

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

SUBJECT/TITLE	Reposition, Diagnose, and Repair Sollarbee® Reservoir Mixers/Circulators	DATE POSTED	MC _____
PROCUREMENT REPRESENTATIVE	Charles Bentley, 941-749-3036	DATE CONTRACT SHALL BE AWARDED	December 27, 2022
DEPARTMENT	Utilities	CONSEQUENCES IF DEFERRED	Loss of mitigating algae blooms affecting drinking water quality.
REQUISITION NO.	R080876	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 \$80,250.05 with Ixom Watercare, Inc. for the provision of repositioning of all County-owned Solarbees back to County preference and disagnose and repair twelve (12) Solarbees.

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 the repositioning of all Solarbees back to County preference and disagnose and repair twelve Solarbees from Ixom Watercare, Inc. without conducting a competitive solicitation process for the following reason(s).

[IXOM Watercare is the sole equipment manufacturer, patent owner, and service provider for all Solarbee® products.](#)

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 22, 2022.