

**DESCRIPTION OF INTENDED
SINGLE SOURCE PURCHASE
(PUR 7776)**

AGENCY: Department of Health, Lee County Health Department

TITLE: Laboratory Testing Supplies

Short description of the commodity or service desired: Reagents used for testing drinking water.

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This description of commodities or contractual services intended for purchase from a single source is posted in accordance with sections 120.57(3) and 287.057(3), Florida Statutes and will remain posted for a period of at least 7 business days.

Commodity or Contractual Service Required (commodity or United National Standard Products and Services Code (UNSPSC), manufacturer, model, and description, as appropriate):
12161500 Indicators and Reagents.

Quantity or Term (as appropriate):
One year

Requestor (division, bureau, office, individual, as appropriate):
Lee County Health Department

Performance and/or Design Requirements (e.g.. intended use, function or application, compatibility, requirements; reference to policy, rule, statute or other act of the Legislature, etc., as appropriate):

The Department of Health's, Lee County Health Department has a need to purchase Colilert reagents and collection devices used to perform amplified testing of Coliform and E Coli in drinking water. In accordance with Chapter 60A-1.045 Florida Administrative Code, the Lee County Health Department requests authorization to purchase, as a single source, reagents and collection devices from IDEXX Laboratories, Inc.

Intended Single Source:
Idexx Distribution Inc.

Estimated Dollar Amount:
60,000.00

Justification for single source acquisition (what is necessary and unique about the product, service or source; steps taken to confirm unavailability of competition, as appropriate):

* The Colilert reagent and collection devices are the only products available which provide results within a 24-hour period. The rapid 24-hour turnaround time is necessary to alert the general public of any health risks to Florida's drinking water.

* IDEXX Laboratories, Inc. is the sole manufacturer and distributor of the Colilert reagents and collection devices.

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

Diana Trahan, OMC

Prospective vendors are requested to provide information regarding their ability to supply the commodities or contractual services described. If it is determined in writing by the agency, after reviewing any information received from prospective vendors, that the commodities or contractual services are available only from a single source, the agency shall: provide notice of its intended decision to enter a single-source purchase contract in the manner specified in s.120.57(3), FS.