

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

<b>SUBJECT/TITLE</b>	Cummins Power South Sales and Service/Gillig Bus Engine Parts and Services	<b>DATE POSTED</b>	MC Website _____
<b>PROCUREMENT REPRESENTATIVE</b>	George Earnest CPPB	<b>DATE CONTRACT SHALL BE AWARDED</b>	February 22, 2022
<b>DEPARTMENT</b>	Public Works Department	<b>REQUISITION NO.</b>	R078727
<b>AUTHORIZED BY</b>	Jacob Erickson, Procurement Official	<b>SIGNATURE DATE</b>	

**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 \$33,506.30 to Cummins Power South Sales and Service for the provision of Gillig bus engine parts 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**

The Manatee County Procurement Division has completed a due diligence review and intends to procure Gillig bus engine parts and repair services from Cummins Power South Sales and Service without conducting a competitive solicitation process for the following reasons:

The Public Works Department maintains a fleet of Gillig transit buses, equipped with Cummins diesel engines. Cummins Power South Sales and Service, Tampa, is the only Cummins diesel engine OEM authorized dealer and service provider in the area. The Public Works Department and the Procurement Division have determined that these repair parts and services, sourced from Cummins Power South Sales and Service are in the County's best interest.

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 February 21, 2022 for evaluation and consideration.