

RESOLUTION NO. 2012-194

Adopted by the Sacramento City Council

June 19, 2012

SUSPEND COMPETITIVE BIDDING AND RELEASE A REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL TO SOLICIT QUALIFIED CONTRACTORS FOR PROCUREMENT OF TREE PRUNING AND REMOVAL SERVICES.

BACKGROUND

- A. Contracted tree pruning and removal services supplement the work performed by City staff and are needed to address maintenance of the urban forest in an efficient and timely manner. The recommended contract will provide scheduled and emergency tree pruning and tree removal services.
- B. Maintenance pruning is desirable and necessary to remove dead, diseased, or insect-infested branches and to improve tree structure and reduce risk, enhance vigor, and to maintain clearance over the City's streets, bike lanes, and sidewalks.

BASED ON THE FACTS SET FORTH IN THE BACKGROUND, THE CITY COUNCIL RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. It is in the best interests of the City to suspend competitive bidding for tree pruning and removal services.

Section 2. Competitive bidding for tree pruning and removal services is hereby suspended.

Section 3. Staff is authorized to issue a Request for Proposal (RFP) to solicit qualified contractors for tree pruning and removal services for a total amount not to exceed \$3,000,000.00 for a maximum of three years

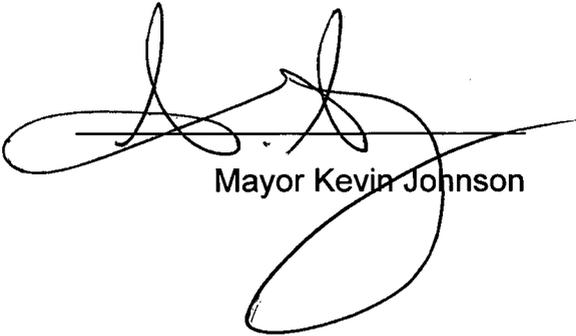
Adopted by the City of Sacramento City Council on June 19, 2012 by the following vote:

Ayes: Councilmembers Ashby, Cohn, D Fong, R Fong, McCarty, Pannell, Schenirer, Sheedy, and Mayor Johnson.

Noes: None.

Abstain: None.

Absent: None.



Mayor Kevin Johnson

Attest:



Shirley Concolino, City Clerk