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NOTICE OF SOLE SOURCE PROCUREMENT

Dated: 05/16/2025

PALM BEACH COUNTY PROCUREMENT DEPARTMENT
50 SOUTH MILITARY TRAIL, SUITE 110
WEST PALM BEACH, FLORIDA 33415-3199

TITLE: VANTON PUMP, VERTICAL CENTRIFUGAL SUMP PUMP-SG-PY1200HA, PURCHASE AND DELIVERY OF, ONE TIME PURCHASE

BUYER: BOBBY BROOKS

This Notice is issued in accordance with the applicable procurement ordinance, Section 2-54 (f)(2) and policies, to inform the public of the decision to proceed with a Sole Source Procurement process for the acquisition of the following goods/services:

General description of Goods/Services

Description	VANTON PUMP, VERTICAL CENTRIFUGAL SUMP PUMP-SG-PY1200HA
Estimated Quantity	1 EA
Estimated Value	TOTAL ESTIMATED VALUE: \$ 21,034.00
Contract Duration	ONE TIME PURCHASE

Any objections to this sole source procurement must be submitted in writing to the procurement office by **[June 03, 2025]**. If no objections are received by the deadline, the procurement process will proceed as planned.

For any inquiries or further clarification, please contact:

Contact Name: Bobby Brooks
Phone Number: 1 (561) 616-6831
General Email Address: BBrooks@pbc.gov

FR, MAY 16 2025 PM 2:33

This notice is issued in compliance with applicable procurement laws, regulations, and procedures.

for 
 MELODY THELWELL, PROCUREMENT DIRECTOR

5/16/25
 SIGNATURE / DATE



April 10, 2025

Palm Beach County
Water Utilities Department 8100
Forest Hill Blvd.
West Palm Beach, Fl. 33416

Attn: Ms. Vemetha M. Green

Subject: Sole Source Representative:

Vanton Pump and Equipment Corporation is the sole manufacture of its products. R.C. Beach and Associates is the sole or exclusive representative for Vanton Pump and Equipment Corporation within the state of Florida for the purchase of new products, OEM repair/replacement parts, maintenance, repair services, field services, and technical support.

No other representative can sell products, repair/replacement parts, maintenance, repair/replacement services, field services and technical support for Vanton Pump and Equipment Corporation.

If you have any questions or additional requirements, please do not hesitate to contact our office.

Your contact for R.C. Beach and Associates is:

Wendy Beach
RC Beach & Assoc. Inc.
625 Grand Central Street
Clearwater, FL 33756
(727) 216-3240
Account1@rcbeach.com

Very truly yours,

VANTON PUMP & EQUIPMENT CORP.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Ken Comerford'.

Ken Comerford
Vice President

VANTON PUMP & EQUIPMENT CORP.

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INTER-OFFICE COMMUNICATION
PALM BEACH COUNTY

DATE: May 16, 2025

TO: Melody Thelwell
Director of Purchasing

THRU: Bridget Williams *BN*
Purchasing Manager

FROM: Bobby Brooks
Senior Buyer

RE: SOLE SOURCE JUSTIFICATION (EXTENDED TERM)

The user department has stated that VANTON PUMP & EQUIPMENT CORP. is the ONLY product/source that will meet the County's need for Vanton Vertical Centrifugal Sump Pump SG-PY1200HA, OEM repair/replacement parts, maintenance, repair/replace services, field service and technical supports of existing Vanton pump equipment. Based on staff's knowledge of the marketplace, we believe this to be an accurate assessment.

It has also been determined and attested to by KEN COMERFORD, VICE PRESIDENT, VANTON PUMP & EQUIPMENT, CORP., (manufacturer) that R.C. BEACH AND ASSOCIATES (vendor / supplier) is the ONLY source of supply for the above referenced product / service (see attached).

We anticipate that the circumstances justified by this sole source request is valid up to the next 60 months (maximum 60 months).

PURCHASING APPROVAL:

Based on the information provided to me, including the manufacturer's certification that they or their representative are the sole provider of this good or service, the user's certification that this is the only good or service which will suffice their needs, and a justifiable expectation that these conditions will not change in the foreseeable future, I hereby approve the sole source acquisition of the subject good or service for a period not to exceed sixty months. The user department is responsible for monitoring the marketplace and, if the above described sole source conditions change, discontinue use of this sole source justification and procure the goods or services competitively.



Melody Thelwell, Director

5/16/25

Date

c: Vernetha Green, Water Utilities

