

# **Intended Sole Source Purchase: Litter Prevention and Recycling Education**

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The description of services intended for purchase from a sole source is posted in accordance with section 287.057(3)(c), Florida Statutes and will be posted for a minimum of 15 business days.

### **Commodity or Service Required:**

Litter Prevention and Recycling Education

### **Description:**

Lee County Solid Waste is seeking to execute a sole source to provide solid waste and recycling education, litter prevention and community clean-up programs. Program focus for Lee County includes littering, waste stream reduction, reuse of certain items, lack of markets available for recycling items, and promotion of both public and private sector purchase of recycling items. Outreach and education are accomplished through 30+ grassroots programs.

#### **Intended Sole Source:**

Keep Lee County Beautiful, Inc.

# **Justification for Sole Source Acquisition:**

Keep Lee County Beautiful provides services required by the Lee County Comprehensive Plan (Section 62) and Florida Statute 403.41315 on behalf of the Solid Waste Department. KLCB has a long-standing local presence of more than 30 years in Lee County. They represent the primary source of litter prevention and recycling education in Lee County and are able to leverage their affiliation with their national and statewide organizations.

As a nonprofit, they have the ability to raise funds provided by private individuals and companies in excess of the funding provided by the county.

#### **Recommended Procurement Approach:**

For the reason(s) stated above, Lee County Procurement Management intends to utilize the Sole Source Procurement method to purchase from Keep Lee County Beautiful, Inc. for supplying the above.

## **Respond to:**

If your firm feels they have the ability to supply the above, please contact Jennifer Brewer-Dano, Lee County Procurement Management at jbrewer-dano@leegov.com for future purchase review.