

## **RESOLUTION No.**

## OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF NEVADA

RESOLUTION APPROVING A STANDARD PUBLIC WORKS CONTRACT BETWEEN THE COUNTY OF NEVADA AND TREE PRO TREE SERVICE, INC., FOR THE VEGETATION ABATEMENT AND TREE REMOVAL SERVICES AS NEEDED CONTRACT FOR A TOTAL CONTRACT AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$150,000, AUTHORIZING THE CHAIR OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS TO EXECUTE THE CONTRACT, AND AMENDING THE FISCAL YEAR 2022-23 CAPITAL FACILITIES BUDGET (4/5 AFFIRMATIVE VOTE REQUIRED)

WHEREAS, The County requires fuel reduction tree removal and vegetation management services for various projects across the County including but not limited to fuel reduction and vegetation management services at the Nevada County Airport, for the open space across from the Nevada City Courthouse, and 24 dead pine trees have been identified at Tobiassen Park which need to be removed; and

WHEREAS, Purchasing Policy section 4.5(B) allows for the County to make purchases from other public agencies competitive solicitations, or by use of Joint Powers Agreements, Cooperative Purchasing programs, Pooling Agreements, and other recognized types of agreements used by government agencies to combine agency requirements for purchases in order to obtain volume discounts; and

WHEREAS, Tree Pro Service, Inc., has been awarded a contract through the State Department of General Services Procurement Division, State of California Multiple Award Schedule (CMAS) which fulfills these requirements; and

WHEREAS, staff recommends that the contract for the project known as Vegetation Abatement and Tree Removal Services As Needed Contract be awarded to Tree Pro Tree Service, Inc., of Penryn, California, in a total contract amount not to exceed \$150,000 which includes contingency.

WHEREAS, funding for this project will be paid out of the Fiscal Year 2022-23 Capital Facilities budget.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Nevada County Board of Supervisors hereby:

- 1. Approves the contract for the Vegetation Abatement and Tree Removal Services As Needed Contract for a total contract amount not to exceed \$150,000 be awarded to Tree Pro Tree Service, Inc., PO Box 611, Penryn, California, 95663.
- 2. Authorizes the Board Chair to execute a Nevada County Standard Public Works Contract on behalf of Nevada County with Tree Pro Tree Service upon receipt, approval, and acceptance of the certificates of insurance and bonds.
- 3. Authorizes the Purchasing Agent to execute change orders pursuant to Article IX of the Contract.

- 4. Contractor shall commence the work 10 days after mailing of written notice to proceed by County. All work shall be completed and ready for acceptance on or before 250 days of the mailing of the Notice to Proceed.
- 5. The Auditor-Controller is directed to release \$150,000 from the Capital Facilities Assignment Fund Balance of the General Fund and to amend the Fiscal Year 2022-23 Capital Facilities budget as follows:

Increase:

0101-10801-416-1000/521520 Professional Services \$150,000