



Sole Source Decision

(Posted to School Board of Hardee County website at 11:00 AM EST on July 16, 2018)

On July 2, 2018, the School Board of Hardee County posted notification on its website (at 2:00 PM EST) that it planned to purchase a server software upgrade and HVAC controls for two elementary schools at a cost of \$48,300. The School Board believed that the software and controls were available only from a single source.

Pursuant to State Board of Education Rule 6A-1.012(12)(d), the School Board requested that other prospective vendors provide information on their ability to supply the server software upgrade and HVAC controls. A deadline of 2:00 PM EST on July 12, 2018 was established for the School Board to receive information from prospective vendors.

On July 16, 2018, School Board staff verified that no prospective vendor submitted information on its ability to supply server software upgrade and HVAC controls.

Pursuant to State Board of Education Rule 6A-1.012(12)(d) and Section 120.57(3), Florida Statutes, the School Board is providing notice of its intention to purchase a server software upgrade and HVAC controls for Wauchula Elementary and North Wauchula Elementary from Kenyon & Partners at a cost of \$48,300. Failure to file a protest within the time prescribed in Section 120.57(3), Florida Statutes, shall constitute a waiver of proceedings under chapter 120, Florida Statutes. The written protest shall be sent to:

The School Board of Hardee County
Attn: Greg Harrelson, Finance Director
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Wauchula, FL 33873
Or fax (863) 773-4673
Or email gharrelson@hardee.k12.fl.us