MANATEE COUNTY GOVERNMENT SOLE SOURCE or NONCOMPETITIVE INTENT TO AWARD

SUBJECT	Annual Automic Software Support and License Renewal	DATE POSTED	MC 12/27/17 G.S.
PURCHASING REPRESENTATIVE	Charles Bentley, 749-3036	DATE CONTRACT SHALL BE AWARDED	Five business days after posting
DEPARTMENT	Information Technology	CONSEQUENCES IF DEFERRED	Slower computer responsiveness, staff overtime
SOLICITATION	Task 18R067971CB (SS #201700054)	AUTHORIZED BY DATE	Charles Bentley December 27, 2017

NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD

Sole Source award to Automic Software Inc. for annual software support and license fee totaling \$38,235.00 for the period January 10, 2018 through January 9, 2019.

ENABLING/REGULATING AUTHORITY

Manatee County Procurement Ordinance

Manatee County Code of Laws, Sections 2-26-40 & 2-26-45

BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION

The Utilities Department's enterprise application Ventex is used for various functions such as billing, repairs, and installations. Ventex required the addition of Automic Software's UC4 product for backups and scheduling jobs. The County has since purchased additional licenses for use in the Information Technology Department and Building and Development Services to support existing applications, thus standardizing a single application for these types of daily functions performed in the County's Information Technology environment.

Automic Software, Inc. is the vendor that owns, produces, and supports UC4 software. Resellers cannot sell product, upgrades, or services to existing customers. Manatee County has been a customer of Automic Software, Inc., formally AppWorx Corporation, since January 6, 2010.

If a vendor believes this item is not a sole source or noncompetitive 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)	0010004600-546005 4010008500-546005 4800008400-546005 x Funds Verified Insufficient Funds
COST	\$38,235.00	AMT/FREQ OF RECURRING COSTS (Attach Fiscal Impact Statement)	