

MANATEE COUNTY GOVERNMENT

SOLE SOURCE or NONCOMPETITIVE INTENT TO AWARD

SUBJECT	F.O.G. (fats, oils, grease) Remediation	DATE POSTED	MC <u>11/20/17 TB</u>
PURCHASING REPRESENTATIVE	Charles Bentley 941-749-3036	DATE CONTRACT SHALL BE AWARDED	Five business days after posting
DEPARTMENT	Utilities Department Lift Station Division and Wastewater Treatment Plants	CONSEQUENCES IF DEFERRED	N/A
SOLICITATION	SS #201700071 Task 18R067800CB	AUTHORIZED BY DATE	Chris Daley November 20, 2017 <i>Per [Signature]</i>

NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD

Sole Source notice of Intent to Award for the procurement of Bio amp rental and service for F.O.G. Remediation to Chemsearch FE, A Division of NCH Corporation, located in Irving, Texas 75062.

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, Sections 2-26-40 & 2-26-45

BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION

- ♦ NCH Corporation sponsored a year long study beginning March 2013 on a portion of the NW Bradenton collection system to demonstrate the effectiveness of their product. The study included dosing at stations 7D, 8D, 12D and the Loop. The purpose of the study was to reduce or eliminate the required cleaning or washing down of the grease within the stations as well as the downstream station of 9D.
- ♦ This procurement is for biological treatment for the Lift Station Division. FY16 Bio amp services for F.O.G. (fats, oils, and grease) remediation and annual rental of 2HP, 3HP, and 4HP digester aeration units.
- ♦ Chemsearch offers a vegetative bacterium that breaks down the F.O.G and allows it to safely pass through the system. This permanently changes the chemical compound structure so that as the liquid moves downstream it remains a liquid form and will not solidify.
- ♦ Chemsearch has patented equipment, Bioamp, which allows a culture introduction to live bacteria directly into the station.

If a vendor believes this item is not a sole source or noncompetitive procurement, Manatee County Purchasing Division requires prospective vendors provide information regarding their ability to supply the commodity or contractual services described prior to the date indicated for "date contract shall be awarded".

ATTACHMENTS (List in order of attached) •		FUNDING SOURCE (Acct Number & Name)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Funds Verified <input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Funds
COST	\$204,720.00 (category 3)	AMT/FREQ OF RECURRING COSTS (Attach Fiscal Impact Statement)	4010010300-534000