

# MANATEE COUNTY GOVERNMENT

## NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD A SINGLE SOURCE CONTRACT

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| <b>SUBJECT/TITLE</b>              | Clarifier Components with Installation Services | <b>DATE POSTED</b>                    | MC Website _____                    |
| <b>PROCUREMENT REPRESENTATIVE</b> | Thomas Couchois Jr, Procurement Agent II        | <b>DATE CONTRACT SHALL BE AWARDED</b> | November 22, 2024                   |
| <b>DEPARTMENT</b>                 | Utilities                                       | <b>AUTHORIZED BY DATE</b>             | Jacob Erickson, Purchasing Official |
| <b>TASK NO.</b>                   | 25-R086093TC                                    |                                       |                                     |

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The Manatee County Procurement Division provides notice of its intent to award a single source contract with a value of \$235,935.00 with Ovivo USA, LLC for the provision of Clarifier Components with Installation Services.

### 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 Clarifier Components with Installation Services from Ovivo USA, LLC without conducting a competitive solicitation process for the following reason(s):

The Manatee County Utilities Department operates a total of 12 secondary clarifiers within three Water Reclamation Facilities. These vital components of the water treatment process rely on Ovivo USA, LLC's advanced drive units and other essential elements. Exclusively sourced from Ovivo, these clarifiers have exhibited remarkable reliability and minimal maintenance needs, ensuring uninterrupted operations with negligible downtime. In light of one clarifier requiring replacement after two decades of service, opting for identical Ovivo equipment remains the most cost-effective solution to avoid a system-wide overhaul.

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 November 21, 2024 for evaluation and consideration.