefit from fixed prices and continuity of service, inasmuch as the Consumer Price Index (CPI), as of June 2012, indicated an increase of 3.0%. Staff has indicated satisfactory performance from the vendors and recommends extension. This extension is based on the terms, conditions and pricing

contained in the original contract approved by the School Board.

Benchmark:

Items on this M-DCPS bid were benchmarked against The School Board of Broward County, Florida, and the District's prices were found to be comparable or lower for similar items.