

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

<b>SUBJECT/TITLE</b>	Tarpomatic Tarps for Lena Landfill	<b>DATE POSTED</b>	MC Website _____
<b>PROCUREMENT REPRESENTATIVE</b>	Thomas Couchois Jr, Procurement Agent I	<b>DATE CONTRACT SHALL BE AWARDED</b>	April 30, 2024
<b>DEPARTMENT</b>	Utilities	<b>REQUISITION NO.</b>	R084555
<b>AUTHORIZED BY</b>	Jacob Erickson, Purchasing Official	<b>SIGNATURE DATE</b>	

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The Manatee County Procurement Division provides notice of its intent to award a single source contract with a value of \$36,400.00 with Tarpomatic, Inc. for the provision of Tarpomatic Tarps for Lena Landfill.

**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 Tarpomatic Tarps for Lena Landfill from Tarpomatic, Inc. without conducting a competitive solicitation process for the following reason(s):

The Manatee County Utilities department has effectively utilized Tarpomatic Tarps at the county landfill in tandem with the existing state-of-the-art Tarpomatic automated tarp machines (ATM). These specialized tarps complement the functionality of the ATMs, critical in daily landfill operations. The exclusive provider of these essential components is Tarpomatic, Inc., guaranteeing the high-quality and seamless compatibility of their products. Prompt replacement of these tarps is imperative due to wear and tear from continuous usage, safeguarding the substantial investment made by Manatee County in the ATM systems. These durable tarps play a crucial role in minimizing costs associated with daily landfill operations, ensuring efficient waste management and conservation of valuable airspace. Opting for a system overhaul instead of replacing the tarps would entail significant expenditures and disruptions in operations, underscoring the importance of timely maintenance to uphold operational integrity and cost-effectiveness for the county's landfill management.

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 [purchasing@mymanatee.org](mailto:purchasing@mymanatee.org) no later than April 29, 2024 for evaluation and consideration.