

# MANATEE COUNTY GOVERNMENT INTENT TO AWARD

<b>SUBJECT</b>	Laboratory equipment for Utilities Central Lab	<b>DATE POSTED</b>	MC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SE 7/29/14 DS <u>N/A</u> CC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SE 7/29/14
<b>PURCHASING REPRESENTATIVE</b>	George Earnest CPPB, PH (941) 749-3044 <i>GE</i>	<b>DATE CONTRACT SHALL BE AWARDED</b>	
<b>DEPARTMENT</b>	Utilities, Central Lab	<b>CONSEQUENCES IF DEFERRED</b>	Current unit failure, danger to water supply
<b>SOLICITATION</b>	RFQ #14-2108GE Lab Oil & Grease Extraction Unit	<b>AUTHORIZED BY DATE</b>	Dennis Wallace, Contracts & Buyer Manager <i>D. Wallace 7/25/14</i>
<b>NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD</b>			
Manatee County intends to award a purchase order to Horizon Technology, Inc. per the terms, conditions and specifications of RFQ 14-2108GE.			
<b>ENABLING/REGULATING AUTHORITY</b>			
Federal/State law(s), administrative ruling(s), Manatee County Comp Plan/Land Development Code, ordinances, resolutions, policy.  Manatee County Code of Laws			
<b>BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION</b>			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• On June 5, 2014 RFQ 14-2108GE for Lab Oil &amp; Grease Extraction Unit was issued. No addendums were issued. On June 25, 2014 two responses were received: Environmental Express, Inc. and Horizon Technology, Inc.</li> <li>• The response of Environmental Express was found to be nonresponsive due to the failure to provide with their submittal a one year plus three year parts and labor warranty per the RFQ Specifications. Testing of the Environmental Express unit was done by a third party proficiency test provider with 50% of results outside the acceptable range. Environmental Express did not provide with their submittal an overview of their unit's capabilities regarding method detection limits as required.</li> <li>• After an evaluation of the quote submittals, Horizon Technology, Inc. is found to be the sole responsive and responsible quoter.</li> </ul>			
<b>QUOTE RESPONSE TOTALS</b>	Environmental Express, Inc. \$40,220.50  Horizon Technology, Inc. \$50,407.13	<b>FUNDING SOURCE (Acct Number &amp; Name)</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Funds Verified  <input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Funds
<b>COST</b>	\$50,407.13	<b>AMT/FREQ OF RECURRING COSTS (Attach Fiscal Impact Statement)</b>	No recurring costs. One time purchase.