MANATEE COUNTY GOVERNMENT NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD A SOLE SOURCE CONTRACT

SUBJECT/TITLE	Temple, Inc. / School Beacon and PCSS Connectivity and Support Services	DATE POSTED	MC Website
PROCUREMENT REPRESENTATIVE	George Earnest CPPB	DATE CONTRACT SHALL BE AWARDED	December 12, 2022
DEPARTMENT	Public Works Department	REQUISITION NO.	R080710
AUTHORIZED BY	Jacob Erickson, Purchasing Official	SIGNATURE DATE	
NOTICE OF INTENT TO NEGOTIATE FOR AWARD			

The Manatee County Procurement Division provides notice of its intent to award a sole source contract with a value of \$91,805.00 with Temple, Inc. for the provision of Temple school beacon and PCSS connectivity and support services.

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 Temple school beacon and PCSS connectivity and support services from Temple, Inc. without conducting a competitive solicitation process for the following reason(s):

The Public Works Department, Traffic Division maintains a number of Temple school beacons and PCSS units. Temple, Inc. is the OEM for this equipment. Temple is also the only provider of connectivity and support services for this equipment. The Public Works Department and Procurement have determined that Temple school beacon and PCSS connectivity and support services, sourced from Temple, Inc. is in the County's best interest.

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 December 9, 2022 for evaluation and consideration.