

RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF  
CHULA VISTA ACCEPTING BIDS AND AWARDING A  
CONTRACT FOR OPEN SPACE TREE MAINTENANCE  
SERVICES TO ARBOR WEST TREE SURGEONS, INC. IN AN  
AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$2,500,000 FOR THE UP TO FIVE-  
YEAR TERM OF THE CONTRACT

WHEREAS, the City contracts with contractors to provide tree maintenance services for its estimated 33,000 open space trees; and

WHEREAS, on October 16, 2020, City staff issued a Request for Bids for open space tree maintenance services; and

WHEREAS, on October 30, 2020, three (3) bids were received from Arbor West Tree Surgeons, Inc. (Arbor West), Atlas Environmental Services, Inc. (Atlas), and West Coast Arborists, Inc. (WCA) respectively for the open space tree maintenance services contract; and

WHEREAS, after compilation of the bids staff determined Arbor West to be the lowest responsible bidder submitting the lowest responsive bid based on bid line item unit costs; and

WHEREAS, the initial term for the tree maintenance services contract is from December 8, 2020 through June 30, 2021 and, upon satisfactory work performance, the parties may mutually agree to extend the contract for up to four (4) additional one (1) year periods from July 1 to June 30; and

WHEREAS, staff recommends that the City Council accept the bids and award the open space tree maintenance services contract to Arbor West.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Chula Vista, that it accepts bids and awards the Open Space Tree Maintenance Services Contract, between the City and Arbor West Tree Surgeons, Inc. in the form presented, with such minor modifications as may be required or approved by the City Attorney, a copy of which shall be kept on file in the Office of the City Clerk, and authorizes and directs the City Manager or designee to execute same.

Presented by

Approved as to form by

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Angelica Aguilar  
Assistant Director of Public Works

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Glen R. Googins  
City Attorney