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

SUBJECT/TITLE	Skyline Video Solutions Appliance Gold Level Software & Hardware Maintenance Renewals	DATE POSTED	MC Website
PROCUREMENT REPRESENTATIVE	Charles Bentley, 941-749-3036	DATE CONTRACT SHALL BE AWARDED	November 16, 2022
DEPARTMENT	Public Works	REQUISITION NO.	R080588
AUTHORIZED BY	Jacob Erickson, Purchasing Official	SIGNATURE DATE	

## **NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD A SINGLE SOURCE CONTRACT**

The Manatee County Procurement Division provides notice of its intent to award a single source contract with a value of \$36,141.60 with Skyline Network Engineering, LLC for the provision of Streaming Appliance software/hardware assurance, Traveler Information Website (Skyline Public Portal) software assurance, and Stream Manager software assurance renewals for the period October 1, 2022 through September 30, 2023.

## **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 Streaming Appliance software/hardware assurance, Traveler Information Website (Skyline Public Portal) software assurance, and Stream Manager software assurance renewals for fiscal year 2023 from Skyline Network Engineering, LLC without conducting a competitive solicitation process for the following reason(s):

- Manatee County procured its RTMC Traveler Information Website from Skyline Network Engineering, LLC in 2017 through Request for Proposals (RFP) No. 17-0272GD. The RTMC Traveler Information Website requires firmware and software updates; security patches; hardware replacements; and support services on an ongoing and as-needed basis.
- Skyline Network Engineering, LLC is the sole organization with the capability to install, configure, start-up, and test the required firmware and software updates; security patches; hardware replacements; and support services. Any work performed by a non-certified Skyline technician will void all warranties.
- Procuring the required firmware and software updates; security patches; hardware replacements; and support services from Skyline Network Engineering, LLC will ensure warranty and compatibility with the County's existing RTMC Traveler Information Website.
- The only alternative to procuring the required firmware and software updates; security patches; hardware replacements; and support services from Skyline Network Engineering, LLC is to procure the goods and services from a different manufacturer, which may require the replacement of the existing RTMC Traveler Information Website, resulting in significantly higher costs with an unknown outcome.

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 <a href="mailto:purchasing@mymanatee.org">purchasing@mymanatee.org</a> no later than November 15, 2022, for evaluation and consideration.