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Mr. Paul De Michele

17W275 Rodeck Lane

Bensenville, Illinois 60106

Re: May 12, 2019 FOIA Request

Dear Mr. De Michele:

I am pleased to help you with your May 12, 2019 Freedom of Information Act ("FOIA"). The Village of Bensenville received your request on May 13, 2019. You requested copies of the items indicated below:

"With respect to the Village Lawn Mowing Program. 1) How many households are participating in 2019? 2) The names and addresses of those households. 3) The names of the contractors providing mowing services in 2019."

After a search of Village files, the following information was found responsive to your request:

- 1) Village of Bensenville Senior Grass Cutting 2019 Participants. (4 pgs.)
- 2) Village of Bensenville Resolution No. R-32-2019. (12 pgs.)
- 3) Village of Bensenville Resolution No. R-33-2019. (11 pgs.)
- 4) Village of Bensenville Resolution No. R-34-2019. (11 pgs.)
- 5) Village of Bensenville Resolution No. R-35-2019. (11 pgs.)

These are all the records found responsive to your request.

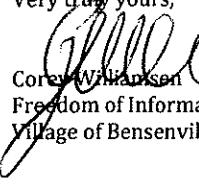
A portion of your FOIA has been denied as follows. The attached records are being provided to you at no charge. Home addresses have been withheld as private information that is exempt from disclosure under section 7(1)(b) of FOIA. Additionally, the names on the list have been withheld as exempt from disclosure under section 7(1)(c) of FOIA, which exempts from inspection and copying personal information contained within public records, the disclosure of which would constitute clearly as unwarranted invasion of personal privacy. See 5 ILCS 140/7(1)(c). This information is highly personal, and the subjects' right to privacy with respect to this information outweighs any legitimate public interest in obtaining it.

You have the right to have this matter reviewed by the Public Assess Counselor (PAC) at the Office of the Illinois Attorney General. 5 ILCS 140/3.6(a)(vii). You may file your Request with the PAC by writing to:

Ms. Sarah Pratt
(public Assess Counselor
Office of the Attorney General
500 South 2nd Street
Springfield, Illinois 62706
Fax: 217-872-1396
E-mail: publicaccess@atg.state.il.us

You also have the right to seek judicial review by filing a lawsuit with the State circuit court. 5 ILCS 140/11.

Very truly yours,


Corey W. Winken
Freedom of Information Officer
Village of Bensenville

RESOLUTION NO. R-32-2019

**AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A CONTRACT WITH L.A.R. LAWN &
GROUND CORP. FOR THE 2019 SENIOR / DISABLED GRASS CUTTING
PROGRAM**

WHEREAS the VILLAGE OF BENSENVILLE (hereinafter "Village") is a municipal corporation established and existing under the laws of the State of Illinois pursuant to the Illinois Municipal Code, 65 ILCS 5/1-1-1 *et seq.*, and

WHEREAS the VILLAGE is empowered to make all agreements, contracts, and engagements and to undertake other acts as necessary in the exercise of its statutory powers, and

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NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Bensenville, Counties of DuPage and Cook, Illinois as follows:

SECTION ONE: The recitals set forth above are incorporated herein and made a part hereof.

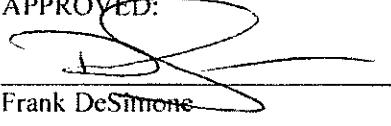
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SECTION FIVE: This Resolution is passed and approved by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Bensenville, Illinois, dated March 12, 2019

APPROVED:


Frank DeSimone

ATTEST:


Nancy Quinn, Village Clerk

AYES: Franz, Jaworska, Panicola, Perez

NAYS: None

ABSENT: Carmona, Lomax

AN AGREEMENT TO CONTRACT FOR GRASS CUTTING SERVICES

THIS AGREEMENT (the "Agreement") made and entered into as of the Effective Date, as herein described, by and between the Village of Bensenville, DuPage and Cook Counties, Illinois, an Illinois municipal corporation (the "Village") and L.A.R. Lawn & Grounds Corp., located 501 E. Washington Street, Bensenville, IL 60106 (the "Contractor"). The Village and Contractor shall herein collectively be known as the "Parties."

WITNESSETH

IN CONSIDERATION of the mutual covenants herein contained and other good and valuable consideration, the sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the Parties hereto agree, as follows:

PRELIMINARY STATEMENTS

Among the matters of mutual inducement and agreement by the Parties which have resulted in this Agreement are the following:

- A. The Village is a duly organized and an existing municipal corporation created under the provisions of the laws of the State of Illinois and under the provisions of the Illinois Municipal Code, as from time to time supplemented and amended; and
- B. The Contractor is in the business of providing grass cutting services; and
- C. The Village requires grass cutting services as part of its 2019 Grass Cutting Program for Senior and Disabled Residents of the Village (the "Program"); and
- D. The Village and Contractor desire to enter into a contract whereby the Contractor will provide nonexclusive grass cutting services for the Program.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants, promises and conditions contained herein and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged by the Parties, the Village does hereby contract, promise and agree with the Contractor and the Contractor does likewise contract, promise and agree with the Village, as follows:

SECTION 1. SCOPE OF SERVICES

- A. The Contractor shall provide and perform grass cutting services and such related tasks as part of the Program (the "Services"). The Services shall be provided to participants in the Program. The Village shall identify the participants to the Contractor. The list of participants in the Program of which the Contractor shall provide Services may be amended by the Village with a five (5) day notice from the Village.

B. The "Services" shall include:

1. Spring cleanup (This will include a standard spring cleanup of leaves, twigs, branches, debris, etc. that has accumulated on the property over the winter months. The contractor will be responsible to blow debris away from the house, out of landscaping beds, and remove from the property. This will be done during the first visit of the spring and included in the weekly cost.)
2. Cutting of grass (This will include standard lawn mowing of the property, regardless of size. The contractor shall utilize grass clipping collecting mowers and haul off all debris. This service is included in the weekly cost.)
3. Edging of hardscape (This will include edging/weed whipping along any hardscape including but not limited to sidewalk, driveway, patio, etc. This does not include edging of landscaping beds, tree mulch rings, or other soft scape features. This service is included in the weekly cost.)
4. Fall cleanup (This service will include a standard fall cleanup of leaves, twigs, branches, etc. that have accumulated on the property over the summer/fall months. The contractor will be responsible to blow debris away from the house, out of landscaping beds, and remove from the property. This will be done after grass cutting is complete and scheduled with the Public Works Department. It is anticipated that this work will be completed during the first two weeks of November. This service is included in the weekly cost.)

C. The Services shall be provided on a weekly basis starting the week of April 8, 2019 and continue through November 1, 2019. The Village may, at its direction, extend the length between services or modify the end date, as necessary.

D. The Contractor shall not apply any chemical or fertilizer to any property to which the Service is provided.

SECTION 2. FEES FOR SERVICE

The Village shall pay to the Contractor as full compensation for Services the amount of Twenty-five and no/100 Dollars (\$25.00) for each property receiving Service from the Contractor to a Program participant; provided that the Contractor shall submit a written, detailed invoice to the Village stating all Service Options provided, the name of the participant, the address at which the Service was provided, and the date such Service was provided within thirty (30) days of performing the Service Option.

The Village shall have fifteen (15) days from receipt of the invoice to review such invoice and question any charge appearing therein. Any questioned charge by the Village shall be in

writing to the Contractor and made within fifteen (15) days from receipt of the invoice. The Contractor shall have fifteen (15) days following the receipt of such written notification by the Village to provide appropriate documentation to contest any calculation contained in the statement. If the results of such contest shows that any amount paid to the Contractor was less or more than an amount paid, either the Village shall pay to the Contractor the balance of such amount within thirty (30) days of the completion of such contest, or the Contractor shall pay to the Village the amount of any overpayment within thirty (30) days of the completion of such contest, whichever is applicable. In the event that no contest is initiated as set forth above, such payment shall be deemed correct and not subject to contest by the Contractor thereafter.

The Village is subject to the Prompt Payment Act. All payments shall be made within thirty (30) days from receipt of invoice, barring any aforementioned discrepancies.

The Contractor covenants and agrees not to receive, expect or accrue any other form of compensation for the Services for any other services, cost, fee or expense that is direct or indirectly incurred or expended by the Contractor in the performance of the Services, unless such form of compensation is separately and expressly permitted in writing by the Parties, nor further claim entitlement to any such additional form of compensation or benefit not specified herein.

SECTION 3. INSURANCE; HOLD HARMLESS; INDEMNIFICATION

A. Prior to providing any Services, the Contractor shall provide the Village with a Certificate of Insurance for general and comprehensive liability, automobile insurance and excess liability and umbrella insurance in an amount not less than One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00), per occurrence, unless such additional coverage is required by law or recommended by industry standard, and as designating the Village as an additional insured party with all the rights of a primary insured. Said insurance shall remain in place during the term of this Agreement. Failure by the Contractor, at any point in time to maintain said insurance coverage or to maintain such under insurance coverage, shall not relieve the Contractor of any and all indemnifications, representations, warranties, and covenants herein contained. The Contractor expressly understands and agrees that any insurance protection furnished by the Contractor hereunder shall in no way limit its responsibility to indemnify and hold harmless the Village pursuant to this Agreement.

B. In the event a claim is made against the Village, its officers, officials, agents, attorneys, representatives, and employees or any of them, or if the Village, its officers, officials, agents, attorneys, representatives and employees or any of them, is made a party in any proceeding arising out of or in connection with this Agreement or the Services, or any conduct or work performed by the Contractor, or any of its employees, staff or representatives, Contractor shall indemnify, defend and hold the Village, its officers, officials, agents, attorneys, representatives and employees harmless from and against all claims, liabilities, losses, taxes, judgments, costs, fines, fees, including expenses and reasonable attorney's fees, in connection therewith, in excess of the insurance described above and available for use by the Village and actually received. Any such indemnified person may obtain separate counsel to participate in the defense thereof. The Village and its officer, officials, agents, attorneys, representatives, and employees shall cooperate

in the defense of such proceedings and be available for any litigation related appearances which may be required. Further, the Contractor shall be entitled to settle any and all claims for money, in such amounts and upon such terms as to payment as it may deem appropriate, without the prior approval or consent of the Village, its officers, officials, agents, attorneys, representatives and employees as the case may be, provided the Village, its officers, officials, agents, attorneys, representatives and employees as the case may be shall not be required to contribute to such settlement. To the extent permissible by law, the Contractor waives any limits to the amount of its obligations to indemnify, defend or contribute to any sums due under any indemnification claim, including any claim by any employee or representative of the Contractor that may be subject to the Workers Compensation Act, 820 ILCS 305/1 *et seq.*, or any other related law or judicial decision.

SECTION 4. RIGHTS OF TERMINATION

The Village and Contractor covenant and agree that the Village shall have the right to terminate this Agreement, in its absolute right, after five (5) days written notice to the Contractor. The Village and Contractor further covenant and agree that the Contractor shall have the right to terminate this Agreement, in its absolute right, after ten (10) days written notice to the Village.

SECTION 5. GOVERNING LAW

This Agreement shall be governed in all respects by the laws of the State of Illinois. The venue for any and all dispute, claim or litigation arising in connection with this Agreement shall be in the Circuit Court of DuPage County, Illinois, and the Parties expressly agrees to submit to such jurisdiction. The Parties further agree to waive their respective rights to a trial by jury.

SECTION 6. RECORDS

The Contractor covenants and agrees to hold all information, records and documents provided by the Village to the Contractor, and any matter relating to any of the foregoing as confidential property of the Village unless said release is required to accomplish the Services. The Contractor covenants and agrees that any work product, materials, documents, records or files undertaken on behalf of the Village, as part of the Services, shall at all times be the sole and exclusive property of the Village, without compensation or any other form of consideration required by the Village to the Contractor and shall provide said on the termination of this Agreement or at any other time requested by the Village.

SECTION 7. GENERAL

A. NO OTHER AGREEMENTS OR REPRESENTATIONS. This Agreement incorporates all agreements and understandings of the Parties as of the date of its execution and each party acknowledges that no representation or warranties have been made which have not been set forth herein.

B. AMENDMENTS AND MODIFICATIONS. No amendments, changes, modifications, alterations, or waivers of any provision of this Agreement shall be valid unless made in writing and signed by the Parties hereto.

C. SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNEES. This Agreement, or any part of its rights or obligations, shall not be assigned or transferred under any circumstances.

D. SEVERABILITY. If any section, subsection, term or provision of this Agreement or the application thereof shall be invalid or unenforceable, the remainder of the said section, subsection, term or provision of this Agreement will not be affected thereby.

E. JOINT AND COLLECTIVE WORK PRODUCT. The language used in this Agreement will be deemed to be chosen by the Parties to express their mutual intent and shall not be construed against the Village, as the otherwise purported drafter of same, by any court of competent jurisdiction.

F. LANGUAGE AND PARAGRAPH HEADINGS. Any headings of this Agreement are for convenience of reference only and do not modify, define or limit the provisions thereof. Words importing the singular number shall include the plural number and vice versa unless the context shall otherwise indicate.

G. REMEDY. The Contractor hereby covenants and agrees that no recourse or remedy under or upon any obligation contained herein or for any claim in law or equity shall be had personally against Village officials, officers, employees, agents, attorneys and representatives in any amount and no liability, right or claim at law or in equity shall attach to or shall be incurred by them in any amount and any and all such rights or claims are hereby expressly waived and released as a condition of and as consideration for the execution of this Agreement by the Village. The sole remedies of the Contractor for any breach of this Agreement are specific performance, mandamus and quo warranto. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the Contractor hereby covenants and agrees that in the event any legal proceedings against the Village are instituted in no event shall any judgement for monetary damages or award be entered personally against Village officials, officers, employees, agents, attorneys and representatives and, if the Contractor secures a judgment in its favor, the court having jurisdiction thereof shall determine that none of the expenses of such legal proceedings incurred by the Contractor, including, but not limited to, court cost, attorneys' fees, and witness' fees shall be paid by the Village.

H. REPRESENTATIONS. The Contractor covenants and agrees to the Village that no action or proceedings by or before any court, governmental body, commission, board or any other administrative agency pending, threatened or affecting the Contractor which would impair its ability to perform the Services. The Contractor represents and warrants that it is duly organized, validly existing and in good standing under the laws of the State of Illinois and that it has the right, power and authority to enter into, execute, deliver and perform this Agreement.

I. COUNTERPARTS. This Agreement may be executed in counterparts, each of

which shall be deemed an original but all of which together shall constitute one and the same instrument. Facsimile signatures shall be sufficient unless an original signature is required by a party.

J. NO JOINT VENTURE, AGENCY OR PARTNERSHIP. Nothing contained herein shall be deemed or construed by the Parties hereto, nor by any third party, as creating the relationship of principal and agent or partnership or fiduciaries or of a joint venture between the Parties hereto, it being understood and agreed that not any other provision, condition, obligation or benefit contained herein, nor any acts of the Parties hereto, shall be deemed to create any relationship between the Parties hereto.

K. **NO THIRD PARTY BENEFICIARIES.** Every provision, condition, obligation or benefit of this Agreement or the application or interpretation thereof shall be intended solely for the Parties hereto and no third party is an intended or implied beneficiary of this Agreement nor is entitled to enforce any provisions hereof.

L. **NOTICE.** Any notice, demand, request, waiver or other communication to be given by one party to the other party shall be in writing and shall be given by personal service, delivery by overnight mail delivery service, or by mailing in the United States Mail, by certified mail, postage prepaid, return receipt requested, addressed to the parties at their respective addresses as set forth below. Any such notice shall be deemed to have been given: 1) upon delivery, if personally delivered with an original sent by the United States certified mail, postage prepaid on the same date; 2) one day after placement with an overnight mail delivery service; 3) or, if by certified United States Mail, postage prepaid, return receipt requested, two (2) days after placing such in the mail, as follows:

If to Village: Village of Bensenville
Department of Public Works
717 E. Jefferson Street
Bensenville, Illinois 60106
Attn: Joe Caracci

If to Contractor: L.A.R. Lawn & Grounds Corp.
501 E. Washington Street
Bensenville, IL 60106
Attn: Luis Reyes

M. CERTIFICATION. The Contractor hereby certifies that the Contractor, its shareholders holding more than five percent (5%) of the outstanding shares of the Contractor, its officers and directors are: (1) Not delinquent in payment of taxes to the Illinois Department of Revenue in accordance with 65 ILCS 5/11-42.1-1; (2) Not barred from contracting as a result of a violation of either Section 33E-3 (bid-rigging) or 33E-4 (bid-totaling) of the Criminal Code of 1961 (720 ILCS 5/33E-3 and 5/33E-4); (3) Not in default, as defined in 5 ILCS 385/2, on an educational loan, as defined in 5 ILCS 385/1. The Contractor further represents and warrants to

the Village that as a condition of this Agreement with the Village: (1) The Contractor maintains and will maintain a drug free workplace in accordance with the Drug Free Workplace Act (30 ILCS 580/1 *et seq.*); (2) The Contractor provides equal employment opportunities in accordance with the Illinois Human Rights Act (775 ILCS 5/1-101 *et seq.*); and (3) The Contractor is in compliance with 775 ILCS 5/2-105(A)(4) requiring a written sexual harassment policy.

N. PREVAILING WAGE. Pursuant to the Illinois Prevailing Wage Act, the Contractor agrees to comply with the requirements of 820 ILCS 130/5 *et seq.*, with reference to prevailing rates of wages, if applicable. The Contractor certifies that the wages paid to its employees are not less than the prevailing rate of wages as determined by the Village or the Illinois Department of Labor and shall be paid to all laborers, workers, and mechanics performing work under this Agreement and in accordance with the Act, if applicable.

O. LAWs AND REGULATIONS. The contractor, its employees, and representatives, shall at all times comply with all applicable laws, ordinances, statutes, rules and regulations, federal state, county and municipal, particularly those relating to wages, hours and working conditions, inspections required by any governmental authority for any part of the Services contemplated or performed.

P. SURVIVORSHIP OF REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES; INSURANCE; HOLD HARMLESS AND INDEMNIFICATION; REMEDY. The indemnifications, representations, warranties, remedies, covenants and agreements contained herein shall survive the termination or expiration of this Agreement and it is hereby understood and agreed between the Parties that said shall not cease to be in full force and effect upon the termination or expiration of this Agreement but shall survive and be contractually enforceable between the Parties hereto, their grantees, nominees, successors in interest, assignees, heirs, executors or lessors, at all times for a period of five (5) years from the date of termination or expiration of this Agreement.

SECTION 8. EFFECTIVE DATE

The Effective Date of this Agreement shall be the date on which the last party executes this Agreement (the "*Effective Date*"). Failure by the Contractor to execute and return this Agreement to the Village within thirty (30) days of the date of its execution by the Village shall automatically void this Agreement and shall result in the immediate termination and cancellation of any obligation of the Parties under this Agreement in its entirety, with no notice to the Parties required to effectuate this provision.

SECTION 9. TERM

The term of this Agreement shall commence as of the Effective Date of this Agreement and expire upon the first to occur: (1) the early termination of this Agreement by any party pursuant to the terms of this Agreement; or (2) at 12:01 a.m. Central Standard Time on the 30th day of November 2019.

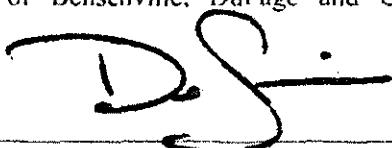
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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be executed on the dates specified below in Bensenville, DuPage and Cook Counties, Illinois.

EXECUTED this 12th day of March, 2019.

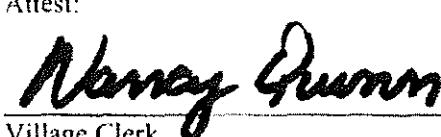
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By:



Village President

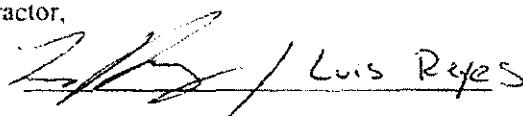
Attest:



Village Clerk

EXECUTED this _____ day of _____ 2019.

Contractor,

By: 

Luis Reyes

Its: Owner

By: _____

Its: _____



CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)
2/1/2019

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFRS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

IMPORTANT: If the certificate holder is an ADDITIONAL INSURED, the policy(ies) must be endorsed. If SUBROGATION IS WAIVED, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on this certificate does not confer rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s).

PRODUCER ALFRED YANEZ III (23356) 314 W EGGLESTON AVE ELMHURST, IL 60126-0000	CONTACT NAME: ALFRED YANEZ III PHONE: 630-279-6429 (AG. NO. EXP: 630-279-7912 EMAIL: ALFRED.YANEZ@COUNTRYFINANCIAL.COM ADDRESS:	NAIC #
INSURED 4512417 REYES LUIS DBA LAR LAWN AND GROUNDS 501 E WASHINGTON ST BENSENVILLE, IL 60106	INSURER(A) AFFORDING COVERAGE INSURER A: COUNTRY Mutual Insurance Company	NAIC # 20990
	INSURER B:	
	INSURER C:	
	INSURER D:	
	INSURER E:	
	INSURER F:	

INSR LTR	TYPE OF INSURANCE	ADD'L SUBR INSR INWD	POLICY NUMBER	POLICY EFF (MM/DD/YYYY)	POLICY EXP (MM/DD/YYYY)	REVISION NUMBER:	
						LIMITS	
A	GENERAL LIABILITY		AM9273312	12/1/2018	12/1/2019	EACH OCCURRENCE DAMAGE TO RENTED PREMISES (Ex. Occurrence)	\$ 1,000,000
	COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY					MED EXP (Any one person)	\$ 5,000
	CLAIMS-MADE ✓ OCCUR					PERSONAL & ADV. INJURY	\$ 1,000,000
	BUSINESS OWNERS					GENERAL AGGREGATE	\$ 2,000,000
	GENL AGGREGATE LIMIT APPLIES PER ✓ POLICY PROJECT LOC					PRODUCTS - COMP/OP AGG	\$ 2,000,000
	AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY		AV9273316	12/1/2018	12/1/2019	COMBINED SINGLE LIMIT (Ex. Accident)	\$ 1,000,000
A	ANY AUTO ALL OWNED AUTOS ✓ SCHEDULED AUTOS NON-OWNED AUTOS HIRED AUTOS					BODILY INJURY (Per person)	\$
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						E.L. DISEASE - EA EMPLOYEE	\$
						E.L. DISEASE - POLICY LIMIT	\$

DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES (Attach ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, if more space is required)

CERTIFICATE HOLDER	CANCELLATION
VILLAGE OF BENSENVILLE 12 S CENTER STREET BENSENVILLE, IL 60106	SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS.
	AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE

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RESOLUTION NO. R-33-2019

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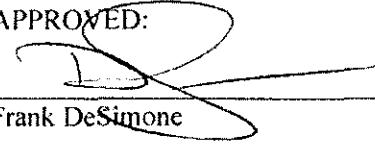
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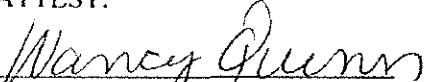
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If to Village: Village of Bensenville
Department of Public Works
717 E. Jefferson Street
Bensenville, Illinois 60106
Attn: Joe Caracci

If to Contractor: Panoramic Landscaping
2055 Scott Street
Melrose Park, IL 60164
Attn: Luisa Gomez

M. CERTIFICATION. The Contractor hereby certifies that the Contractor, its shareholders holding more than five percent (5%) of the outstanding shares of the Contractor, its officers and directors are: (1) Not delinquent in payment of taxes to the Illinois Department of Revenue in accordance with 65 ILCS 5/11-42.1-1; (2) Not barred from contracting as a result of a violation of either Section 33E-3 (bid-rigging) or 33E-4 (bid-totaling) of the Criminal Code of 1961 (720 ILCS 5/33E-3 and 5/33E-4); (3) Not in default, as defined in 5 ILCS 385/2, on an educational loan, as defined in 5 ILCS 385/1. The Contractor further represents and warrants to

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The Effective Date of this Agreement shall be the date on which the last party executes this Agreement (the "*Effective Date*"). Failure by the Contractor to execute and return this Agreement to the Village within thirty (30) days of the date of its execution by the Village shall automatically void this Agreement and shall result in the immediate termination and cancellation of any obligation of the Parties under this Agreement in its entirety, with no notice to the Parties required to effectuate this provision.

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The term of this Agreement shall commence as of the Effective Date of this Agreement and expire upon the first to occur: (1) the early termination of this Agreement by any party pursuant to the terms of this Agreement; or (2) at 12:01 a.m. Central Standard Time on the 30th day of November 2019.

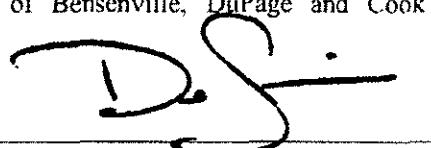
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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be executed on the dates specified below in Bensenville, DuPage and Cook Counties, Illinois.

EXECUTED this 12th day of March, 2019.

Village of Bensenville, DuPage and Cook Counties, Illinois, a municipal corporation

By: Village President



Attest:

Nancy Dunn
Village Clerk

EXECUTED this 6 day of MARCH 2019.

Contractor,

By: John P

Its: owner

By: _____

Its: _____

RESOLUTION NO. R-34-2019

**AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A CONTRACT WITH SPEAR
LANDSCAPING FOR THE 2019 SENIOR / DISABLED GRASS CUTTING
PROGRAM**

WHEREAS the VILLAGE OF BENSENVILLE (hereinafter "Village") is a municipal corporation established and existing under the laws of the State of Illinois pursuant to the Illinois Municipal Code, 65 ILCS 5/1-1-1 *et seq.*, and

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WHEREAS the Village of Bensenville established a Senior / Disabled Grass Cutting Program in 2018, and

WHEREAS the Village of Bensenville intends to hire independent contractors to provide the grass cutting services, and

WHEREAS Spear Landscaping has submitted a contract to provide the necessary services for the Village of Bensenville Senior / Disabled Grass Cutting Program.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Bensenville, Counties of DuPage and Cook, Illinois as follows:

SECTION ONE: The recitals set forth above are incorporated herein and made a part hereof.

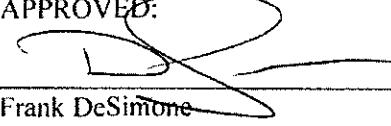
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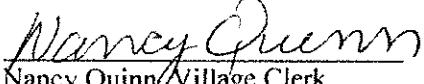
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APPROVED:


Frank DeSimone

ATTEST:


Nancy Quinn Village Clerk

AYES: Franz, Jaworska, Panicola, Perez

NAYS: None

ABSENT: Carmona, Lomax

AN AGREEMENT TO CONTRACT FOR GRASS CUTTING SERVICES

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WITNESSETH

IN CONSIDERATION of the mutual covenants herein contained and other good and valuable consideration, the sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the Parties hereto agree, as follows:

PRELIMINARY STATEMENTS

Among the matters of mutual inducement and agreement by the Parties which have resulted in this Agreement are the following:

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717 E. Jefferson Street
Bensenville, Illinois 60106
Attn: Joe Caracci

If to Contractor: Spear Landscaping, Inc.
803 Willow Court
Itasca, IL 60143
Attn: Tom Spear

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be executed on the dates specified below in Bensenville, DuPage and Cook Counties, Illinois.

EXECUTED this 12 day of March, 2019.

Village of Bensenville, DuPage and Cook Counties, Illinois, a municipal corporation

By: 

Village President

Attest:

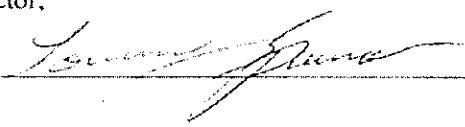


Nancy Dunn

Village Clerk

EXECUTED this 6 day of March 2019.

Contractor,

By: 

Its: CHAPET

By: _____

Its: _____

RESOLUTION NO. R-35-2019

**AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A CONTRACT WITH TOMAS
HERRERA LANDSCAPING FOR THE 2019 SENIOR / DISABLED GRASS
CUTTING PROGRAM**

WHEREAS the VILLAGE OF BENSENVILLE (hereinafter "Village") is a municipal corporation established and existing under the laws of the State of Illinois pursuant to the Illinois Municipal Code, 65 ILCS 5/1-1-1 *et seq.*, and

WHEREAS the VILLAGE is empowered to make all agreements, contracts, and engagements and to undertake other acts as necessary in the exercise of its statutory powers, and

WHEREAS the Village of Bensenville established a Senior / Disabled Grass Cutting Program in 2018, and

WHEREAS the Village of Bensenville intends to hire independent contractors to provide the grass cutting services, and

WHEREAS Tomas Herrera Landscaping has submitted a contract to provide the necessary services for the Village of Bensenville Senior / Disabled Grass Cutting Program.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Bensenville, Counties of DuPage and Cook, Illinois as follows:

SECTION ONE: The recitals set forth above are incorporated herein and made a part hereof.

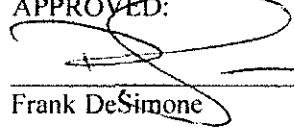
SECTION TWO: The Village Board authorizes and approves the attached Resolution authorizing a contract with Tomas Herrera Landscaping for grass cutting services as part of the 2019 Senior / Disabled Grass Cutting Program.

SECTION THREE: The Village Manger is hereby authorized and directed to execute on behalf of the Village of Bensenville, and the Deputy Clerk is hereby authorized to attest thereto, the necessary paperwork.

SECTION FOUR: This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval as provided by law.

SECTION FIVE: This Resolution is passed and approved by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Bensenville, Illinois, dated March 12, 2019

APPROVED:


Frank DeSimone

ATTEST:


Nancy Quinn, Village Clerk

AYES: Franz, Jaworska, Panicola, Perez

NAYS: None

ABSENT: Carmona, Lomax

AN AGREEMENT TO CONTRACT FOR GRASS CUTTING SERVICES

THIS AGREEMENT (the “*Agreement*”) made and entered into as of the Effective Date, as herein described, by and between the Village of Bensenville, DuPage and Cook Counties, Illinois, an Illinois municipal corporation (the “*Village*”) and Tomas Herrera Landscaping, located 348 Belle Drive, Northlake IL 60164 (the “*Contractor*”). The Village and Contractor shall herein collectively be known as the “*Parties*.”

WITNESSETH

IN CONSIDERATION of the mutual covenants herein contained and other good and valuable consideration, the sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the Parties hereto agree, as follows:

PRELIMINARY STATEMENTS

Among the matters of mutual inducement and agreement by the Parties which have resulted in this Agreement are the following:

- A. The Village is a duly organized and an existing municipal corporation created under the provisions of the laws of the State of Illinois and under the provisions of the Illinois Municipal Code, as from time to time supplemented and amended; and
- B. The Contractor is in the business of providing grass cutting services; and
- C. The Village requires grass cutting services as part of its 2019 Grass Cutting Program for Senior and Disabled Residents of the Village (the “*Program*”); and
- D. The Village and Contractor desire to enter into a contract whereby the Contractor will provide nonexclusive grass cutting services for the Program.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants, promises and conditions contained herein and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged by the Parties, the Village does hereby contract, promise and agree with the Contractor and the Contractor does likewise contract, promise and agree with the Village, as follows:

SECTION 1. SCOPE OF SERVICES

- A. The Contractor shall provide and perform grass cutting services and such related tasks as part of the Program (the “*Services*”). The Services shall be provided to participants in the Program. The Village shall identify the participants to the Contractor. The list of participants in the Program of which the Contractor shall provide Services may be amended by the Village with a five (5) day notice from the Village.

B. The "Services" shall include:

1. Spring cleanup (This will include a standard spring cleanup of leaves, twigs, branches, debris, etc. that has accumulated on the property over the winter months. The contractor will be responsible to blow debris away from the house, out of landscaping beds, and remove from the property. This will be done during the first visit of the spring and included in the weekly cost.)
2. Cutting of grass (This will include standard lawn mowing of the property, regardless of size. The contractor shall utilize grass clipping collecting mowers and haul off all debris. This service is included in the weekly cost.)
3. Edging of hardscape (This will include edging/weed whipping along any hardscape including but not limited to sidewalk, driveway, patio, etc. This does not include edging of landscaping beds, tree mulch rings, or other soft scape features. This service is included in the weekly cost.)
4. Fall cleanup (This service will include a standard fall cleanup of leaves, twigs, branches, etc. that have accumulated on the property over the summer/fall months. The contractor will be responsible to blow debris away from the house, out of landscaping beds, and remove from the property. This will be done after grass cutting is complete and scheduled with the Public Works Department. It is anticipated that this work will be completed during the first two weeks of November. This service is included in the weekly cost.)

C. The Services shall be provided on a weekly basis starting the week of April 8, 2019 and continue through November 1, 2019. The Village may, at its direction, extend the length between services or modify the end date, as necessary.

D. The Contractor shall not apply any chemical or fertilizer to any property to which the Service is provided.

SECTION 2. FEES FOR SERVICE

The Village shall pay to the Contractor as full compensation for Services the amount of Twenty-five and no/100 Dollars (\$25.00) for each property receiving Service from the Contractor to a Program participant; provided that the Contractor shall submit a written, detailed invoice to the Village stating all Service Options provided, the name of the participant, the address at which the Service was provided, and the date such Service was provided within thirty (30) days of performing the Service Option.

The Village shall have fifteen (15) days from receipt of the invoice to review such invoice and question any charge appearing therein. Any questioned charge by the Village shall be in

writing to the Contractor and made within fifteen (15) days from receipt of the invoice. The Contractor shall have fifteen (15) days following the receipt of such written notification by the Village to provide appropriate documentation to contest any calculation contained in the statement. If the results of such contest shows that any amount paid to the Contractor was less or more than an amount paid, either the Village shall pay to the Contractor the balance of such amount within thirty (30) days of the completion of such contest, or the Contractor shall pay to the Village the amount of any overpayment within thirty (30) days of the completion of such contest, whichever is applicable. In the event that no contest is initiated as set forth above, such payment shall be deemed correct and not subject to contest by the Contractor thereafter.

The Village is subject to the Prompt Payment Act. All payments shall be made within thirty (30) days from receipt of invoice, barring any aforementioned discrepancies.

The Contractor covenants and agrees not to receive, expect or accrue any other form of compensation for the Services for any other services, cost, fee or expense that is direct or indirectly incurred or expended by the Contractor in the performance of the Services, unless such form of compensation is separately and expressly permitted in writing by the Parties, nor further claim entitlement to any such additional form of compensation or benefit not specified herein.

SECTION 3. INSURANCE; HOLD HARMLESS; INDEMNIFICATION

A. Prior to providing any Services, the Contractor shall provide the Village with a Certificate of Insurance for general and comprehensive liability, automobile insurance and excess liability and umbrella insurance in an amount not less than One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00), per occurrence, unless such additional coverage is required by law or recommended by industry standard, and as designating the Village as an additional insured party with all the rights of a primary insured. Said insurance shall remain in place during the term of this Agreement. Failure by the Contractor, at any point in time to maintain said insurance coverage or to maintain such under insurance coverage, shall not relieve the Contractor of any and all indemnifications, representations, warranties, and covenants herein contained. The Contractor expressly understands and agrees that any insurance protection furnished by the Contractor hereunder shall in no way limit its responsibility to indemnify and hold harmless the Village pursuant to this Agreement.

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in the defense of such proceedings and be available for any litigation related appearances which may be required. Further, the Contractor shall be entitled to settle any and all claims for money, in such amounts and upon such terms as to payment as it may deem appropriate, without the prior approval or consent of the Village, its officers, officials, agents, attorneys, representatives and employees as the case may be, provided the Village, its officers, officials, agents, attorneys, representatives and employees as the case may be shall not be required to contribute to such settlement. To the extent permissible by law, the Contractor waives any limits to the amount of its obligations to indemnify, defend or contribute to any sums due under any indemnification claim, including any claim by any employee or representative of the Contractor that may be subject to the Workers Compensation Act, 820 ILCS 305/1 *et seq.*, or any other related law or judicial decision.

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The Village and Contractor covenant and agree that the Village shall have the right to terminate this Agreement, in its absolute right, after five (5) days written notice to the Contractor. The Village and Contractor further covenant and agree that the Contractor shall have the right to terminate this Agreement, in its absolute right, after ten (10) days written notice to the Village.

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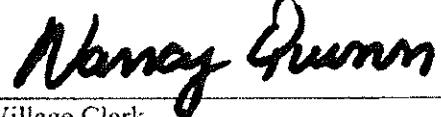
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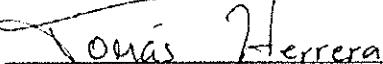


Village Clerk

EXECUTED this 19 day of February 2019.

Contractor,

By:



Tomas Herrera

Its:

Owner _____

By:

Its:
