



ORDINANCE NO. 240618

Green Infrastructure Maintenance Program

Authorizing an expenditure of \$1,100,000.00 for Facility Repair and Maintenance contracts during Year 1 (FY25) of the Green Infrastructure Maintenance Program; authorizing four successive one-year renewals for Facility Repair and Maintenance contracts without further City Council approval; authorizing a maximum expenditure of \$5,500,000.00; and recognizing this ordinance as having an accelerated effective date.

July 30, 2024

Transportation, Infrastructure & Operations
Committee



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- **Job opportunities** for local landscape contractors with focus on MBE/WBE businesses
- **Long-term solutions** for meeting green infrastructure maintenance needs
- **Partnerships** for improved green infrastructure maintenance
- **Growth of a green workforce** through training and certification

Four companies will be awarded a contract Year 1:

- *Common Nature*
- *DuPree Landscaping & Lawn Care LLC*
- *Lotus Lawncare & Services LLC*
- *Snoop's Lawn Mowing LLC*



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PROACTIVE CONTRACTOR ENGAGEMENT

Spring/Summer 2023

- Calls to M/W/D/SLBE landscaping firms to solicit interest in program participation
- Invitation to contractor education and outreach event mailed and emailed to 16 M/W/S/SLBE firms expressing interest

Fall 2023

- Contractor Education & Outreach event 8/29/2023 ahead of RFQ
- Pre-RFQ Submittal Meeting 9/28/2023

Late Winter/Early Spring 2024

- Pre-qualified contractor pricing and scoping coordination
- Additional outreach to KC Parks, Neighborhood Services, and Land Bank maintenance contractors for future participation



YOU'RE INVITED! 

KC Water is hosting an outreach event to introduce local landscape contractors to the new **KC Water Green Maintenance Program**, which will support the long-term maintenance of green infrastructure sites throughout the city.

Join us on August 29th to learn more about how the program will provide:

- **Job Opportunities** for local landscape contractors
- **Long-Term Solutions** for meeting green infrastructure maintenance needs
- **A Better System** for green infrastructure maintenance
- **Growth of a Green Workforce** through training and certification

Date: Tuesday, August 29, 2023
Time: 3:00 - 5:00 PM
Location: KC Water Services
Missouri River Room
4800 E. 63rd Street
Kansas City, Missouri 64130

Schedule:

3:00 - 3:30	Welcome & Open House
3:30 - 4:30	Presentation & Questions
4:30 - 5:00	Green Infrastructure Site Tour around KC Water Campus

For more information about Green Infrastructure and the Smart Sewer Program, visit our website:



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M/WBE CREO KC Goals

CREO KC established goals of 23% MBE and 0% WBE on this design professional services project on July 10, 2024.

MBE Firms

Lotus Lawncare & Services LLC

WBE Firms

N/A

THANK YOU

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