MANATEE COUNTY GOVERNMENT SOLE SOURCE or NONCOMPETITIVE INTENT TO AWARD

| SUBJECT | Cleaning and removal of vegetation along with sludge from retention ponds | DATE POSTED | MC 12/21/15 XSE |
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| PURCHASING REPRESENTATIVE | Donna M. Stevens, Contract Specialist ext. 3045 | DATE CONTRACT SHALL BE AWARDED | Five business days from posting (December 30, 2015) |
| DEPARTMENT | Utilities Department | CONSEQUENCES IF DEFERRED | Delay in project |
| SOLICITATION | SS# 201600096 Valid 12/21/2015-12/20/2016 Task # 20160736 R062628 | AUTHORIZED BY DATE | Donna M. Stevens December 21, 2015 |

NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD

Sole Source notice of Intent to Award # 201600096 for cleaning and removal of vegetation, and sludge from two backwash retention ponds along with the cleaning of the swale areas from EPB Enterprises, LLC located in Sebring, Florida, 33876.

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

- This procurement is for the annual Manatee County Water Treatment Plant cleaning and removal of vegetation, and sludge from the two backwash retention ponds and the swale areas.
- The annual expenditure is \$ 33,656.67
- The Contractor, EPB Enterprises LLC, has water-tight dump trucks, which are a requirement for this procurement. The composition of the sludge being removed is a slurry.

If a vendor believes this item is a sole source 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) | х | Funds Verified |
|--------------------------------------------|-------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|----------------|
| COST | \$33,656.67 | AMT/FREQ OF RECURRING COSTS (Attach Fiscal Impact Statement) | 401000 | 8400-534000 |