

MANATEE COUNTY GOVERNMENT

NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD A SINGLE SOURCE CONTRACT

SUBJECT/TITLE	Hydromatic Pumps	DATE POSTED	MC Website _____
PROCUREMENT REPRESENTATIVE	Thomas Couchois, Procurement Agent II	DATE CONTRACT SHALL BE AWARDED	November 25, 2025
DEPARTMENT	Utilities	AUTHORIZED BY DATE	Jacob Erickson, Purchasing Official
TASK NO.	26-R088921TC		

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The Manatee County Procurement Division provides notice of its intent to award a single source contract with a value of \$116,282.00 with Barney's Pumps, Inc. for the provision of Hydromatic Pumps.

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

The Manatee County Procurement Division has completed a due diligence review and intends to procure Hydromatic Pumps from Barney's Pumps, Inc. without conducting a competitive solicitation process for the following reason(s):

The Manatee County Utilities Department has established a longstanding partnership with Barney's Pumps, Inc. as their exclusive distributor and certified warranty repair provider for Hydromatic pumps in the Southwest Florida region. This collaboration has not only ensured that the water treatment facilities receive top-notch pumps and repairs but also benefit from discounted rates backed by Barney's Pumps, Inc. warranties. By consistently utilizing Hydromatic pumps the Utilities Department streamlines repair processes and minimizes costs by eliminating the need for additional parts and reducing inventory complexity. This strategic approach not only facilitates quick repairs but also contributes to significant cost savings, thereby keeping overhead and maintenance expenses at a minimum to ensure operational efficiency.

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 November 24, 2025 for evaluation and consideration.