

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

<b>SUBJECT/TITLE</b>	Intelligent Transportation Services, Inc./Ruggedcom Traffic Control Equipment	<b>DATE POSTED</b>	MC Website _____
<b>PROCUREMENT REPRESENTATIVE</b>	George Earnest, Procurement Agent I	<b>DATE CONTRACT SHALL BE AWARDED</b>	April 18, 2023
<b>DEPARTMENT</b>	Public Works Department	<b>REQUISITION NO.</b>	R081684
<b>AUTHORIZED BY</b>	Jacob Erickson, Purchasing Official	<b>SIGNATURE DATE</b>	

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The Manatee County Procurement Division provides notice of its intent to award a sole source contract with a value of \$53,593.00 with Intelligent Transportation Services, Inc. for the provision of Ruggedcom traffic control equipment.

**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 Ruggedcom traffic control equipment from Intelligent Transportation Services, Inc. without conducting a competitive solicitation process for the following reason(s):

The Public Works Department, Traffic Control Division, maintains the traffic control system and has need to upgrade or replace traffic control devices. The Traffic Control Division has established a standard of use for the Ruggedcom line of traffic control equipment. The Public Works Department and Procurement have determined that Ruggedcom traffic control equipment, sourced from Intelligent Transportation Services, Inc., is 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 April 17, 2023 for evaluation and consideration.