

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

AGENCY: Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission

TITLE: Boat Operations Training Services

Short description of the commodity or service desired: Law Enforcement Training Services

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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):

86101714 Law Enforcement Vocational Training Services

Quantity or Term (as appropriate):

6/10/2020 thru 7/1/2023

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

Division of Law Enforcement, Statewide Operations

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):

Boat operations and Training Courses to include but are not limited to; Basic Crew Member, Boat Operator for Search and Rescue (BOSAR), Tactical Operator, Pursuit and Stop, and Small Vessel Rad-Nue Detection. In accordance with 60A-1.045 FAC, the Division of Law Enforcement requests authority to purchase from National Association of State Boating Law Administrators (NASBLA) as a sole source.

Intended Single Source:

National Association of State Boating Law Administrators (NASBLA)

Estimated Dollar Amount:

\$300,000.00

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):

NASBLA nationally credentialed BOAT instructors are the only authorized providers of this training, and entry of graduates into the national database of trained and credentialed crew members or boat operators can only be achieved through a NASBLA coordinated and delivered course and upon receipt of a NASBLA issued Certificate of Completion.

The BOAT program courses are the only courses recognized by all 56 states and territories, and by the United States Coast Guard as meeting a National Standard of training, typing and credentialing. NASBLA nationally credentialed BOAT instructors are the only authorized providers of this training, and entry of graduates into the national database of trained and credentialed crew members or boat operators can only be achieved through a NASBLA coordinated and delivered course and upon receipt of a NASBLA issued Certificate of Completion.

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

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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 Section 120.57(3), F.S.