



Legislation Text

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PROPOSED BID RECOMMENDATION

Department: Resource Management

Request: Authorization for the Forest Preserves of Cook County (the "Preserves") to enter into a contract with Homer Tree Service, Lockport, Illinois

Reason: Contract #16-31-114 consists of the removal of one thousand and fifty three (1,053) trees, five (5) of which require pruning in accordance with the Preserves' specifications in Region 6, Palos Division. Homer Tree Service was the lowest responsible bidder of the six (6) bidders.

Bid Opening Date: 8/19/2016

Bid Results:

1. Homer Tree Service, \$94,815.00
2. Steve Piper & Sons, \$109,496.00
3. Arborworks, LLC, \$123,786.25
4. Trees R Us, \$149,140.00
5. Groundskeeper, \$153,900.00
6. Clean Cut Tree Service, \$162,844.00

Estimated Fiscal Impact: \$94,815.00

Contract Period: Ninety (90) working days after issuance of purchase order

Account Name/Number: Habitat Enhancement 09-6755, EAB Tree Removal 09-6756, Habitat Restoration 09-6750, Tree Mitigation 10-6750

District(s): 17

Concurrence(s):

The Chief Attorney and Chief Financial Officer have approved this item.

The vendor has met the Minority and Women Business Enterprise Ordinance Provisions.