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**NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
 Board Agenda Memo**

**MEETING DATE:** October 25, 2022  
**TO:** Board of Supervisors  
**FROM:** Trisha Tillotson, CDA Director and Acting Director of Public Works  
**SUBJECT:** Resolution to Award the Contract for the Hazard Tree Removal Project, County Project Number 715002, to J.W. Bamford, Inc., for a Total Amount of \$203,436.73 and Authorizing the Auditor-Controller to Encumber the Contract- All districts.

**RECOMMENDATION:** Approve the attached resolution.

**FUNDING:** The \$184,942.48 Hazard Tree Removal Project will be 80% funded by Cal Fire Grant Agreement 5GA21115 and 20% funded by a County match from the Road Fund budget. There is sufficient budget in Road Engineering for Fiscal Year 2022-2023 and there is no impact to the General Fund.

**BACKGROUND:** On September 13, 2022, the Nevada County Board of Supervisors approved Resolution 22-495 to authorize the Purchasing Agent to solicit bids for the Hazard Tree Removal Project. These bids were opened on October 12, 2022, and are listed below:

<b>Bidder</b>	<b>Total Bid</b>
1. J.W. Bamford, Inc.	\$ 184,942.48
2. Anvil Builders Inc.	\$ 290,551.00
3. Twin Cities Tree Service	\$ 294,828.00
4. Kingsborough Atlas Tree Surgery, Inc.	\$ 302,345.17*
5. Julian Tree Care Inc.	\$ 377,950.00
6. Central Sierra Enterprise	\$ 385,251.00
7. Pacific Coast Tree Experts	\$ 386,222.00**
8. AAA Tree Service	\$ 401,650.00***
9. Bay Area Tree Specialists	\$ 421,595.00
10. CTL Forest Management dba Ceres Forestry	\$ 557,987.00
11. Robinson Enterprises	\$ 679,690.20
12. Joe Benigno Tree Service	\$1,011,460.00**

Bid irregularities did not affect low bid or recommendation to award to low bidder.

\* Indicates a minor math error in bid.

\*\* Indicates unit cost is not reflective of addendum 4 quantities.

\*\*\* Indicates bidder was nonresponsive.

It is recommended that the contract be awarded to the low bidder, J.W. Bamford, Inc., at the bid price of \$184,942.48, plus a 10% contingency of \$18,494.25 for a total of \$203,436.73. Work is expected to begin fall 2022.

**Item Initiated by:** Michelle Garcia, Assistant Engineer

**Approved by:** Trisha Tillotson, CDA Director and Acting Director of Public Works

Submittal Date: October 5, 2022

Revised: October 13, 2022