

# MANATEE COUNTY GOVERNMENT

## NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD A SOLE SOURCE CONTRACT

<b>SUBJECT/TITLE</b>	Arrow EX-IO System	<b>DATE POSTED</b>	MC _____
<b>PROCUREMENT REPRESENTATIVE</b>	Kelly Driscoll, Procurement Agent I	<b>DATE CONTRACT SHALL BE AWARDED</b>	October 13, 2025
<b>DEPARTMENT</b>	Public Safety	<b>CONSEQUENCES IF DEFERRED</b>	Higher Failure Rate Leading to Adverse Outcomes for Patients
<b>TASK NO.</b>	26-N005008KD	<b>AUTHORIZED BY DATE</b>	Jacob Erickson, Purchasing Official

### NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD A SOLE SOURCE CONTRACT

The Manatee County Procurement Division provides notice of its intent to award a sole source contract with a value of \$50,000.00 with Teleflex, LLC for the provision of Arrow EX-IO System.

### 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 Arrow EX-IO System from Teleflex, LLC without conducting a competitive solicitation process for the following reason(s).

Manatee County Emergency Medical Services (EMS) uses the Arrow EX-IO intraosseous systems in the care of EMS patients. The Arrow EZ-IO system is the only product of its type available and is manufactured, sold, and serviced exclusively by Teleflex Medical Incorporated. The system includes a reusable driver, which occasionally requires replacement, as well as single-use consumable supplies, such as needles and stabilizers that must be restocked on an ongoing basis as they are used in patient care.

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 [purchasing@mymanatee.org](mailto:purchasing@mymanatee.org) no later than October 10, 2025 for evaluation and consideration.