



Intended Sole Source Purchase: WeatherBug Lightning Detection System Repairs

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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:

WeatherBug Lightning Detection System Repairs

Description:

Lee County Parks and Recreation is seeking to execute a sole source for replacement parts, installation, and repairs of the WeatherBug lightning detection systems at four locations: Three Oaks Community Park, Brooks Park, North Fort Myers Community Pool, and Kelly Road Soccer Complex that were damaged by the high winds of Hurricane Ian.

Intended Sole Source:

Earth Networks, Inc. dba WeatherBug

Justification for Sole Source Acquisition:

The replacement parts, installation and repairs are only available through the Earth Networks, Inc. dba WeatherBug. This company has sole rights to the lightning sensors and related parts. They are the manufacturer and shipper that designs, develops, produces, and sell this unique lightning sensor technology.

Recommended Procurement Approach:

For the reason(s) stated above, Lee County Procurement Management intends to utilize the Sole Source Procurement method to purchase from Earth Networks, Inc. dba Weather Bug 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.