

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

SUBJECT/TITLE	Chesterton products and service from Southeast Pump Specialist, Inc.	DATE POSTED	MC Website _____
PROCUREMENT REPRESENTATIVE	George Earnest CPPB	DATE CONTRACT SHALL BE AWARDED	November 4, 2020
DEPARTMENT	Utilities Department	REQUISITION NO.	R075062
AUTHORIZED BY	Jacob Erickson, Procurement Official	SIGNATURE DATE	

NOTICE OF INTENT TO NEGOTIATE FOR AWARD

The Manatee County Procurement Division provides notice of its intent to award a single source contract with a value of \$43,026.00 with Southeast Pump Specialist, Inc. for the provision of Chesterton products and service.

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

Manatee County Procurement Division has completed a due diligence review and intends to procure Chesterton products and service from Southeast Pump Specialist, Inc. without conducting a competitive solicitation process for the following reason(s):

The Utilities Department has need of Chesterton products (primarily, but not limited to, seals and coatings) for water treatment and bio-solids processes. The County has established a standard of use to the Chesterton OEM products for the past several years. Southeast Pump Specialist, Inc. is the only authorized Chesterton dealer in Florida. The Utilities Department and Procurement have determined that this equipment, service and parts sourced from Southeast Pump Specialist, Inc. is in the County's best interest.

Based upon these and other factors, the County plans to standardize the above referenced product.

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 November 4, 2020 for evaluation and consideration.