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MEMORANDUM

DATE: December 1, 2017
TO: Diana Rodriguez, Construction Project Manager
 Highway and Bridge Maintenance Division
THRU: Sandy- Michael McDonald, Director *SM*
 Office of Economic and Small Business Development
FROM: Freddy Castillo, Small Business Development Manager *FC*
 Office of Economic and Small Business Development
SUBJECT: No CBE Goal for Ready Mix Concrete

The Highway and Bridge Maintenance Division has reported that a contract is needed for a vendor to provide Ready Mix Concrete to the Highway and Bridge Maintenance Division and other Broward County agencies. Work under this contract consists of furnishing all labor, materials, equipment, and incidentals required to deliver ready mixed concrete to construction job sites located throughout Broward County. Work must be in compliance with applicable safety and technical codes and laws. Materials shall conform to the latest edition of The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction.

The Project Manager indicated that this project does not present an opportunity for subcontracting. Additionally, a review of the County Certified Firm Directory revealed that there are currently no County Business Enterprises (CBEs) that can provide this product and service. Therefore, consistent with the Broward County Business Opportunity Act of 2012, Section 1-81.3(d), no CBE goal is applicable to this project. In the event the vendor elects to use subcontractors, the County encourages the vendor to give full consideration to use CBE firms to perform work under the contract.

This contract is not subject to the Broward County Workforce Investment Program.

Eligibility for the CBE program is based on economic size standards; the program does not utilize race or gender criteria for either certification or goal methodology purposes. CBE goals are based on an examination of the scope of work and cost estimate as submitted to the Office of Economic and Small Business Development by the Using Agency. If you have any concerns regarding available subcontracting opportunities, please contact our office at (954) 357-6400.

cc: Angela Byers, Administrative Officer, Highway and Bridge Maintenance Division
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