



**MANATEE COUNTY PROCUREMENT DIVISION
NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING
IFB No. 19-R071301CB**

Whenever the lowest quote/bid is submitted by two or more responsive, responsible Bidders and are equal with respect to price, quality, and/or service, the following procedures apply to the award of the purchase order/agreement:

Procurement shall make the award recommendation in accordance with County Ordinance Chapter 26-2 as follows:

1. The quote/bid received from a local business.
2. If none or all of the equal bidders are a local business, the award shall be determined in accordance with Florida Statute 287.07, *Preference to businesses with drug-free workplace programs*.
3. If none or all of the equal bidders have a drug-free workplace program, the award shall be made to the bidder that has a formal, environmental sustainability initiative.
4. If none or all of the equal bidders have a formal, environmental sustainability initiative, the award shall be determined by a chance drawing to be conducted by the Procurement Official in a publicly noticed meeting as noted below:

Meeting		Start Time	Date	Conf Room
Tie Breaker	Public	9:30AM,	July 24, 2019	Wallace Conf Room

The following firms have submitted responses that are equal with respect to price, quality, and service and are invited to participate in the chance drawing:

Core & Main LP

Ferguson Enterprises, Inc.

Fortline, Inc.

The Wallace conference room is located at 1112 Manatee Avenue West, Suite 803, Bradenton, 34205 .