

**MANATEE COUNTY GOVERNMENT
NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD
A SINGLE SOURCE CONTRACT**

SUBJECT/TITLE	Streetleaf Solar Power Street Lights with Installation	DATE POSTED	MC Website _____
PROCUREMENT REPRESENTATIVE	Thomas Couchois Jr, Procurement Agent I	DATE CONTRACT SHALL BE AWARDED	April 3, 2024
DEPARTMENT	Public Works	REQUISITION NO.	R084344
AUTHORIZED BY	Jacob Erickson, Purchasing Official	SIGNATURE DATE	

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The Manatee County Procurement Division provides notice of its intent to award a single source contract with a value of \$113,690.01 with Gig Fiber, LLC for the provision of Streetleaf Solar Power Street Lights with Installation.

ENABLING/REGULATING AUTHORITY

Federal/State law(s), administrative ruling(s), Manatee County Comp Plan/Land Development Code, ordinances, resolutions, policy.

Manatee County Code of Laws

BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION

Manatee County Procurement Division has completed a due diligence review and intends to procure Streetleaf Solar Power Street Lights with Installation from Gig Fiber, LLC without conducting a competitive solicitation process for the following reason(s):

Manatee County has recently unveiled comprehensive improvements to various parks, a notable addition being the implementation of Gig Fiber, LLC's innovative Streetleaf solar-powered lights at DeSantis Park. The successful deployment of these lights underscores Gig Fiber, LLC's adeptness in handling such intricate projects as a local entity. By embracing streetleaf solar lights County-wide, a harmonized system is established, fostering operational efficiency and cost-effectiveness through standardized components and decreased downtime. Moreover, Gig Fiber, LLC's commitment to swift and eco-conscious installation showcases their capability to seamlessly integrate sustainable solutions for the community.

Any company that believes it can provide this good/service, must submit detailed information about its good/service to the Manatee County Procurement Division at purchasing@mymanatee.org no later than April 2, 2024 for evaluation and consideration.