

**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 Floridas Heartland, Inc.

TITLE: Weathering the Storm Preschool Supplemental Curriculum, Classroom support materials, and individual child shelter kits

Short description of the commodity or service desired: Preschool supplemental curriculum supporting teachers and children facing extreme weather and natural disasters; classroom support materials for emotional regulation; shelter kits to give to individual children entering local hurricane shelter pre/ post storm .

CONTACT

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Internal tracking number, if any: NA

DMS Single Source number, if applicable: NA

Date posted: 11/7/25 Time posted: 8:00AM

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

Weathering the Storm Curriculum, Set of 5 aligned books and picture cards for preschool classrooms. teacher trianings on use of the curriculum, puppet/ book kit to support child emotionla regulation; Hurricane shelter kit with sensory soothing materials for individual children seeking shelter before or after a hurricane.

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

Early Learning Coalition of Floridas Heartland, Inc.

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):

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Intended Single Source:

Discovery Source

Price:

\$69,106.23

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):

Discovery Source is the single and sole source of the uniquely developed Weathering the Storm supplemental preschool curriculum kits, classroom support materials for emotional regulation and hurricane shelter kits for individual children.

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

Anne Brewer, Executive Director

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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