

MANATEE COUNTY GOVERNMENT

NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD A SINGLE SOURCE CONTRACT

SUBJECT/TITLE	Event Lighting System Installation at Mixon Farms Park	DATE POSTED	MC Website _____
PROCUREMENT REPRESENTATIVE	Delores Mullen Procurement Agent I	DATE CONTRACT SHALL BE AWARDED	January 7, 2026
DEPARTMENT	Property Management	AUTHORIZED BY DATE	Jacob Erickson, Purchasing Official
TASK NO.	26-R089179DM		

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The Manatee County Procurement Division provides notice of its intent to award a single source contract with a value of \$30,020.00 with Outdoor Lighting Perspectives of Sarasota for the provision of Event Lighting System Installation at Mixon Farms Park.

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 Event Lighting System Installation at Mixon Farms Park from Outdoor Lighting Perspectives of Sarasota without conducting a competitive solicitation process for the following reason(s):

Outdoor Lighting Systems of Sarasota has the lighting plan required to support the specialized lighting system essential for evening programs at Mixon Farms Park. The unified package of compatible fixtures, power systems, and installation methods cannot be replicated by other vendors without significant redesign. The proposed lighting will provide improved visibility and safety for visitors who utilize the park. Using Outdoor Lighting Systems of Sarasota's proprietary design will standardize all equipment and offer ease of maintenance. Consolidating all lighting components in one unified package with one manufacturer and one warranty holder minimizes future repair costs and ensures the best value for the County.

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 January 6, 2026 for evaluation and consideration.