



## **Consideration to Approve Landscaping and Grounds Services Contract**

On April 4, 2023 the District received proposals (RFP#09-23) for Landscaping and Grounds Maintenance Services. Two proposals we opened and graded by Facilities and Purchasing. The recommendation is to award Kwik-Kutz, a local company, all service zones that were part of the proposal. Kwik-Kutz currently provides services to several Charter Schools, has a contract with CEFCO for multiple properties and provides residential services.

Kwik-Kutz will be responsible for the overall care of the following campuses: Meridith-Dunbar, Cater, HP Garcia, Jefferson, Kennedy-Powell, Raye-Allen, Scott, Thornton, Western Hills, Bonham, Lamar, and Travis. Services include: Mowing, edging, pruning, spraying weeds, mulching, fertilizing and irrigation service.

Services will begin on May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023 and run through June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2024 (14 months). If the District is pleased with the performance of the contractor, we have the option to continue the contract for three additional 1yr extensions.

**Recommendation:** Approve the 14 month contract with Kwik-Kutz for a total of \$348,725

#### III. BID/PROPOSAL RESPONSE REQUIREMENTS & FORMS

#### A. ACCEPTANCE OF PROPOSAL TERMS

A proposal, to be valid, must be manually signed in ink by an authorized person in the space provided. By such signature, Proposer agrees to strictly a proposal by the terms, conditions, and specifications embodied in this proposal.

If you do not submit a proposal but want to stay on our vendor list, please sign and return this Acceptance of Proposal Terms and include the reason for non-submittal.

I (we) am proposing in accordance with the general conditions and specifications.

By signing this proposal, the Proposer affirms that he/she has not given, offered to give, nor intends to give at any time hereafter any economic opportunity, future employment, gift, loan, gratuity, special discount, trip, favor or service to a public servant in connection with the proposal submitted.

The undersigned affirms that he/she is duly authorized to execute this contract, that this company, corporation, firm, partnership or individual has not prepared the proposal in collusion with any other Proposer, and that the contents of this proposal as to prices, terms or conditions of said proposal have not been communicated by the undersigned nor by any employee or agent to any other person engaged in this type of business prior to the official opening of this proposal.

Company (Firm Name):	Kwik-Kutz Landscaping
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	4/3/23
Signature:	Ky PC
Printed Name:	Ray Pageter
	Operations Manager
Reason for Non-Submittal	

### G. PROPOSAL RESPONSE

Item #	Description of Work Found in Exhibit A	Cost for Service Area #1	Cost for Service Area #2	Cost for Service Area #3	
1	Mow, Edge, Remove Trash and Power Blow	97,640	99,880	98,780	
2	Prune Shrubs	3,600	3,600	3,600	
3	Spray weeds in paved areas	9,600	9,600	9,600	
4	Fluff Mulch	2,400	2,400	2,400	
5	Cultivate Beds	1. 200	1,200	1,200	
6	Re-mulch Beds	1,200	1, 200	1,200	
7	Fertilize Lawns	7,200	1,400	1,550	
8	Inspect Irrigation	5,400	5,400	5,400	
9	Lawn Pre-Emergent	3100	1,700	1,550	

Total Cost of Work	*12=	9101 20	9125 22
For Each Service Area	125,340	126,380	4 125, 280

Total Cost for All		Please Note Any Di	iscount If Awarded	All Service Areas
Service Areas Being Submitted	\$ 377,000	7.5 %	Discount	(\$28,275)

**Authorized Signature** 

Printed Name Ray Pageler

Date 04/63/23

# **PURCHASE RECOMMENDATION FORM**

Requesting Board Approval of Purchases over \$50,000

Description:	Elementary & Middle School Grounds Contract	
Requesting Campus/Department:	Maintenance	
Description of items/services:	Mow, Edge, Prune Shrubs, Spary Weeds, Mulching, Fertilization, Irrigation Inspection, Pre-Emergeny Applications	
Purpose:	Yearly Upkeep	
Interlocal agreement(s) anticipated to use:		
Justification for sole source (if applicable):		
Vendor(s):	Kwik-Kutz Landscaping	
Maximum cost:	\$348,725	
Process used to ensure best value:	RFP #09-23	
Deadline for purchase:	ASAP	
Funding source(s):	General Funds	
Other information:	Labor market has been difficult to compete in for workers. Belton ISD along with the City of Temple all are having the same issues and outsourcing grounds care.	

Kenneth Wolf

**Director of Facilities and Construction**