## Manatee County Government Request for Quotes (RFQ) #13-2324GE

#### MINIATURE AIRBOAT

DATE ISSUED: July 17, 2013 DUE DATE: July 24, 2013 at 3:00pm

Manatee County Government Purchasing Division, Suite 803 1112 Manatee Avenue West Bradenton, FL 34205

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Manatee County invites your participation in the following quotation. The specifications stated herein are of the minimum requirements. All quotes submitted must be in accordance with the Minimum Requirements as listed herein.

#### **CLARIFICATION**

It shall be the responsibility of all quoters to request any additional clarification of the contents herein from George Earnest, Buyer. Manatee County will make a good faith effort to furnish any clarification by written addendum to all known potential quoters. Quoters shall not accept any verbal or telecommunication explanation as authorized clarification of the contents herein.

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#### MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS

#### **SCOPE**

The Vendor shall provide and deliver a miniature airboat 10-11 feet in length. An attachment is included with the specifications of the airboat.

#### PURCHASE ORDER AND INVOICE

A Purchase Order shall be issued as a result of this request for quotation. The Purchase Order will serve as the "notice of award" and "notice to proceed". A lump sum payment will be made for the airboat with submittal of an invoice at the time of delivery and County acceptance. The invoice must be priced per the quote submitted and include the Purchase Order number.

#### **TERM**

The term of this quote will be for a one-year period. Pricing must be held firm for that one-year. The County has plans for one airboat, but may need to order more during the one-year period.

#### **WARRANTY**

The Vendor shall provide a one-year parts, material and workmanship/manufacturer warranty covering all parts and components. The Vendor shall assume all costs in honoring this warranty.

#### **BASIS OF AWARD**

Award will be made to the responsive, responsible quoter having the lowest total quote.

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# QUOTE SUBMITTAL FORM

### **MINIATURE AIRBOAT**

TOTAL QUOTE FOR AWARD PURPOSES	\$
COMPANY NAME:	
AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE:	
	DATE:
COMPANY ADDRESS:	
E-MAIL ADDRESS:	
TELEPHONE:FAX:	
Please submit the completed tab sheet to George Earnest by	y post, fax or email at the following:

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## MINIMUM TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

#### MINATIUE AIR BOAT - 10 - 11 FEET IN LENGTH

Manatee County is in the need of purchasing a mini airboat for Public Works Stormwater division.

Below are the minimal specifications required for this procurement.

Hull:

Fiberglass composite hull with bow storage, Minimum / maximum dimensions 10' - 11' in length by 72" in width.

Fiberglass hull to be constructed by standard marine practices with a minimum of double fiberglass overlay with gel coat finish.

Hull to have at minimum a 1/4 polymer bottom covering securely attached per industry standard.

Hull to have a bolt on grass rake attached to front with dual LED floodlights attached.

Coast Guard approved lighting package

Required seating for a rear operator and a front passenger

Bottom and back seat cushions are required

Full seat covers are required, either a fitted cover with snap type fasteners or a bag type drawstring cover is acceptable.

#### Engine:

34hp Generac 4- stroke engine or equivalent. Equivalent must be approved by Manatee County and capable of moving completed boat across short distances of dry ground.

Engine will have a belt drive system for prop engagement

Engine will have a carbon fiber propeller properly matched to engine torque and horsepower Engine to have a fully enclosed, stainless steel safety cage, motor stand and associated rigging. A USCG approved seven to ten gallon fuel tank is required with appropriate connections to the engine

#### Steering System:

Airfoil rudders to be included and constructed of 100% welded aluminum materials properly sized tor the vessel size.

Teleflex steering and throttle controls are to be installed.

Trailer:

A ground loading aluminum trailer is required.

Trailer to be set up to match the vessel and have safety hold down straps for the rear of the vessel included.

Delivery:

Delivery to Manatee County Fleet Services 1100 26th Ave East Bradenton, Florida. 34208

At minimum the vendor should have on record the satisfactory production of no less than 25 of these units with credible references.