

PROPOSAL SUBMITTED BY:

Semper Fi Land Services, Inc.

Contractor's Name

1275 Golfview Street

Street

P.O. Box

Aurora

IL

60506

City

State

Zip Code



**CITY OF AURORA
KANE COUNTY
STATE OF ILLINOIS**

PROPOSAL AND SPECIFICATIONS FOR

LANDSCAPE MAINTENANCE OF RAIN GARDENS AND MISCELLANEOUS STORM BMPS

AURORA, ILLINOIS

May 2024

Bid 24-044

**PREPARED BY
CITY OF AURORA
Engineering Division
77 S. Broadway Avenue
AURORA, ILLINOIS 60507**

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City of Aurora
Bid 24-044
NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Time and Place of Opening of Bids

Sealed proposals for the improvement described below will be received at the office of the City Clerk, 44 E Downer Place, First Floor, Aurora, IL 60507 until 11:00 AM, Wednesday, May 29, 2024. Proposals will be opened and read publicly via a non-mandatory teleconferenced and live streamed bid opening at 11:00 AM, Wednesday, May 29, 2024, access details to be provided to all plan holders.

Description of Work

Name: Landscape Maintenance of Rain Gardens and Miscellaneous Storm BMPs

Location: See attached exhibits for detailed locations

Proposed Improvement: This improvement consists of the maintenance of existing native and non-native planted areas within bio-filtration basins, raingardens, bio-swales, and landscaped buffers as well as any other miscellaneous appurtenances all in accordance with the plans and specifications.

Bidder Instructions

1. Plans, specifications, and proposal forms will be available on Monday, May 13, 2024 and may be obtained online at: <https://www.aurora-il.org/bids.aspx>.
2. Inquiries and/or questions pertaining to the provisions and specifications of this bid package shall be directed to the Director of Purchasing, in writing at PurchasingDL@aurora.il.us. Questions will be accepted until 8 AM, CST, Tuesday, May 21, 2024. Questions will be answered via addendum and posted to the City's website at <https://www.aurora-il.org/bids.aspx> by 4 PM, CST, Thursday, May 23, 2024. NO questions will be accepted or answered verbally. No questions will be accepted or answered after the May 21, 2024 8AM cut-off date/time. It is the bidder's responsibility to check the website before submitting their proposal.
3. **Bidding Prequalification Requirement:** To be deemed qualified to obtain a bid package for this work the Contractor must provide proof of certification as a licensed Pesticide Applicator as well as Pesticide Operator certifications for all employees that will be applying pesticides. The certifications shall be through the Ill Department of Agriculture. The Contractor must also provide proof of NWCG S-130/S-190 certification on prescription burn techniques, fire behavior, and smoke management.
4. The City of Aurora is seeking a three-year contract, with two additional one-year extensions mutually agreeable to both parties. The unit prices listed in the schedule of prices shall remain the same if an extension is mutually agreeable to both parties. Please note the anticipated annual quantities are listed in the schedule of prices.
5. The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive technicalities and to reject any or all proposals as provided in Standard Provisions for Bidding Requirements and Conditions for Contract Proposals contained in the "Supplemental Specifications and Recurring Special Provisions".
6. Any bidder who owes the City money may be disqualified at the City's discretion.
7. The City encourages minority business firms to submit proposals and encourages the successful contract bidder to utilize minority businesses as subcontractors for supplies, equipment, services, and construction.
8. Submission of a bid shall be conclusive assurance and warranty the bidder has examined the plans and understands all requirements for the performance of work. The bidder will be responsible for all errors in the proposal resulting from failure or neglect to conduct an in depth examination. The Awarding Authority will, in no case be responsible for any costs, expenses, losses, or changes in anticipated profits resulting from such failure or neglect of the bidder.
9. The City of Aurora has a local preferences ordinance that would apply to this contract.

By Order of
City Clerk
City of Aurora

PROPOSAL

TO: THE HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL

CITY OF AURORA

44 EAST DOWNER PLACE

AURORA, ILLINOIS 60507

1. Proposal of Semper Fi Land Services, Inc.
for the improvement known as **Bid 24-044 Landscape Maintenance of Rain Gardens and Miscellaneous Storm BMPs.**
2. The plans and specifications for the proposed improvements are those prepared by the City of Aurora Engineering Division and approved by the City Council of Aurora, Illinois.
3. In submitting this proposal, the undersigned declares that the only persons or parties interested in the proposal as principals are those named herein, and that the proposal is made without collusion with any person, firm, or corporation.
4. The undersigned further declares that he has carefully examined the proposals, plans, specifications, form of contract and contract bond, and special provisions, if any, and that he has inspected in detail the site of the proposed work and that he has familiarized himself with all of the local conditions affecting the contract and detailed requirements of construction, and understands that in making this proposal he waives all right to plead any misunderstanding regarding the same.
5. The undersigned further understands and agrees that if the proposal is accepted, he is to furnish and provide all necessary machinery, tools, apparatus and other means of construction and to do all of the work and to furnish all of the materials and labor required.
6. The undersigned declares that he understands that the quantities mentioned are approximate only, and that they are subject to increase or decrease; that he will take in full payment therefore the amount of the summation of the actual quantities, as finally determined, and multiplied by the unit prices shown in the schedule of prices contained herein.
7. The undersigned agrees that the unit prices submitted herewith are for the purpose of obtaining a gross sum and for use in computing the value of extras and deductions; that if there is a discrepancy between the gross sum bid and that resulting from the summation of the quantities multiplied by their respective unit prices, the latter shall apply.
8. The undersigned agrees that if the City decides to extend or shorten the improvement, or otherwise alter it by extras or deductions, including the elimination of any one or more of the items, as provided in the specifications, he will perform the work as altered, increased or decreased, at the contract unit prices without claim for profits lost as a result of any work or items eliminated by the City of Aurora.
9. The undersigned agrees that the Engineer may, at any time during the progress of the work covered by this contract, order other work or materials incidental thereto, and that all such work and materials as do not

18. The City of Aurora reserves the right to reject any or all of the bids and to waive any and all irregularities and technicalities. The City of Aurora shall either award the project or reject the bids within Sixty (60) calendar days after the bid opening. This time frame may be extended upon mutual agreement of the City and the Bidder.
19. The undersigned of this proposal agrees that he or she has examined all sections of this Proposal, Specifications, and Bidding Documents and hereby understands and accepts the provisions for access, or the lack of access, to the construction site and shall claim no compensation other than the prices as bid for this condition of accessibility.
20. The undersigned further agrees that the unit prices submitted herewith are for the complete item constructed, including all labor, equipment, material and other necessary incidental work.
21. The undersigned agrees to indemnifying and saving harmless the City of Aurora, its officers, agents, employees, and servants by filing with the City, prior to the execution of the contract, copies of completed Certificates of Insurance satisfactory to the City, with the City of Aurora named as co-insured; automobile liability insurance covering owned, non-owned, and hired vehicles with limits of liability as stated in the City of Aurora - General Specifications Article 6.7.
22. No bid shall be considered unless the party offering it shall furnish evidence satisfactory to the City of Aurora that he has been previously engaged in the quality construction of improvements of the same character as the one herein specified, and that he has the necessary facilities, equipment, experience, and ability and pecuniary resources to fulfill the conditions of the contract.
23. No contract will be awarded to any bidder where that bidder or any principal or supervisory personnel of the bidder has been personally involved with another business that has been delinquent or unfaithful in any former contract with the City or where that bidder or any supervisory personnel of the bidder has been personally involved with another business that is a defaulter as surety or otherwise upon obligation to the City.
24. The Illinois Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) has been amended and effective January 1, 2010, adds a new provision to Section 7 of the Act which applies to public records in the possession of a party with whom the City of Aurora has contracted. The City of Aurora will have only a very short period of time from receipt of a FOIA request to comply with the request, and there is a significant amount of work required to process a request including collating and reviewing the information. The undersigned acknowledges the requirements of FOIA and agrees to comply with all requests made by the City of Aurora for public records (as that term is defined by Section 2(c) of FOIA) in the undersigned's possession and to provide the requested public records to the City of Aurora within two (2) business days of the request being made by the City of Aurora. The undersigned agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the City of Aurora from all claims, costs, penalty, losses and injuries (including but not limited to, attorney's fees, other professional fees, court costs and/or arbitration or other dispute resolution costs) arising out of or relating to its failure to provide the public records to the City of Aurora under this agreement.
25. The undersigned submits herewith this **Schedule of Prices** covering the work to be performed under this contract:



**Schedule of Prices
Landscape Maintenance of
Rain Gardens and Miscellaneous Storm BMPs**

Route	Various
County	Kane
Local Agency	City of Aurora
Section	

RETURN WITH BID

(For complete information covering these items, see specifications)

#	ITEM	UNIT	QUANTITY	UNIT PRICE	Total
Site 1 - Kensington Place and Russell Avenue Rain Gardens					
1.1	General Maintenance Visit	Each	10	\$ 213.00	\$2,130.00
1.2	Hardwood Mulch – Supply and Install	C.Y.	17	\$ 38.00	\$646.00
1.3	Hardwood Mulch – Installation Only	C.Y.	17	\$ 33.00	\$561.00
1.4	Seasonal Pruning	Lump Sum	1	\$ 200.00	\$200.00
1.5	Preemergent Herbicide	Each	2	\$ 175.00	\$350.00
Site 2 - Spring Street East of 4th Street Rain Garden					
2.1	General Maintenance Visit	Each	10	\$ 213.00	\$2,130.00
2.2	Hardwood Mulch – Supply and Install	C.Y.	25	\$ 38.00	\$950.00
2.3	Hardwood Mulch – Installation Only	C.Y.	25	\$ 33.00	\$825.00
2.4	Seasonal Pruning	Lump Sum	1	\$ 200.00	\$200.00
2.5	Preemergent Herbicide	Each	2	\$ 175.00	\$350.00
Site 3 - Lincoln Avenue/Metra Parking Lot Bioswale					
3.1	General Maintenance Visit	Each	10	\$ 270.00	\$2,700.00
3.2	Conservation Mowing	Each	1	\$ 200.00	\$200.00
3.3	Prescribed Burn	Each	1	\$ 1,200.00	\$1,200.00
Site 4 - RiverEdge Park Bioswale Behind 400 North Broadway Avenue Building					
4.1	General Maintenance Visit	Each	10	\$ 280.00	\$2,800.00
4.2	Conservation Mowing	Each	1	\$ 200.00	\$200.00
4.3	Prescribed Burn	Each	1	\$ 1,800.00	\$1,800.00
Site 5 Lafayette and Euclid Rain Garden					
5.1	General Maintenance Visit	Each	10	\$ 188.00	\$1,880.00
5.2	Hardwood Mulch – Supply and Install	C.Y.	17	\$ 38.00	\$646.00
5.3	Hardwood Mulch – Installation Only	C.Y.	17	\$ 33.00	\$561.00
5.4	Seasonal Pruning	Lump Sum	1	\$ 120.00	\$120.00
5.5	Preemergent Herbicide	Each	2	\$ 150.00	\$300.00
Site 6 Lebanon and Euclid Rain Garden					
6.1	General Maintenance Visit	Each	10	\$ 113.00	\$1,130.00
6.2	Hardwood Mulch – Supply and Install	C.Y.	10	\$ 38.00	\$380.00
6.3	Hardwood Mulch – Installation only	C.Y.	10	\$ 33.00	\$330.00
6.4	Seasonal Pruning	Lump Sum	1	\$ 150.00	\$150.00
6.5	Preemergent Herbicide	Each	2	\$ 120.00	\$240.00

				UNIT PRICE	Total
Site 7 Simms and Logan Raingarden					
7.1	General Maintenance Visit	Each	10	\$ 113.00	\$1,130.00
7.2	Hardwood Mulch – Supply and Install	C.Y.	12	\$ 38.00	\$456.00
7.3	Hardwood Mulch – Installation Only	C.Y.	12	\$ 33.00	\$396.00
7.4	Seasonal Pruning	Lump Sum	1	\$ 150.00	\$150.00
7.5	Preemergent Herbicide	Each	2	\$ 90.00	\$180.00
Site 8 Simms and Concord Raingarden					
8.1	General Maintenance Visit	Each	10	\$ 128.00	\$1,280.00
8.2	Hardwood Mulch – Supply and Install	C.Y.	11	\$ 38.00	\$418.00
8.3	Hardwood Mulch – Installation Only	C.Y.	11	\$ 33.00	\$363.00
8.4	Seasonal Pruning	Lump Sum	1	\$ 150.00	\$150.00
8.5	Preemergent Herbicide	Each	2	\$ 95.00	\$190.00
Site 9 Simms and Douglas Raingarden					
9.1	General Maintenance Visit	Each	10	\$ 120.00	\$1,200.00
9.2	Hardwood Mulch – Supply and Install	C.Y.	13	\$ 38.00	\$494.00
9.3	Hardwood Mulch – Installation Only	C.Y.	13	\$ 33.00	\$429.00
9.4	Seasonal Pruning	Lump Sum	1	\$ 150.00	\$150.00
9.5	Preemergent Herbicide	Each	2	\$ 100.00	\$200.00
Site 10 Simms and Lebanon Raingarden					
10.1	General Maintenance Visit	Each	10	\$ 175.00	\$1,750.00
10.2	Hardwood Mulch – Supply and Install	C.Y.	17	\$ 38.00	\$646.00
10.3	Hardwood Mulch – Installation Only	C.Y.	17	\$ 33.00	\$561.00
10.4	Seasonal Pruning	Lump Sum	1	\$ 150.00	\$150.00
10.5	Preemergent Herbicide	Each	2	\$ 125.00	\$250.00
Site 11 Simms and Lafayette Raingarden					
11.1	General Maintenance Visit	Each	10	\$ 150.00	\$1,500.00
11.2	Hardwood Mulch – Supply and Install	C.Y.	21	\$ 38.00	\$798.00
11.3	Hardwood Mulch – Installation Only	C.Y.	21	\$ 33.00	\$693.00
11.4	Seasonal Pruning	Lump Sum	1	\$ 150.00	\$150.00
11.5	Preemergent Herbicide	Each	2	\$ 150.00	\$300.00
Site 12 Simms and 4th Raingarden					
12.1	General Maintenance Visit	Each	10	\$ 150.00	\$1,500.00
12.2	Hardwood Mulch – Supply and Install	C.Y.	20	\$ 38.00	\$760.00
12.3	Hardwood Mulch – Installation Only	C.Y.	20	\$ 33.00	\$660.00
12.4	Seasonal Pruning	Lump Sum	1	\$ 150.00	\$150.00
12.5	Preemergent Herbicide	Each	2	\$ 150.00	\$300.00
Site 13 Simms and Pearl					
13.1	General Maintenance Visit	Each	10	\$ 110.00	\$1,100.00
13.2	Hardwood Mulch – Supply and Install	C.Y.	11	\$ 38.00	\$418.00
13.3	Hardwood Mulch – Installation Only	C.Y.	11	\$ 33.00	\$363.00
13.4	Seasonal Pruning	Lump Sum	1	\$ 150.00	\$150.00
13.5	Preemergent Herbicide	Each	2	\$ 95.00	\$190.00

Site 14 Marion and Sexton Raingarden				UNIT PRICE	Total
14.1	General Maintenance Visit	Each	10	\$ 175.00	\$1,750.00
14.2	Hardwood Mulch – Supply and Install	C.Y.	23	\$ 38.00	\$874.00
14.3	Hardwood Mulch – Installation Only	C.Y.	23	\$ 33.00	\$759.00
14.4	Seasonal Pruning	Lump Sum	1	\$ 150.00	\$150.00
14.5	Preemergent Herbicide	Each	2	\$ 165.00	\$330.00
Site 15 Marion and Lebanon Raingarden					
15.1	General Maintenance Visit	Each	10	\$ 125.00	\$1,250.00
15.2	Hardwood Mulch – Supply and Install	C.Y.	12	\$ 38.00	\$456.00
15.3	Hardwood Mulch – Installation Only	C.Y.	12	\$ 33.00	\$396.00
15.4	Seasonal Pruning	Lump Sum	1	\$ 150.00	\$150.00
15.5	Preemergent Herbicide	Each	2	\$ 95.00	\$190.00
Site 16 Marion and Lafayette Raingarden					
16.1	General Maintenance Visit	Each	10	\$ 130.00	\$1,300.00
16.2	Hardwood Mulch – Supply and Install	C.Y.	13	\$ 38.00	\$494.00
16.3	Hardwood Mulch – Installation Only	C.Y.	13	\$ 33.00	\$429.00
16.4	Seasonal Pruning	Lump Sum	1	\$ 150.00	\$150.00
16.5	Preemergent Herbicide	Each	2	\$ 98.00	\$196.00
Site 17 4th and Center Raingarden					
17.1	General Maintenance Visit	Each	10	\$ 145.00	\$1,450.00
17.2	Hardwood Mulch – Supply and Install	C.Y.	18	\$ 38.00	\$684.00
17.3	Hardwood Mulch – Installation Only	C.Y.	18	\$ 33.00	\$594.00
17.4	Seasonal Pruning	Lump Sum	1	\$ 150.00	\$150.00
17.5	Preemergent Herbicide	Each	2	\$ 128.00	\$256.00
Site 18 4th and Clark Raingarden					
18.1	General Maintenance Visit	Each	10	\$ 170.00	\$1,700.00
18.2	Hardwood Mulch – Supply and Install	C.Y.	22	\$ 38.00	\$836.00
18.3	Hardwood Mulch – Installation Only	C.Y.	22	\$ 33.00	\$726.00
18.4	Seasonal Pruning	Lump Sum	1	\$ 150.00	\$150.00
18.5	Preemergent Herbicide	Each	2	\$ 150.00	\$300.00
Site 19 5th and Clark Raingarden					
19.1	General Maintenance Visit	Each	10	\$ 200.00	\$2,000.00
19.2	Hardwood Mulch – Supply and Install	C.Y.	10	\$ 38.00	\$380.00
19.3	Hardwood Mulch – Installation Only	C.Y.	10	\$ 33.00	\$330.00
19.4	Seasonal Pruning	Lump Sum	1	\$ 150.00	\$150.00
19.5	Preemergent Herbicide	Each	2	\$ 90.00	\$180.00

Site 20 4th and Benton Raingarden				UNIT PRICE	Total
20.1	General Maintenance Visit	Each	10	\$ 160.00	\$1,600.00
20.2	Hardwood Mulch – Supply and Install	C.Y.	20	\$ 38.00	\$760.00
20.3	Hardwood Mulch – Installation Only	C.Y.	20	\$ 33.00	\$660.00
20.4	Seasonal Pruning	Lump Sum	1	\$ 150.00	\$150.00
20.5	Preemergent Herbicide	Each	2	\$ 100.00	\$200.00
Site 21 4th and Galena Raingarden					
21.1	General Maintenance Visit	Each	10	\$ 188.00	\$1,880.00
21.2	Hardwood Mulch – Supply and Install	C.Y.	12	\$ 38.00	\$456.00
21.3	Hardwood Mulch – Installation Only	C.Y.	12	\$ 33.00	\$396.00
21.4	Seasonal Pruning	Lump Sum	1	\$ 150.00	\$150.00
21.5	Preemergent Herbicide	Each	2	\$ 100.00	\$200.00
Site 22 Phillips Park					
22.1	General Maintenance Visit	Each	16	\$ 213.00	\$3,408.00
22.2	Hardwood Mulch – Supply and Install	C.Y.	55	\$ 38.00	\$2,090.00
22.3	Seasonal Pruning	Lump Sum	1	\$ 300.00	\$300.00
22.4	Preemergent Herbicide	Each	2	\$ 150.00	\$300.00
General					
23.1	Perennial Plants – 2" Plugs	Each	350	\$ 8.00	\$2,800.00
23.2	Perennial Plants – No. 1 Container	Each	350	\$ 30.00	\$10,500.00
23.3	Shrubs – No. 3 Container	Each	150	\$ 75.00	\$11,250.00
23.4	Shrubs – No. 5 Container	Each	50	\$ 1.00	\$50.00
23.5	Supplemental Watering	Unit	200	\$ 1.00	\$200.00
Bidder's Total Proposal for Anticipated Annual Maintenance =					\$98,664.00



(If an individual)

Signatures

Signature of Bidder _____

Business Address _____

(If a partnership)

Firm Name _____

Signed by _____

Business Address _____

Insert
Names and
Addresses of
All Partners

(If a corporation)

Corporate Name Semper Fi Landscaping, Inc.

Signed By 
Roberto R Velazquez, President

Business Address 1215 Deer Street
Yorkville, IL 60560

President Roberto R Velazquez

Secretary Frances M Ramirez

Treasurer Frances M Ramirez

Attest:


Frances M Ramirez, Secretary

BIDDER'S CERTIFICATION

I/We hereby certify that:

- A. A complete set of bid papers, as intended, has been received, and that I/We will abide by the contents and/or information received and/or contained herein.
B. I/We have not entered into any collusion or other unethical practices with any person, firm, or employee of the City which would in any way be construed as unethical business practice.
C. I/We have adopted a written sexual harassment policy which is in accordance with the requirements of Federal, State and local laws, regulations and policies and further certify that I/We are also in compliance with all other equal employment requirements contained in Public Act 87-1257 (effective July 1, 1993) 775 ILCS 5/2-105 (A).
D. I/We are in compliance with the most current "Prevailing Rate" of wages for laborers, mechanics and other workers as required by the State of Illinois Department of Labor.
E. I/We operate a drug free environment and drugs are not allowed in the workplace or satellite locations as well as City of Aurora sites in accordance with the Drug Free Workplace Act of January, 1992.
F. The Bidder is not barred from bidding on the Project, or entering into this contract as a result of a violation of either Section 33E-3 or 33E-4 of the Illinois Criminal Code, or any similar offense of "bid rigging" or "bid rotating" of any state or the United States.
G. I/We will submit with our bid, for all contracts in excess of \$25,000.00, a certificate indicating participation in apprenticeship and training programs approved and registered with the United States Department of Labor.

Contractor shall check the box indicating that a copy of applicable program certification is attached.

- H. I/We have obtained IDOA prequalification as a licensed Pesticide Applicator as well as Pesticide Operator certifications for all employees that will be applying pesticides. I/We have obtained NWCG S-130/S-190 certification on prescription burn techniques, fire behavior, and smoke management.

Contractor shall check the box indicating that copies of the prequalification certifications are attached.

- I. I/We will abide by all other Federal, State and local codes, rules, regulations, ordinances and statutes.
J. I/We will abide by the "Illinois Preference Act" which requires contractors to use at least 90% Illinois laborers on all public works projects that receive State funds or funds administered by the State during a period of "excessive unemployment" (Employment of Illinois Workers on Public Works Act, 30 ILCS 570/).

COMPANY NAME Semper Fi Land Services, Inc.

ADDRESS 1275 Golfview Street

CITY/STATE/ZIP CODE Aurora, IL 60506

NAME OF CORPORATE/COMPANY OFFICIAL Roberto R Velazquez

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

TITLE President

AUTHORIZED OFFICIAL SIGNATURE [Signature]

(Roberto R Velazquez, President)

DATE 5/28/2024

Subscribed and Sworn to

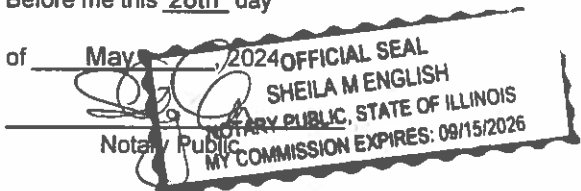
TELEPHONE (630) 518-8484

Before me this 28th day

FAX No. (630) 882-9973

of May 28, 2024

E-MAIL ADDRESS robert@semperfi.land



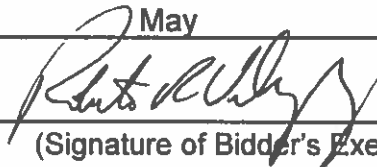
STATE OF ILLINOIS)
) ss.
County of Kane)

BIDDER'S TAX CERTIFICATION


(BIDDER'S EXECUTING OFFICER), being first duly sworn on oath, deposes and states that all statements made herein are made on behalf of the Bidder, that this despondent is authorized to make them and that the statements contained herein are true and correct.

Bidder deposes, states and certifies that Bidder is not barred from contracting with any unit of local government in the State of Illinois as result of a delinquency in payment of any tax administered by the Illinois Department of Revenue unless Bidder is contesting, in accordance with the procedures established by the appropriate statute, its liability for the tax or the amount of the tax, all as provided for in accordance with 65 ILCS 5/11-42.1-1.

DATED this 28th day of May, 2024.

By 
(Signature of Bidder's Executing Officer)
Roberto R Velazquez
(Print name of Bidder's Executing Officer)
President
(Title)

ATTEST/WITNESS:

By 
Title Administrative Assistant

Subscribed and sworn to before me this
28th day of May, 2024.



Notary Public OFFICIAL SEAL
SHEILA M ENGLISH
NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF ILLINOIS
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES: 09/15/2026
(SEAL)

**CITY OF AURORA
BID 24-044
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**REFERENCES
(Please Type)**

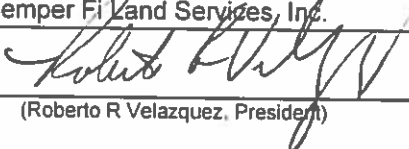
Organization *Please see attached references
Address _____
City, State, Zip _____
Phone Number _____
Contact Person _____
Date of Project _____

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Bidder's Name: Semper Fi Land Services, Inc.

Signature & Date:  05/28/2024
(Roberto R Velazquez, President)

**CITY OF AURORA
BID 24-044
LANDSCAPE MAINTENANCE OF RAIN GARDENS AND
MISCELLANEOUS STORM BMPS**

**SUB-CONTRACTOR LIST
(Please Type)**

Company N/A
Address _____
City, State, Zip _____
Phone Number _____
Contact Person _____

Company _____
Address _____
City, State, Zip _____
Phone Number _____
Contact Person _____

Company _____
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Company _____
Address _____
City, State, Zip _____
Phone Number _____
Contact Person _____

Bidder's Name: Semper Fi Land Services, Inc.

Signature & Date:  5/28/2024
(Roberto R Velazquez, President)

PROJECT REFERENCES

Project: MWRD Group C Native Prairie Landscape Maintenance at Various Service Areas

Description: This project includes selective weed removal, mowing, and prescribed burning of the Native Prairie Landscape areas for the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District's various facilities and properties located in Cook County, IL. All work performed is in accordance with industry 'best practice' standards and must meet approval of the District's Resident Engineer. In addition to required maintenance, Semper Fi has constructed additional pollinator gardens and other various approved work items for the District at their various locations.

Client: Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Chicago

Client Address: 100 East Erie Street, Chicago, IL 60611

Contact: John D'Ambrosia,

Contact Title: Engineering Technician V

Contact Phone: 312-961-6810

Contact Email: dambrosiaj@mwr.org

Project Date: 2020 - 2024

Project Budget: \$140,000.00, 4 years

Project: Landfill Vegetation and Habitat Improvement Project

Description: This project involves maintaining natural ecosystem processes and functions and restoring sustainable and functional ecosystems to impacted sites through vegetation management, selective woody clearing, prescribed burn management, and seed augmentation throughout DuPage County.

Client: Forest Preserve District of DuPage County

Client Address: 3580 Naperville Road, Wheaton, IL 60189

Contact: Nick Fuller

Contact Title: Natural Resource Project Coordinator

Contact Phone: 630-933-7224

Contact Email: nfuller@dupageforest.org

Project Date: 2016 - Present

Project Budget: \$400,00

PROJECT REFERENCES

Project: Natural Areas Maintenance

Description: Project includes management, maintenance, and enhancement of 89 acres of various natural area restoration zones located within the Joliet Junior College Central Campus. Work included management of herbaceous and woody invasives in the various restoration zones. Work activities included mowing, weed-whipping, herbicide application, prescribed burning, and native seed installation.

Client: Joliet Junior College

Client Address: 1215 Houbolt Road Joliet, Illinois 60431

Contact: Rick Suttle

Contact Title: Project Manager

Contact Phone: 815-744-6600

Contact Email: rsuttle@ruettigertonelli.com

Project Date: Project completed in June of 2021

Project Budget: \$145,000

Project: Natural Areas Management

Description: Invasive species control in natural areas at various parks located in Batavia, IL. Work included brush removal, selective herbicide application, native seed installation and prescribed burn management.

Client: Batavia Park District

Client Address: 327 West Wilson Street Batavia, IL 60510

Contact: Kim Hansen

Contact Title: Superintendent of Parks

Contact Phone: 630.879.5235 ext. 2032

Contact Email: kimh@bataviaparks.org

Project Date: Project completed December 2018

Project Budget: \$19,000

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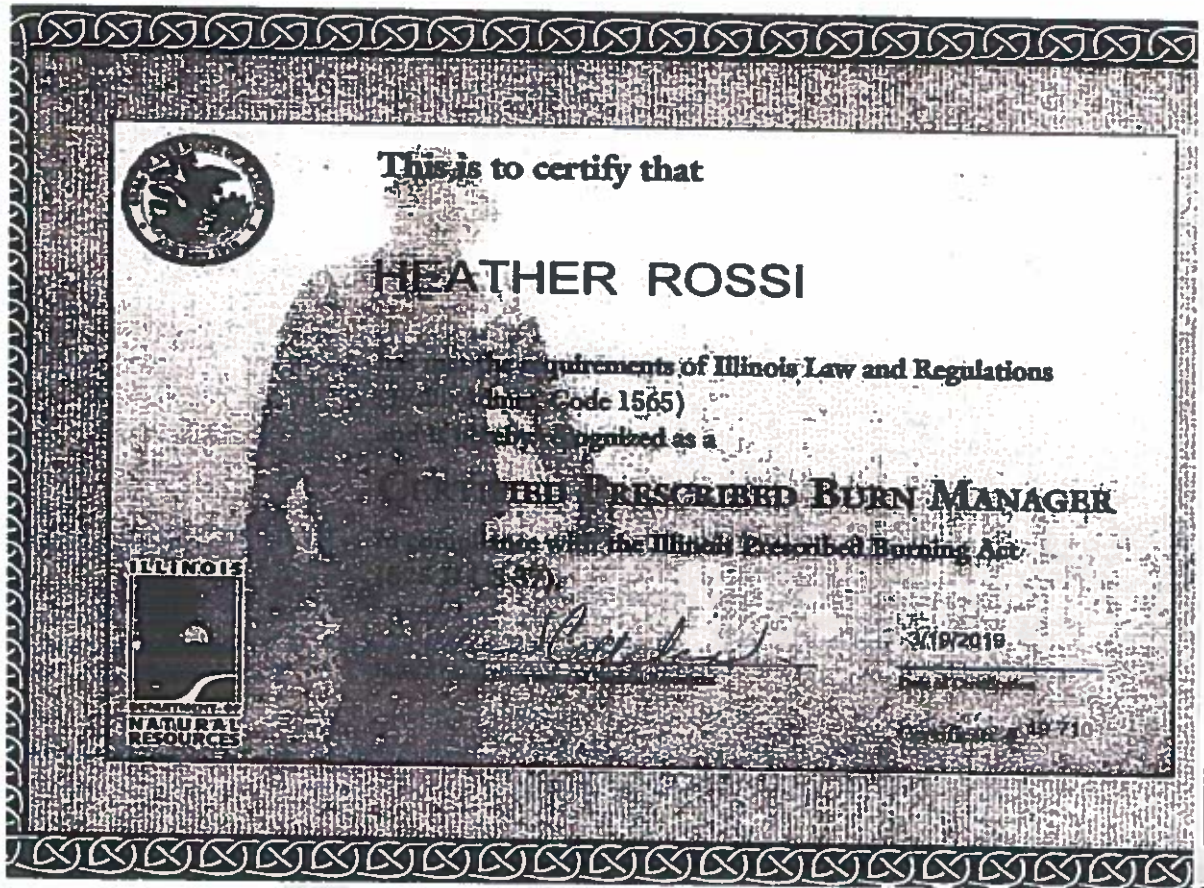
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