

MANATEE COUNTY GOVERNMENT

NOTICE OF INTENT TO NEGOTIATE FOR AWARD OF A SOLE SOURCE CONTRACT

SUBJECT	Intelligent One GPS Robotic Athletic Field Painter	DATE POSTED	MC _____
PROCUREMENT REPRESENTATIVE	Charles Bentley	PROJECTED DATE OF AWARD	April 7, 2020
DEPARTMENT	Property Management	REQUISITION NO.	R074096
AUTHORIZED BY	Jacob Erickson, Interim Procurement Official	SIGNATURE	

NOTICE OF INTENT TO NEGOTIATE FOR AWARD

The Manatee County Procurement Division provides notice of its intent to negotiate a sole source contract with a value of \$38,998.00 with Turf Tank for the provision of an Intelligent One GPS Robot package including a robotic athletic field marking painter with an extended warranty.

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 an Intelligent One GPS robotic athletic field marking painter from Turf Tank without conducting a competitive solicitation process for the following reason(s).

This four-wheeled autonomous GPS robot creates the highest level of accuracy and stability for painting athletic fields.

The two other athletic field painting robots the County purchased from Turf Tank have provided time and labor cost savings.

Turf Tank is the sole distributor in North America for the Intelligent One field marking robot.

Any company that believes it 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 purchasing@mymanatee.org no later than April 6, 2020.

ATTACHMENTS (List in order of attached)		FUNDING SOURCE (Acct Number & Name)	0010020512-PropMgt-GroundMaintenanceR&R <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Funds Verified <input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Funds
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