

**DESCRIPTION OF INTENDED  
SINGLE SOURCE PURCHASE  
(PUR 7776)**

AGENCY

**FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES**

TITLE

Short description of the commodity or service desired:

**SUN GRO HORTICULTURE, INC.**

CONTACT

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Internal tracking number, if any: **SS 18 19 176**

Date posted: **04/11/2019; 1:00 P.M.** Last day for receipt of information: **04/22/2019; 1:00 P.M.**

This description of commodities or contractual services intended for purchase from a single source is posted in accordance with Sections 120.57(3) and 287.057(3), Florida Statutes, and will remain posted for a period of at least 7 business days.

Commodity or Contractual Service Required (commodity or United National Standard Products and Services Code (UNSPSC), manufacturer, model and description, as appropriate): **1111500**

Quantity or Term (as appropriate): **Date of Execution thru June 30, 2019**

Requestor (division, bureau, office, individual, as appropriate): **Steve Gilly, Florida Forest Service**

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

Soil Mixture

**Formulation Ingredients: 85% Peat Grower White  
15% Perlite Expanded Coarse**

<b>Component:</b>	<b>Nutrient Charge:</b>	<b>1 lb(s)/cy; .593 kg/m3 Fert SNC 6-5-11</b>
	<b>Controlled Release Fert – 1:</b>	<b>8 lb(s)/cy; 4.746 kg/m3 Fert CRF NU 18-6-8 T360</b>
	<b>Wetting agent:</b>	<b>STO</b>
	<b>Other:</b>	<b>2 lb(s)/cy; 1.187 kg/m3 Sulfur – Tiger 90 or equivalent</b>

Intended source (vendor, contractor):

**SUN GRO HORTICULTURE, INC.**

Estimated Dollar Amount:

**Approximate Amount: Up to \$194,000**

**Approximate Contract Amount: \$62,300**

Justification for single source acquisition (what is necessary and unique about the product, service or source; steps taken to confirm unavailability of competition, as appropriate):

**Sun Gro Horticulture, Inc. is the only known company able to produce the specified soil mixture.**

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

**James R. Karels, Director, Florida Forest Service**  
**Steve Gilly, Florida Forest Service**  
**Vianka Colin, Purchasing Director**  
**Joey B. Hicks, Director, Division of Administration**

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Prospective vendors are requested to provide information regarding their ability to supply the commodities or contractual services described. If it is determined in writing by the agency, after reviewing any information received from prospective vendors, that the commodities or contractual services are available only from a single source, the agency shall: provide notice of its intended decision to enter a single-source purchase contract in the manner specified in Section 120.57(3), F.S.