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MEMORANDUM

DATE: October 10, 2025

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**SUBJECT: Airport Concession Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (ACDBE) Goal
– Self Service Baggage Cart Concession (FLL)**

ACDBE GOAL: No Goal

NAICS Codes: 812990 and 561320

Scope of Services: *Coin Operated Personal Service Machine and Temporary Help Services*

The Airport Development Division within the Broward County Aviation Department is seeking sub-vendors for Smarte Carte, Inc. Smarte Carte, Inc. provides self-service baggage cart vending equipment placed across all four (4) FLL airport terminals and the Rental Car Center (RCC). The self-service baggage cart vending machines are located at the arrival and departure curbside areas, baggage claims, the RCC, and the international passenger arrival Federal Inspection Service (FIS). The scope of work includes supplying approximately 800 durable carts along with a minimum of 32 self-service cart vending equipment that supports all major payment methods, including cash. Smarte Carte will collect luggage carts, distribute them across the airport campus, perform regular cleaning and repairs, monitor self-service cart availability, and maintain the self-service cart vending equipment.

The Office of Economic and Small Business Development has determined that no Airport Concession Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (ACDBE) participation goal applies to this solicitation due to a change in the federal regulations governing the ACDBE Program. Through an Interim Final Rule (IFR), which became effective on October 3, 2025, the United States Department of Transportation eliminated race- and sex-based presumptions

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of social and economic disadvantage. Existing ACDBE firms must first be reevaluated based on this new criteria before any project specific goals can be assigned.

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

This solicitation is not subject to the Broward County Construction Apprenticeship Program.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this assignment, please contact our office at (954) 357-6400.

cc: Yulanda Brady, Small Business Development Specialist, BCAD/OESBD
