MANATEE COUNTY GOVERNMENT NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD A SOLE SOURCE CONTRACT

SUBJECT/TITLE	University Place Park Playground Installation	DATE POSTED	MC
PROCUREMENT REPRESENTATIVE	Kelly Driscoll, Procurement Agent I	DATE CONTRACT SHALL BE AWARDED	February 29, 2024
DEPARTMENT	Parks and Natural Resources	CONSEQUENCES IF DEFERRED	Delayed Installation
REQUISITION NO.	24-R084113KD	AUTHORIZED BY DATE	Jacob Erickson, Purchasing Official

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The Manatee County Procurement Division provides notice of its intent to award a sole source contract with a value of \$64,407.90 with Play Space Services, Inc. for the provision of University Place Park Playground Installation.

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 University Place Park playground installation from Play Space Services, Inc. without conducting a competitive solicitation process for the following reason(s).

Manatee County purchased playground equipment through Advanced Recreational Concepts, LLC through a piggyback agreement from Clay County Agreement No. 18/19-2. Per Clay County Agreement No. 18/19-2, Play Space Services, Inc. is one of (2) two approved sub-contractor equipment installers. Manatee County has previously used Play Space Services, Inc. on various playground installations throughout the County.

Any company that believes they can provide this good or service must provide, in writing, convincing technical data sufficient to support their position to the Manatee County Procurement Division at <u>purchasing@mymanatee.org</u> no later than February 28, 2024.