



LEXINGTON

Bid 42-2020 Addendum 2
Skybax Ecological Services, LLC
Supplier Response

Event Information

Number: Bid 42-2020 Addendum 2
Title: Greenway Maintenance
Type: Competitive Bid
Issue Date: 3/12/2020
Deadline: 4/16/2020 02:00 PM (ET)

Contact Information

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Skybax Ecological Services, LLC Information

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ONLY ONLINE BIDS WILL BE ACCEPTED FOR THIS SOLICITATION.

Gary Libby
Signature

Submitted at 4/16/2020 5:55:08 AM

garylibby@windstream.net
Email

Response Attachments

addendum1_Skybax_Eco_001.jpg

addendum 1

addendum2_Skybax_Eco_002.pdf

addendum 2

affidavit_Skybax_Eco_003.pdf

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required submittal

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workforce analysis



ADDENDUM #1

Bid Number: **#42-2020**

Date: April 9, 2020

Subject: **Greenway Maintenance**

Address inquiries to:
Kristie Thomas
(859) 258-3320

TO ALL PROSPECTIVE SUBMITTERS:

Please be advised of the following clarifications to the above referenced Bid:

1. The bid has been changed to an online only submission. Required submission forms have been uploaded to Ionwave replacing original bid document file.
2. Complete and sign (where appropriate) the bid documents and upload them to the Ion Wave system on the Response Attachments tab of the bid page.
3. Enter your name and email address which indicates your acceptance of the bid terms and conditions on the Response Submission tab.

Todd Slatin, Director
Division of Central Purchasing

All other terms and conditions of the Bid and specifications are unchanged.
This letter should be signed, attached to and become a part of your Bid.

COMPANY NAME: Stybox Ecological Services, LLC

ADDRESS: PO Box 1093, Berea, KY 40403

SIGNATURE OF BIDDER: Guy Wiley





ADDENDUM #2

Bid Number: **#42-2020**

Date: April 9, 2020

Subject: **Greenway Maintenance**

Address inquiries to:
Kristie Thomas
(859) 258-3320

TO ALL PROSPECTIVE SUBMITTERS:

Please be advised of the following clarifications to the above referenced Bid:

1. LFUCG Risk Management Provisions have been uploaded to Ionwave.

Todd Slatin, Director
Division of Central Purchasing

All other terms and conditions of the Bid and specifications are unchanged.
This letter should be signed, attached to and become a part of your Bid.

COMPANY NAME: Stybox Ecological Services LLC

ADDRESS: PO Box 1093, Berea KY 40403

SIGNATURE OF BIDDER: Cog Wiley



This Affidavit must be completed before your firm can be considered for award of this contract.

AFFIDAVIT

Comes the Affiant, _____, and after being first duly sworn under penalty of perjury as follows:

1. His/her name is Gary Libby and he/she is the individual submitting the bid or is the authorized representative of Skybox Ecological Services LLC, the entity submitting the bid (hereinafter referred to as "Bidder")
2. Bidder will pay all taxes and fees, which are owed to the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government at the time the bid is submitted, prior to award of the contract and will maintain a "current" status in regard to those taxes and fees during the life of the contract.
3. Bidder will obtain a Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government business license, if applicable, prior to award of the contract.
4. Bidder has authorized the Division of Central Purchasing to verify the above-mentioned information with the Division of Revenue and to disclose to the Urban County Council that taxes and/or fees are delinquent or that a business license has not been obtained.
5. Bidder has not knowingly violated any provision of the campaign finance laws of the Commonwealth of Kentucky within the past five (5) years and the award of a contract to the Bidder will not violate any provision of the campaign finance laws of the Commonwealth.
6. Bidder has not knowingly violated any provision of Chapter 25 of the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government Code of Ordinances, known as "Ethics Act."
7. Bidder acknowledges that "knowingly" for purposes of this Affidavit means, with respect to conduct or to circumstances described by a statute or ordinance defining an offense, that a person is aware or should have been aware that his conduct is of that nature or that the circumstance exists.

Further, Affiant sayeth naught. _____

STATE OF Kentucky

COUNTY OF _____

The foregoing instrument was subscribed, sworn to and acknowledged before me

by Gary Wiley on this the 16th day
of April, 2020.

My Commission expires: _____

NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE AT LARGE

Please refer to Section II, Bid Conditions, Item "U" prior to completing this form.

WORKFORCE ANALYSIS FORM

Name of Organization: Skybox Ecological Services, LLC

Categories	Total	White (Not Hispanic or Latino)		Hispanic or Latino		Black or African-American (Not Hispanic or Latino)		Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander (Not Hispanic or Latino)		Asian (Not Hispanic or Latino)		American Indian or Alaskan Native (not Hispanic or Latino)		Two or more races (Not Hispanic or Latino)		Total	
		M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
Administrators																	
Professionals																	
Superintendents																	
Supervisors	1	1															1
Foremen																	
Technicians	3	3															3
Protective Service																	
Para-Professionals																	
Office/Clerical																	
Skilled Craft																	
Service/Maintenan																	
Total:	4	4															4

Prepared by: Gay Lilly
(Name and Title)

Date: 04 / 16 / 2020



April 16, 2020

1) Skybax Ecological Services, LLC, is a small business headquartered in central Kentucky. We provide specialized ecological restoration and vegetation management services such as invasive species control, brush clearing and chipping, native tree and shrub planting, native herbaceous plant and seed installation, native warm season grasses establishment, riparian buffer enhancement, pollinator beds, and rain gardens. We are a small, but specialized, company that has been providing quality service since 2005. Skybax Ecological Services also provides design plans and native species selection for restoration and enhancement projects. We have professional liability insurance and Workers Compensation.

2) Four (4) references for jobs performed in the past three (3) years:

Preston's Cave Spring Park (2018) – Contact: Ken Cooke, Friends of Wolf Run (859) 940-8234 or Chris Cooperider, LFUCG Parks and Recreation, ccooperrider@lexingtonky.gov Treatment of areas (2 acres) severely infested with bush honeysuckle, provided and planted native trees and shrubs (300), assisted with annual work day for volunteers. \$13,625.00

Wildcat Chase (2017 & 2018) – Contact: Jerry Weisenfluh, Colony Neighborhood Association, jerryweisenfluh@gmail.com Removal and chipping of bush honeysuckle in a 1.5 acre forested headwater of a small stream, obtaining and planting native trees, shrubs, providing and installing native grasses and wildflowers as plugs and by seeding, debris removal. \$6,093.00.

Eastway Wetland (2017) – Contact: Eric Spangler, Hill-N-Dale Neighborhood Association, etspangler@yahoo.com Removal and chipping of bush honeysuckle (about 1 acre) and providing and planting native trees and shrubs (150) at a unique wetland seep area located along Eastway Drive. \$5,950.00.

St. Raphael's Church, Tobet's Trace Park (2018 and 2019) – Contact: Dave Sevigny (859) 312-5157, St. Raphael's Church (859) Removal and chipping of bush honeysuckle (1.5 acres), planted 200 native shrubs (dogwood), treated other problematic invasive species such as field thistle, poison hemlock, multiflora rose, garlic mustard, and Johnson grass, established a 1-acre native grass and wildflower meadow outside of a riparian buffer zone. \$7,500.00.

South Elkhorn and Wolf Run Pump Station rain garden maintenance (2018 – 2019, 12 months) – Contact: Demetria Kimball Mehlhorn (859) 425-2554. Monthly weeding, trimming and mulching, debris and trash removal of two rain gardens in Lexington. We have installed native plants in these rain gardens as well. \$2,880.00.

3) Gary Libby – Supervisor/Principal Ecologist, Kentucky Department of Agriculture Pesticide Applicator’s License (Applicator ID# 24224, License #48524), design and implementation

Jacob Hamrick – Vegetation Management Technician, experienced tree and shrub planter, brush chipping, weeding, mulching, native seed collection

Vacant – Vegetation Management Technician, brush chipping, planting trees and shrubs, weeding, seeding, mulching

Porter Libby – GIS Technician, design and layout, native plant installation