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

SUBJECT/TITLE	DeZurik 18" Eccentric Plug Valve	DATE POSTED	MC
PROCUREMENT REPRESENTATIVE	Paul Huddleston	DATE CONTRACT SHALL BE AWARDED	August 11, 2025
DEPARTMENT	Utilities	CONSEQUENCES IF DEFERRED	
TASK NO.	25-R088136PH	AUTHORIZED BY DATE	Jacob Erickson, Purchasing Official

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The Manatee County Procurement Division provides notice of its intent to award a sole source contract with a value of \$55,338.00 with Fluid Control Specialties, LLC for the provision of DeZurik 18" eccentric plug valve.

## 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 DeZurik 18" eccentric plug valve from Fluid Control Specialties, LLC without conducting a competitive solicitation process for the following reason(s).

Manatee County has implemented the use of DeZurik valves county-wide, which have proven to be highly reliable and cost-effective. Fluid Control Specialties, LLC is the sole authorized representative of DeZurik valves and replacement parts in the municipal market for the State of Florida. This partnership ensures the county has access to top-quality valves and parts. By utilizing these valves, the county not only saves money, but also reduces the need for excess inventory for repairs. This standardized approach to valve usage will continue to be beneficial for the county in the long run.

Any company that believes they can provide this good or service must provide, in writing, convincing technical data sufficient to support their position to the Manatee County Procurement Division at <a href="mailto:purchasing@mymanatee.org">purchasing@mymanatee.org</a> no later than August 8, 2025 for evaluation and consideration.