

MANATEE COUNTY GOVERNMENT

INTENT TO AWARD

IFB NO. / TITLE	19-R071834SA, Potable Waterline Backflow Preventer Services	DATE POSTED	MC _____ DS _____	CC _____ BCC _____
PROCUREMENT REPRESENTATIVE	Sherry Anderson	PROJECTED AWARD DATE	August 19, 2019	
DEPARTMENT/DIVISION	Utilities Cross Connection Control Division	AUTHORIZED BY DATE	Theresa Webb, Procurement Official	

NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD

The Manatee County Procurement Division provides notice of its intent to award a contract with Lapensee Plumbing Inc., Robettco, Inc. dba The Water Works, Casey-Mar, Inc. dba Casey's Plumbing, Backflow Acquisition Corp. dba Howz It Flowin Agin, and Accurate Backflow Testing Inc. for the provision of Potable Waterline Backflow Preventer Services.

ENABLING/REGULATING AUTHORITY

Manatee County Procurement Ordinance, Sec 2-26.

BACKGROUND/EVALUATION

The Manatee County Utilities Department provides water services to over 320,000 residents in unincorporated Manatee County. The Utilities Department oversees the potable waterline backflow prevention assemblies for all County facilities. The County is requesting quotes from qualified contractors for the provision of potable waterline backflow preventer services on an as-required basis to various locations within Manatee County.

The solicitation was advertised on June 6, 2019 on the Manatee County website and directly solicited. It was also provided to the Manatee County Chamber of Commerce and the Manasota Black Chamber of Commerce for release to its members. Responses were received from the following firms:

Lapensee Plumbing Inc., Holmes Beach FL	Accurate Backflow Testing Inc., Bradenton FL
Robettco, Inc. dba The Water Works, Bradenton FL	Backflow Acquisition Corp. dba Howz It Flowin Agin, Bradenton, FL
Casey-Mar Inc. dba Casey's Plumbing, Bradenton, FL	

EVALUATION SUMMARY:

Lapensee Plumbing Inc., Robettco, Inc. dba The Water Works, Casey-Mar, Inc. dba Casey's Plumbing, Backflow Acquisition Corp. dba Howz It Flowin Agin, and Accurate Backflow Testing Inc. were the lowest responsible, responsive bidder(s). A bid tabulation of the results is attached to this Notice of Intent to Award.

RECOMMENDATION

The Procurement Division and the Utilities Cross Connection Control Division recommend award to Lapensee Plumbing Inc., Robettco, Inc. dba The Water Works, Casey-Mar, Inc. dba Casey's Plumbing, Backflow Acquisition Corp. dba Howz It Flowin Agin, and Accurate Backflow Testing Inc..

ATTACHMENTS (List in order of attached)	19-R071834SA - Bid Tab	NAME AND NUMBER OF FUNDING SOURCE	4010010000-534000
COST	\$375,000.00	FUNDS VERIFIED	Yes