

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

SUBJECT/TITLE	eProbation - Professional Services Agreement - Justware Technologies, Inc.	DATE POSTED	MC Website _____
PROCUREMENT REPRESENTATIVE	Bonnie Sietman	DATE CONTRACT SHALL BE AWARDED	October 1, 2020 (estimated)
DEPARTMENT	Neighborhood Services	REQUISITION NO.	20-R073882BLS
AUTHORIZED BY	Jacob Erickson, Interim 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 \$225,000 with Journal Technologies, Inc. for the provision of eProbation software.

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 eProbation software and professional services from Journal Technologies, Inc. without conducting a competitive solicitation process for the following reason(s):

- product enables probation, pretrial release and offender work program which is essential to setting many in our community back on the correct path;
- seamless transfer of data by contracting with the same vendor as existing software program;
- software enables Neighborhood Services to work collaboratively with law enforcement, judiciary and the Clerk of the Court as all of these software programs work with one another, sharing data as needed;
- connectivity via the web by users and also allows Neighborhood Services staff to work remotely;
- Journal Technologies is the current company that supports, updates and assists with our case management system - JustWare.

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 no later than September 3, 2020 for evaluation and consideration.