



RFP 21-01: Landscape Maintenance Services Award of Contract

Background



 The City contracts routine landscaping maintenance services for 88 locations throughout the City.

 Locations include walkways, bike paths, landscape maintenance districts, medians, and select City facilities.

Analysis



 Finance staff informed 28 known landscape contractors of the Request for Proposal (RFP) and mandatory pre-bid meeting.

Two (2) legal notices were placed in *The Appeal* as well.

Background



 The City will award the landscape maintenance contract to the highest scoring contractor.

• The initial term of the contract will be for one (1) year with the option of five (5) one year extensions at the City's request.

Analysis Continued



- Five contractors attended the mandatory meeting, and four proposals were received.
- Four City staff members independently evaluated each contractor's proposal in all three phases:
 - Phase 1: Compliance with the RFP, experience, and capability of the contractor
 - Phase 2: Reference checks & site reviews
 - Phase 3: Cost (Scored via existing scoring matrix/formula)

Final Scoring



Company	Average Score	Proposed Amount (Monthly)	Proposed Amount (Yearly)	Rank
Landscapes by Stentzel - Live Oak, CA	95.07	\$29,214	\$350,568	1*
Vargas Landscapes - Sutter, CA	88.44	\$28,735	\$344,820	2
New Image Landscape – Sacramento, CA	82.07	\$50,330	\$603,960	3
Terracare Associates – Los Angeles, CA	80.29	\$46,689	\$560,268	4

Staff's Recommendation



- Based on the scoring results, staff recommends awarding the landscape maintenance contract to Landscapes by Stentzel of Live Oak, CA in the amount of \$350,568 for one year.
- The contract includes the option of five 1-year extensions as approved by the City Manager.

Questions?

