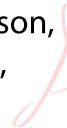


MANATEE COUNTY GOVERNMENT

NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD A SINGLE SOURCE CONTRACT

SUBJECT/TITLE	RTO Refractory Lining and Purge Air Butterfly Valves	DATE POSTED	MC Website _____
PROCUREMENT REPRESENTATIVE	Thomas Couchois Jr, Procurement Agent II	DATE CONTRACT SHALL BE AWARDED	August 11, 2025
DEPARTMENT	Utilities	AUTHORIZED BY DATE	Jacob Erickson, MBA, CPPO, NIGP-CPP  Digitally signed by Jacob Erickson, MBA, CPPO, NIGP-CPP Date: 2025.08.01 13:35:47 -04'00' Jacob Erickson, Purchasing Official
TASK NO.	25-R087752TC		

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 \$284,135.00 with Flare Services, LLC for the provision of RTO Refractory Lining and Purge Air Butterfly Valves.

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 RTO Refractory Lining and Purge Air Butterfly Valves from Flare Services, LLC without conducting a competitive solicitation process for the following reason(s):

The Manatee County Utilities Department is needing to address maintenance procedures at their Biosolids facility, specifically focusing on the repair and replacement of the Regenerative Thermal Oxidizer (RTO) refractory lining and purge air butterfly valves. Critical to the site's operations, the RTO serves as the primary air pollution control unit, towering at about two stories tall and comprising of three chambers filled with ceramic blocks exposed to intense 1500 degrees heat to purify the exhaust gases from the dryers. Over time, the accumulation of particles like process dust, polymer, and siloxanes causes wear and tear on these ceramic blocks, necessitating periodic replacement, repairs and valve actuator maintenance. Flare Services, LLC possesses a comprehensive understanding of the facility's maintenance and NFPA safety inspections requirements. The proposed solutions involve straightforward replacements or repairs of the refractory liner and valves, ensuring no alteration to the existing system while optimizing both cost-effectiveness and operational downtime.

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 no later than August 8, 2025 for evaluation and consideration.