

# MANATEE COUNTY GOVERNMENT

## INTENT TO AWARD

<b>RFQ NO./TITLE</b>	24-TA005369ED Design Services for East Bradenton Splash Pad and Amenities, Project No. 6006706	<b>DATE POSTED</b>	MC _____	DS _____
<b>PROCUREMENT REPRESENTATIVE</b>	Emily Diaz, Procurement Agent III	<b>PROJECTED AWARD DATE</b>	November 20, 2024	
<b>DEPARTMENT/DIVISION</b>	Property Management Department	<b>AUTHORIZED BY DATE</b>	Jacob Erickson, Purchasing Official	

**NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD**

The Manatee County Procurement Division provides notice of its intent to award a contract with Synalovski Romanik Saye, LLC for the provision of Design Services for East Bradenton Splash Pad and Amenities.

**ENABLING/REGULATING AUTHORITY**

Manatee County Procurement Ordinance, Sec 2-26.

**BACKGROUND/EVALUATION**

The purpose of this Request for Qualifications (RFQ) was to solicit responses from qualified firms or individuals to provide professional architecture and engineering design services for the East Bradenton Park. The project involves replacing the existing pool with a splash pad, expanding parking facilities, and constructing a full-size synthetic turf multipurpose field with irrigation.

The solicitation was advertised on the Manatee County website, and DemandStar. It was also provided to the Manatee County Chamber of Commerce, the Manasota Black Chamber of Commerce, Gulf Coast Builders Exchange, and Gulf Coast Latin Chamber of Commerce for release to its members. Responses were received from the following firms:

1. Engineering Evolution, LLC, Cape Coral, Florida
2. Half Associates, Inc., Tampa, Florida
3. Kimley-Horn and Associates, Inc., Sarasota, Florida
4. Ohlson Lavoie Corporation, Orlando, Florida
5. Synalovski Romanik Saye, LLC, Bradenton, Florida

The following firms were deemed non-responsive/non-responsible: None

**EVALUATION COMMITTEE MEMBERS:**

Emily Diaz, Procurement Division, non-voting	John Linxwiler, Aquatics Operation Captain
Allison Minardi, Recreation Division Manager	Tom Yarger, Deputy Director

**EVALUATION SUMMARY:**

The Evaluation Committee first convened on July 9, 2024 and conducted technical evaluations of the responsible, responsive, proposals received. The Evaluation Committee met on July 22, 2024 with the top three (3) ranking firms individually for in-person interviews. On July 24, 2024 the evaluation committee met for the final technical evaluations and requested authorization to enter into negotiations with the following firm(s):

1. Synalovski Romanik Saye, LLC

**RECOMMENDATION:**

The Evaluation Committee unanimously recommends award to the following firm(s):

Synalovski Romanik Saye, LLC

<b>ATTACHMENTS</b> <b>(List in order of attached)</b>	None	<b>COST</b>	\$918,503.25
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