

July 18, 2024

Landscaping meeting Q&A

Questions:

- 1) Who is the acreage of the sports complexes that need to be taken care of in Lot C? **Creek Bridge Sports Complex is approximately 15.53 acres. Marion High Sports Complex approximately 23 acres. Marion High Softball approximately 2 acres. Fox Field is approximately 5.26 acres Mullins High Sports Complex approximately 19 acres.**
- 2) Can we fly a drone over properties? **Yes, that is fine except for the ACT location.**
- 3) Why is Success Academy listed twice? **That is a mistake and will submit an amendment. That location should only be in Lot B.**
- 4) What license is required for herbicide? **Commercial license is required.**
- 5) Is there potential for winning multiple lots or just one? **We can accept all bids and Board ultimately determines how that plays out.**
- 6) What is the reason for the bid exercise? Is this an annual responsibility of the school district? **This is an annual board request.**
- 7) Can MCSD publish a list of sites that have active courtyards that will need services? **Johnakin Middle School and Easterling Primary School**
- 8) In Section A. Landscape Maintenance Services (Lots A-C): 13. Pruning Services: does MCSD consider palm trees as a part of the pruning requirement? **Not twice a year but as needed**
- 9) Can MCSD verify that the contractor is not expected to provide any fire ant control services as a part of this contract? **Not expected**
- 10) Can MCSD verify that the contractor is not expected to provide any fertilization/herbicide/chemical applications for the turf areas found on any of the sites within this solicitation? We are only expected to provide herbicide treatments for bed spaces, warning tracks and dirt surfaces (Baseball/softball fields), and hardscape spaces? **Not expected but may request a quote**
- 11) Can the contractor utilize chemical means (Herbicide) to control fence lines, bollards and other obstacles found within the landscape on these sites? **As long as it looks presentable**
- 12) Does MCSD anticipate the need for any immediate "clean up" services with our pricing submission? **No**
- 13) Will a firm schedule be mapped for services within the MCSD sites, or will the contractor be kept on a "call as needed" basis for services? **There is a firm schedule/calendar**
- 14) Is there any associated bonding with this opportunity? **Insurance requirements explained in the packet**
- 15) Does a contractor need to submit the New Vendor Request Form prior to submitting a bid for the opportunity? **Yes**
- 16) What is the current budget for the opportunity? **Budget will be set once the bids are awarded**