

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

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| <b>SUBJECT/TITLE</b>              | Armed Guard Security Services         | <b>DATE POSTED</b>                    | MC Website _____    |
| <b>PROCUREMENT REPRESENTATIVE</b> | Delores Mullen<br>Procurement Agent I | <b>DATE CONTRACT SHALL BE AWARDED</b> | March 5, 2026       |
| <b>DEPARTMENT</b>                 | Community and Veterans Services       | <b>AUTHORIZED BY DATE</b>             | Purchasing Official |
| <b>TASK NO.</b>                   | 26-R089740DM                          |                                       |                     |

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The Manatee County Procurement Division provides notice of its intent to award a single source contract with a value of \$33,053.09 with F.I.R.S.T. Team Security Agency, LLC for the provision of Armed Guard Security Services.

### 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 Armed Guard Security Services from F.I.R.S.T. Team Security Agency, LLC without conducting a competitive solicitation process for the following reason(s):

The "Under One Roof Shelter" that is supported by Manatee County is a women-focused shelter that provides safe, secure housing to women impacted by trauma. Because the shelter operates with limited on-site staffing, armed security is essential to ensure immediate safety for residents and staff. F.I.R.S.T. Team Security Agency, LLC can provide the temporary armed security services that will allow the shelter to operate safely until permanent security services are obtained. F.I.R.S.T. Team Security Agency, LLC offers competitive market rates for Florida Class D & G licensed armed security services that include licensing, insurance and training.

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](mailto:purchasing@mymanatee.org) no later than March 4, 2026 for evaluation and consideration.