

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

<b>SUBJECT/TITLE</b>	40' Automatic Tarping Machine	<b>DATE POSTED</b>	MC Website _____
<b>PROCUREMENT REPRESENTATIVE</b>	Thomas Couchois Jr, Procurement Agent II	<b>DATE CONTRACT SHALL BE AWARDED</b>	November 1, 2024
<b>DEPARTMENT</b>	Public Works	<b>AUTHORIZED BY DATE</b>	Jacob Erickson, Purchasing Official
<b>TASK NO.</b>	25-R085865TC		

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The Manatee County Procurement Division provides notice of its intent to award a single source contract with a value of \$117,517.00 with Tarpomatic, Inc. for the provision of 40' Automatic Tarping Machine.

**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 40' Automatic Tarping Machine from Tarpomatic, Inc. without conducting a competitive solicitation process for the following reason(s):

Manatee County mandates the utilization of tarps for daily covering and management of all landfill operations. The current landfill fleet includes 2 Tarpomatic, Inc. machines equipped with standardized operations and mounting attachments for seamless integration with landfill equipment. These tarping machines are vital for daily operations to uphold compliance with DEP and EPA regulations. Tarpomatic, Inc. exclusively produces Certified-Genuine OEM parts essential for Tarpomatic ADC machines, encompassing tarp spools, electronic systems, and all other components specific to Tarpomatic equipment, including tailor-made tarps. Using non-Certified-Genuine equipment from Tarpomatic, Inc. risks voiding the standard warranty of Tarpomatic machines. The landfill commends Tarpomatic, Inc. for their efficacy, highlighting the efficiency and cost-effectiveness of utilizing uniform equipment to streamline maintenance processes and avoid the complexities of managing multiple machine types and parts.

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](mailto:purchasing@mymanatee.org) no later than October 31, 2024 for evaluation and consideration.