NOTICE OF INTENDED DECISION
TO ENTER INTO A SINGLE SOURCE CONTRACT
(PUR 7778)

This Notice of Intended Decision to Enter into a Single Source Contract is posted in accordance with Rule 60A-1.045, Florida Administrative Code, and section 287.057(3), Florida Statutes.

AGENCY: Early Learning Coalition of Manatee County, Inc.

TITLE: EARLY LEARNING TUTORS
Short description of the commodity or service desired: Early Learning Corps promotes individualized learning experiences through play, song, instruction, activities, and conversation to prepare preschoolers to be ready for kindergarten. Tutors work one-on-one, in pairs, or in small groups with preschoolers targeting each student's needs. Tutors are trained and have a coach who provides supervision, mentoring, and support.

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Internal tracking number, if any: NA
DMS Single Source number, if applicable:

Date posted: 05/06/25 Time posted: 8:00AM

Commodity or Contractual Service (commodity or United Nation Standard Products and Services Code (UNSPSC), manufacturer, model, and description, as appropriate):
Cost covers $900 bi-weekly tutor stipend, all training materials, uniforms, supplies, and all administrative fees.

Requestor (division, bureau, office, individual, as appropriate):
Early Learning Coalition of Manatee County, Inc.

Performance and/or Design Requirements (intended use, function or application, compatibility, requirements; reference to policy, rule, statute or other act of the Legislature, as appropriate):
Trained tutors work one-on-one, in pairs, or small groups, guided by a coach who offers support and supervision to promote individualized learning experiences.

Intended Single Source:
Ampact, Inc.

Price:
$50,000

Justification for Single Source Purchase (what is necessary and unique about the commodity, contractual service, or source; steps taken to confirm unavailability of competition, as appropriate):
Ampact, Inc. is the single and sole source of this uniquely developed and implemented Florida Early Learning Corps program.

Approved By (names & titles, as appropriate, e.g., requestor, requestor management, information systems, budget, purchasing):
Darrell King, Chief Executive Officer

Failure to file a protest within the time prescribed in Section 120.57(3), Florida Statutes, or failure to file a bond or other security within the time allowed for filing a bond, shall constitute a waiver of proceedings under Chapter 120, Florida Statutes. Protests may be filed with the agency by:

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