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 section 287.057(3), Florida Statutes.

AGENCY: Department of Environmental Protection

TITLE: Single Source with Agilaire, LLC

Short description of the commodity or service desired:

Agilaire Base Model 8872 "B" SiteNode/Data Logger to provide data management and reporting throughout the statewide ambient air monitoring network.

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<u>Commodity or Contractual Service</u> (commodity or United Nation Standard Products and Services Code (UNSPSC), manufacturer, model, and description, as appropriate):

41104000 Sampling Equipment, Agilaire Base Model 8872 "B" SiteNode/Data Logger with:

VI: Eight (8) Analog Voltage Inputs DIO: Six (6) Status Inputs and Relay Outputs Four (4) RS-232 Serial Ports (optically-isolated) 4 GB RAM 120 GB Solid State Storage Two (2) Ethernet Ports 4xUSB/1 HDMI Console Ports Universal 110/220 AC Power, 50/60 Hz

Requestor (division, bureau, office, individual, as appropriate):

Sandra Veazey, Program Administrator, Division of Air Resources Management

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

This request is to provide data management and reporting throughout the statewide ambient air monitoring network. In accordance with Section 287.012 (12), Florida Statutes (F.S.), FDEP-DARM (Division of Air Resource Management) is requesting this single source procurement of ten (10) Agilaire Model 8872 DAS.

The Division of Air Resource Management is continuing to upgrade the data acquisition systems used at our air monitoring sites throughout the state. Currently the division uses a mix of older Model 8832 and newer Model 8872; however, the Model 8832 has been discontinued. The older 8832 DAS are no longer being produced or supported by the manufacturer, and DARM has limited resources on hand to ensure field readiness of the existing 8832 DAS in use.

To ensure the operational readiness of our statewide air monitoring network, DARM is continuing to upgrade our network with the newer Model 8872 DAS to replace older/failing Model 8832 DAS. The Model 8872 Data Acquisition System (DAS) is capable of real time data acquisition plus replacement of the on-site Dell PC with a built-in PC. This Model 8872 procurement will provide upgrades to existing DAS and a backup DAS for operations support in the event of failures.

Intended Single Source:

Agilaire, LLC

Price: \$68,370.00

<u>Justification for Single Source Purchase</u> (what is necessary and unique about the commodity, contractual service, or source; steps taken to confirm unavailability of competition, as appropriate):

Agilaire, Inc is the sole proprietor of the Model 8832 and the newer 8872 data acquisition system (DAS) used for data management and reporting throughout the statewide ambient air monitoring network and the only company authorized to provide system/hardware/software upgrades.

Agilaire, LLC has developed its own line of products, of which amongst these products, include the Model 8872 datalogger, AirVision, and AV Trend, for which it is the sole responsible for support, enhancements, and development. Agilaire is also the only legal source for software upgrades, digital instrument drivers, maintenance, telephone warranty, and supplemental telephone service and support for the above products. Agilaire does not resell its support or upgrade agreements through any resellers or third parties.

Although Agilaire has some distributors internationally, it uses no representation in the United States and only sells it software products to the end-user.

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

Jeff Koerner, Division Director, Division of Air Resource Management

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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.