## MANATEE COUNTY GOVERNMENT NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD A SINGLE SOURCE CONTRACT

SUBJECT/TITLE	SR 789 Water Main Improvements	DATE POSTED	MC Website
PROCUREMENT REPRESENTATIVE	Dave Janney Senior Procurement Agent	DATE CONTRACT SHALL BE AWARDED	May 11, 2021
DEPARTMENT	Public Works	REQUISITION NO.	TA003712
AUTHORIZED BY	Jacob Erickson, Procurement Official	SIGNATURE DATE	

## NOTICE OF INTENT TO NEGOTIATE FOR AWARD

The Manatee County Procurement Division provides notice of its intent to award a single source contract with a value of \$261,824.43 with AF USA Construction Corp. for the provision of SR 789 Water Main Improvements.

## **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 SR 789 Water Main Improvements from AF USA Construction Corp. without conducting a competitive solicitation process for the following reason(s):

The County has worked with FDOT to identify utility conflicts in the project area. Because the contractor is already performing FDOT's work, they are aware of the County's required work with cost savings and coordination efficiencies. The general contractor has all related experiences, licenses, and insurance for underground utility work. This will increase safety, decrease project site conflicts or line breaks due to construction methods, and eliminate the possibility of fines to the County for potential delays by having to obtain a separate contractor to perform the county-directed work.

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 <a href="mailto:purchasing@mymanatee.org">purchasing@mymanatee.org</a> no later than May 3, 2021, for evaluation and consideration.