

CITY OF KINGSLEY  
COUNCIL MEETING

October 26, 2020 Special Zoom Meeting due to COVID 19

Present:

Becky Beld  
Aliki Royalty

Lesa Ferguson  
Marilyn Whisler

George Burns

Mayor Beld called to order at 8:00 PM a special commissioners meeting via a Zoom online meeting due to the COVID 19 Social Distancing Requirements enacted by Governor Beshear. The purpose of the meeting was to review the traffic island landscaping proposals submitted by local nurseries in the past few months.

DROPSEED NURSERY:

Dropseed was the first to submit a landscaping plan. They proposed 191 shrubs and plants at a cost of \$1952 with no soil amendment and no planting assistance. Concern was expressed that if a plant died, we would not be able to identify whether the plant was at fault, or the planting method.

FRANK OTTE:

Their design concept is \$13,250.52 for the traffic island only.

FRESHLOOK SERVICES:

They submitted a design concept of Boxwoods that would require trimming, Pygmy Barberry bushes about 3 feet apart, Stella D'Oro lilies and other plants with flagstone pavers up to the flag pole. The pavers would allow someone easy access to the flag pole when raising or lowering the flag. This would also include similar planting in Kingsley Green at the paved walkway. The cost is \$7300.

PLANT KINGDOM:

They submitted a design concept with a Magnolia tree that would engulf the island when fully mature, Golden Juniper bushes, Russian sage plants and spreading liriopse. The cost is \$4202.54. Concern was expressed that a tree in the traffic island would interfere with the flag pole, and liriopse is very invasive.

WALLITSCH'S

Their proposal included Velvet Boxwoods that would require trimming, Pink Saucer Magnolias at the walkway in Kingsley Green, and a flagstone walkway up to the flag pole. Additionally, they suggested top soil, mulch and fertilizer at a cost of \$5861.34

George made a motion to accept the Wallitsch's proposal. Lesa seconded and the motion was approved.

CLOSING:

Aliki made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Lesa seconded and the meeting was adjourned at 8:21 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Marilyn Whisler  
City Clerk  
City of Kingsley

Becky Beld  
Mayor  
City of Kingsley