

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

SUBJECT/TITLE	Non-FTA Funded Gillig Bus Replacement Parts	DATE POSTED	MC Website _____
PROCUREMENT REPRESENTATIVE	Ashley Forrest, Procurement Agent II	DATE CONTRACT SHALL BE AWARDED	March 28, 2024
DEPARTMENT	Public Works	REQUISITION NO.	R084279
AUTHORIZED BY	Jacob Erickson, Purchasing Official	SIGNATURE DATE	

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The Manatee County Procurement Division provides notice of its intent to award a single source contract with an estimated annual value of \$32,000.00 with Gillig, LLC for the provision of non-Federal Transit Administration (FTA) funded Gillig bus replacement parts.

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 non-FTA funded Gillig bus replacement parts from Gillig, LLC without conducting a competitive solicitation process for the following reason(s):

To maintain Manatee County's 25+ fleet of Gillig Transit coaches used in community-wide transit operations, replacement parts are needed to make repairs on an as-needed basis. Utilizing original equipment manufacturer (OEM) parts is essential for the proper maintenance of the buses and to meet the severe duty cycles of transit operations. Deviation from the use of OEM parts would result in a voided warranty.

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 March 27, 2024 for evaluation and consideration.