MANATEE COUNTY GOVERNMENT
SOURCE SELECTION

SUBJECT	Authorization to Award Timber Tree Planting, Harvest and Sales RFQ#12-1068-DS	**DATE POSTED**	Date Posted on 3/16/2012 Mymanatee.org _ML_ By _Marsha_
PURCHASING REPRESENTATIVE	Donna M. Stevens (941) 749-3045 phone (941 749-3034 fax	**DATE CONTRACT SHALL BE AWARDED**	March 23, 2012
DEPARTMENT	Financial Management Dept. Purchasing Division	**CONSEQUENCES IF DEFERRED**	N/A
SOURCE RECOMMENDATION	Kissimmee Valley Forester	**AUTHORIZED BY DATE**	Melissa M. Wendel, CPPO Purchasing Official March 16, 2012

ACTION DESIRED

Authorization to award Request for Quotation #12-1068-DS, Timber Tree Planting, Harvest and Sales to the lowest, responsive and responsible bidder, **Kissimmee Valley Forester**., with a physical address of 660 Rainbow Blvd, Babson Park Florida 33827 for a **total award of $132,050.00**

ENABLING/REGULATING AUTHORITY
Federal/State law(s), administrative ruling(s), Manatee County Comp Plan/Land Development Code, ordinances, resolutions, policy.)

Manatee County Code of Law

BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION

The work included in this contract consists of the purchase of services requiring the labor, materials, equipment, accessories to perform the thinning of high density areas and for reforesting agricultural areas in the County preserve as directed by Manatee County. The quote was broadcast on mymanatee.org from February 15, 2012 until February 29, 2012. One Quotation was received.

Pricing awarded as noted:
.35 tree/seedling mechanical planted in ground---awarded 363K
$2500.00 per day(8 hour day) price for application of prescribed fire crew and equipment—awarded (2 burns)
$50.00 per hour "As needed" forestry consulting services

SUMMARY	Recommend the award of RFQ# 12-1068-DS, to Kissimmee Valley Forester, 660 Rainbow Blvd, Babson Park Florida 33827.

ATTACHMENTS: (List in order as attached)	**INSTRUCTIONS TO BOARD RECORDS:**
• N/A	N/A

COST	$132,050.00	**SOURCE (ACCT# & NAME)**	1410019303-534000 Tree Operations/Conservation
COMMENTS	N/A	**AMT./FREQ. OF RECURRING COSTS (ATTACH FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT)**	N/A