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**Award of 2019 Outsourcé of Mowing Bid**

To: BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

The following bids were received to outsource the mowing services for 58 of the Joliet Park District parks consisting of approximately 130 acres:

<b>Contractor</b>	<b>Base Bid</b>	<b>Alternate 1 Airport</b>	<b>Alternate 2 Splash</b>
Beary Landscape	\$72,800.00	\$3,526.00	\$85.00 per cut
C&T Lawn and Landscape	\$156,861.00	\$2,432.00	\$314.00
Carefree Lawn Maintenance	\$70,862.40	\$3,096.00	\$40.00 per cut
Hispano Lawn Maintenance	\$138,808.50	\$10,831.50	\$7,250.00

**Advertisement Information**

The bid was advertised in the Herald News on January 22, 2019.


**Funding**

Funding will come from the 2019 General Operations Fund

**RECOMMENDATION:** It is the staff's recommendation to award this project to Carefree Lawn Maintenance Inc., 17751 Gougar Road, Lockport, IL 60441 for one year in the amount of \$70,862.40 with an optional rollover into years two and three. No alternates are being recommended for this project.

  
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