

MANATEE COUNTY GOVERNMENT NOTICE OF INTENT TO NEGOTIATE

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RFQ NO./TITLE	19-R069969CD- Professional Design Services for Advanced Transportation Management Systems (ATMS)	DATE POSTED	MC <u>10/4/19</u> DS <u>10/4/19</u>	CC _____ BCC _____
PROCUREMENT REPRESENTATIVE	Chris Daley- Procurement Manager	DEPARTMENT / DIVISION	Public Works/ Project Management Division	
AUTHORIZED BY	Theresa Webb, Procurement Official	SIGNATURE DATE		

NOTICE OF INTENT TO NEGOTIATE

The Manatee County Procurement Division provides notice of its intent to negotiate a contract with Metric Engineering, Inc. for the provision of Professional Design Services for Advanced Transportation Management Systems (ATMS).

ENABLING/REGULATING AUTHORITY

Manatee County Procurement Ordinance, Sec 2-26.

BACKGROUND/EVALUATION

The County requested proposals from qualified firms for the provision of Professional Engineering Services for the county wide Advanced Transportation Management Systems (ATMS) project to include project management, data collection and review, preliminary and final designs to include network design, and cost opinions for the ATMS features included in the project(s). The Consultant will provide all labor and materials for the design of the Project(s) which includes various ATMS equipment along seven (7) corridors in Manatee County.

The solicitation was advertised on the Manatee County website and DemandStar. It was also provided to the Manatee County Chamber of Commerce and the Manasota Black Chamber of Commerce for release of its members. Responses were received from the following firms:

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| 1. HDR Engineering, Inc., Tampa, FL | 2. Metric Engineering, Inc., Lake Mary, FL |
| 3. VIBEngineering, Inc., St. Petersburg, FL | |

EVALUATION COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

Chris Daley- Procurement Manager Procurement Division, non-voting	Anthony Russo Project Manager, Public Works Department
David Schofield Project Manager, Utilities Department	Vishal Kakkad Traffic Design Division Manager, Public Works Department

EVALUATION SUMMARY:

The Evaluation Committee first convened on July 25, 2019 and conducted technical evaluations of the responsible, responsive, proposals received. The Committee conducted interviews with HDR Engineering, Inc. and Metric Engineering, Inc. on July 31, 2019. VIBEngineering, Inc. declined the invitation to make a presentation to the Committee. The Evaluation Committee met on August 2, 2019 for final technical evaluations and ranking of the firms as follows:

1. Metric Engineering, Inc.
2. HDR Engineering, Inc.
3. VIBEngineering, Inc.

The Procurement Division and Public Works/Project Management Division request authorization to enter into negotiations with the following firm (s):

Metric Engineering, Inc.

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