

**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 Rule 60A-1.045, Florida Administrative Code, and section 287.057(3), Florida Statutes.

AGENCY: Early Learning Coalition of Sarasota County, Inc. ("ELC")

TITLE: Single Source Purchase for Specific Copyrighted Training Materials

Short description of the commodity or service desired: Access to copyrighted MarcoPolo Learning digital educational content for early childhood education.

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Internal tracking number, if any:

DMS Single Source number, if applicable:

Date posted: 1/22/2024 Time posted: 9:00am

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

Access to copyrighted digital educational content and resources including but not limited to developmentally appropriate videos, educator guides, training programs and user engagement data.

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

ELC of Sarasota County

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

Rule 6M-4.610 Statewide Provider Contract for the School Readiness Program and Form DEL-SR-20 requires providers to offer instruction and activities to enhance the age-appropriate progress of each child in attaining the child development standards established by Florida Early Learning and Developmental Standards: Birth to Kindergarten.

Intended Single Source:

MarcoPolo Learning

Price:

Approximately \$50,000

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

MarcoPolo Learning is the creator and sole source distributor of the MarcoPolo For Educators and MarcoPolo for Families platforms. Based on research-informed, developmentally appropriate practices, the online platforms include a robust library of early childhood education videos and tools to support quality instruction and promote family engagement.

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

Janet Kahn, CEO

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. Protests may be filed with the agency by:

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