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MEMORANDUM

DATE: June 5, 2018

TO: Lavern Deer, Sr. Program Project Coordinator
 Broward Addiction Recovery Center

THRU: Sandy-Michael McDonald, Director 
 Office of Economic and Small Business Development

FROM: Freddy Castillo, Small Business Development Manager 
 Office of Economic and Small Business Development

SUBJECT: No CBE Goal for Real Time Location System

The Broward Addiction Recovery Center (BARC) is seeking a qualified vendor to provide real time location technology to provide patient bed management, patient, staff, and visitor tracking, room occupancy and usage tracking, staff productivity tracking, funding source tracking, infection control management, healthcare environmental control (custodial management), security/staff emergency alert functions, and healthcare facility asset management. The certification directory indicates that there are no certified County Business Enterprises (CBEs) in the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) that may meet the requirements of the solicitation; therefore, consistent with the Broward County Business Opportunity Act of 2012, as amended, Sec. 1-81.3 (1) (a), no CBE goal is applicable for this project. According to Sec. 1-81.10 (a) (1) of the Broward County Business Opportunity Act, as amended, if a responsive, responsible bid is received from a certified CBE firm that is within ten percent (10%) of the lowest bid received from a non-CBE firm, the CBE shall be offered the opportunity to match the lowest bid.

This solicitation 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 upon the examination of the scope of work, cost estimate and funding source 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: Nichole Francis, Small Business Development Specialist, OESBD