



NOTICE OF INTENT TO PROCURE NON-COMPETITIVELY

CONTRACT NO. 24-0226-PB

TO: ALL INTERESTED CONTRACTORS

PURCHASE OF:

Pinellas County intends to recommend the non-compete method of procurement for the purchase of a SMART Trailer.

- Pinellas County requires a qualified contractor for the procurement of SMART Trailer products.
- This SMART trailer is being procured through the non-competitive process due to Rehab for Firefighters, Inc. is the sole source for this product in the United States. Contractors must be able to verify they are authorized to sell SMART trailer products.
- This is a one-time purchase.

Contractors who believe they can meet or exceed the stated requirements must provide a corporate letter indicating they are authorized to sell these products in the United States. The Pinellas County Purchasing Department must receive replies to this notice no later than close of business on **Thursday, January 4, 2024 at 3:00 PM EST**. After this date an award will be made. Responses to this notice will be used to determine whether bona fide competition exists.

Responses and/or questions must be submitted via OpenGov by the deadline listed above.

“PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES REQUIRING REASONABLE ACCOMMODATION TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS PROCEEDING/EVENT, SHOULD CALL 727/464-4062 (VOICE/TDD) FAX 727/464-4157, NOT LATER THAN SEVEN DAYS PRIOR TO THE PROCEEDING.”

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Re: Rehab for Firefighters, Inc. - Sole Source Manufacturer

To Whom It May Concern:

This letter is written to confirm that Rehab for Firefighters, Inc. is the sole source of the following products in the United States:

SMART Trailer™ and *NOMAD*™ Trailer.

Additionally, these Rehab for Firefighter, Inc. products are protected by copyrights, trademarks, and service marks.

There are no other items or products available that offer the same specialized and scientific performance, purpose or function, or combined abilities and effectiveness. For further information, please feel free to contact us at 929.266.8468.

Sincerely,

Jason Gerona, President
Rehab For Firefighters, Inc.