

PURCHASING AGENDA ITEM

Hernando County School District

APPROVED

AGENDA #25-3081

School Board Approval Meeting:

June 24, 2025

Bid No. 25-204-42 PB

**Bid Title: Food Service Management Tool
(including Software)**

Recommend approval of this agenda item under the specific category below:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Lowest Bid(s) | <input type="checkbox"/> Request for Proposal(s) | <input type="checkbox"/> Low Bid(s) Meeting Specification | <input type="checkbox"/> Rejection/Cancellation |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Revised Award | <input type="checkbox"/> Renewal of Contract | <input type="checkbox"/> Sole/Single Source | <input type="checkbox"/> Re-Award (Partial/Whole) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Contract Termination | <input type="checkbox"/> Amendments to Contract | <input type="checkbox"/> Extension of Contract | <input type="checkbox"/> Emergency |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Reversed Auction | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Piggyback Cooperative | <input type="checkbox"/> Responsive/Responsible Bidders | |

Bid Contract Period:

06/24/2025 through 05/31/2026

☐ N/A – One Time Purchase

Contract Type:

☐ Estimated
Dollar Amount

☐ Firm, Fixed
Dollar Amount

☐ Firm, Fixed
Unit Prices

☒ Firm, Fixed Unit Prices,
Hourly Rates, Fees and/or
Percentages

Renewal Options:

No. of Terms
Remaining
1

☐ Length of
Each Term (month)

☒ Length of
Each Term (year)
1

☐ None

Rationale/Reason: Piggyback The Interlocal Purchasing System (TIPS), Region 8 Education Service Center (ESC), RFP No. 230402: Food Service Management Tool (including Software), awarded to EMS LINQ, LLC for the Point-of-Sale Software system for school cafeterias. HCSB Bid No. 25-204-42 PB has been assigned for internal tracking purposes.

Bidders Electronically
Downloaded From
Bidnet Direct Website:

Bids Received:

No Bids:

Late Bids:

Rejected Bids:

☐ N/A – Bids Not
Required:

Submitted By:

Christopher Reckner
Director of Purchasing & Warehousing

School(s): District Wide

Requested By:

Holly Longo
Director of Food and Nutrition

Department(s): Food and Nutrition

Recommended award: (See attached)

T/C CODE: 2542

Awarded Vendor:

EMS LINQ, LLC
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