MANATEE COUNTY GOVERNMENT NOTICE OF INTENT TO NEGOTIATE

RFQ NO./TITLE	24-TA005178DJ Design Build Services for Force Main 33A, 36A, and Bayshore on the Lakes Replacements	DATE POSTED	MC DS	CC BIDSYNC
PROCUREMENT REPRESENTATIVE	Dave Janney, Procurement Agent III	DEPARTMENT / DIVISION	Public Works	
AUTHORIZED BY	Jacob Erickson, Purchasing Official	SIGNATURE DATE		

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The Manatee County Procurement Division provides notice of its intent to negotiate a contract with Woodruff & Sons, Inc. for the provision of Design Build Services for Force Main 33A, 36A, and Bayshore on the Lakes Replacements.

ENABLING/REGULATING AUTHORITY

Manatee County Procurement Ordinance, Sec 2-26.

BACKGROUND/EVALUATION

The County requested proposals from qualified individuals, corporations, partnerships, and other legal entities for selection of professional engineering services for the Peninsula Bay Boat Ramp project.

The solicitation was advertised on the Manatee County website and DemandStar. It was also provided to the Manatee County Chamber of Commerce and the Manasota Black Chamber of Commerce for release to its members and in the Bradenton Herald and Tempo newspapers. Responses were received from the following firms:

1. Woodruff & Sons, Inc., Bradenton, FL

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

EVALUATION COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

Dave Janney, Procurement Division, non-voting

Nick Wagner, Utilities Department, Utilities Superintendent

Eddy Zappacosta, Public Works, Project Manager

Erik Gibson, Utilities Department, Utilities Superintendent

EVALUATION SUMMARY:

The Evaluation Committee first convened on May 17, 2024, and conducted technical evaluations of the responsible, responsive, proposals received. The Evaluation Committee met on June 5, 2024, with Woodruff & Sons, Inc. for an inperson interview. The Evaluation Committee met for the final time on June 6, 2024, for discussion of the in-person interview and final technical evaluations.

The Procurement Division and Public Works Department request authorization to enter into negotiations with the following firm (s):

Woodruff & Sons, Inc.

ATTACHMENTS (List in order of attached)	Final Scoring Summary		
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Technical Evaluation Committee Scoring Form for 24-TA005178DJ Design Build Services for Force Main 33A, 36A, and Bayshore on the Lakes Replacements Advertise Date: February 21, 2024 Manatee County Government Procurement Division Bradenton, FL						
Name	Proposer & Team's Experience	Approach to Project Management and Design	Organizational Structure and Capacity	Similar Completed Projects	Total Points	Final Ranking (as determined by Average Total Score)
Woodruff & Sons	30.00	19.67	29.00	20.00	98.67	1