County of Hernando

Procurement Department

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NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD ITB No. 25-T01014/JG Laboratory Testing Services

RESPONSE DEADLINE: September 15, 2025 at 10:00 am

Monday, September 22, 2025

TO: All Interested Parties

After a thorough review of the bid(s)/proposal(s) received, Hernando County Government staff intends to recommend to the Board of County Commissioners of Hernando County, Florida, a contract award for the above solicitation be approved with:

Advanced Environmental Laboratories, Inc.

9610 Princess Palm Avenue

Tampa, FL 33619

The tentative date for this recommendation is **October 28, 2025**. The final contract award is subject to funding availability, insurance coverage, and approval by the Board of County Commissioners of Hernando County, Florida.

Any Bidder who protests the Bid Specifications or Award or Intent to Award, must file with the County a notice of protest and formal written protest in compliance with the Hernando County Procurement Manual, Section 22, which can be found at

http://www.hernandocounty.us/home/showpublisheddocument/9013. Failure to timely file such documents will constitute a waiver of proceedings. Failure to file a protest within the time prescribed by, or failure to post the bond or other security in strict accordance with, the Hernando County Procurement Manual, Section 22, shall constitute a waiver of protest proceedings."

Thank you for your interest in conducting business with Hernando County Government.

Sincerely,

Carla Rossiter-Smith, MSM, PMP, GPC Chief Procurement Officer