

**MANATEE COUNTY GOVERNMENT**  
**INTENT TO AWARD**

<b>RFO NO/TITLE</b>	21-R077058BB / Unmanned Aircraft Systems (UAS) Drone Services	<b>DATE POSTED</b>	MC _____ BS _____
<b>PROCUREMENT REPRESENTATIVE</b>	Brooke Baker, CPPB Procurement Team Leader	<b>PROJECTED AWARD DATE</b>	August 24, 2021
<b>DEPARTMENT/DIVISION</b>	Property Management Department	<b>AUTHORIZED BY DATE</b>	Jacob Erickson, MBA, CPPO, NIGP-CPP, Procurement Official

**NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD**

The Manatee County Procurement Division provides notice of its intent to award a contract to the following firms for the provision of UAS Drone Services: 1. Drone Effects LLC; 2. Drones On Demand, Inc.; 3. Stable Air Media LLC; 4. Valmont Industries, Inc.; and 5. Water Resource Associates, LLC d/b/a WRA.

**ENABLING/REGULATING AUTHORITY**

Manatee County Procurement Ordinance, Section 2-26.

**BACKGROUND/EVALUATIONS**

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The RFO was advertised on July 23, 2021 on the Manatee County website and Periscope S2G. It was also provided to the Manatee County Chamber of Commerce, Manasota Black Chamber of Commerce, Gulf Coast Builders Exchange, and Gulf Coast Latin Chamber of Commerce for release to their members. Offers were received from the following firms: 1. Drone Effects LLC; 2. Drones On Demand, Inc.; 3. Stable Air Media LLC; 4. Valmont Industries, Inc.; and 5. Water Resource Associates, LLC d/b/a WRA.

**TECHNICAL EVALUATIONS**

Evaluations of the Offers were conducted based upon the criteria in the RFO. At the conclusion of the evaluations, the five responding firms were ranked equally.

**RECOMMENDATION**

The Property Management Department recommends award of a contract for UAS Drone Services to the following firms: 1. Drone Effects LLC; 2. Drones On Demand, Inc.; 3. Stable Air Media LLC; 4. Valmont Industries, Inc.; and 5. Water Resource Associates, LLC d/b/a WRA.

<b>ATTACHMENTS</b>	N/A	<b>NAME AND NUMBER OF FUNDING SOURCE</b>	Various Accounts
<b>ANNUAL COST</b>	To Be Determined; As-Needed Services	<b>FUNDS VERIFIED</b>	Yes