

MANATEE COUNTY GOVERNMENT NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD A SOLE SOURCE CONTRACT

SUBJECT/TITLE	AutoCAD Software Licensing & Support Renewal	DATE POSTED	MC _____
PROCUREMENT REPRESENTATIVE	Charles Bentley 941-749-3036	DATE CONTRACT SHALL BE AWARDED	December 7, 2022
DEPARTMENT	Public Works	CONSEQUENCES IF DEFERRED	Lack of software updates and support for GIS data.
REQUISITION NO.	R080670	AUTHORIZED BY DATE	Jacob Erickson, Purchasing Official

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The Manatee County Procurement Division provides notice of its intent to award a sole source contract with a value of \$54,467.05 with DLT Solutions, LLC for the provision of AutoCAD architecture and construction annual subscription renewal for the period December 1, 2022 through November 30, 2023.

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 an AutoCAD architecture and construction collection annual subscription renewal from DLT Solutions, LLC without conducting a competitive solicitation process for the following reason(s).

AutoCAD is a software by Autodesk, Inc. Per Autodesk, DLT Solutions is the Master Government Aggregator reselling and distributing Autodesk software products and services to government customers in the United States.

The County has used AutoCAD for the past eight years with support from DLT Solutions. The cost to select and implement another software system to support the County's GIS data would be at least three times more expensive than continuing this licensing renewal.

Any company that believes they can provide this good or service must provide, in writing, convincing technical data sufficient to support their position to the Manatee County Procurement Division at purchasing@mymanatee.org no later than December 6, 2022.