

Introduced: Ms. Davis  
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RESOLUTION NUMBER 2046

A RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE THE NEGOTIATED PURCHASE OF A TREE MASTER PLAN FROM DAVEY RESOURCE GROUP OF KENT, OHIO AT A COST OF \$23,900

WHEREAS, Greenbelt residents greatly value the community's trees and the City is committed to the protection and planting of trees; and

WHEREAS, in recent years, the City has conducted a street tree inventory and a wood lands assessment; and

WHEREAS, a large number of street trees, particularly Bradford Pears, will be lost due to age or work related to improving the reliability of the regional electric distribution system; and

WHEREAS, the City's FY 2017 budget allocates funds for a Tree Master Plan to review current practices and tree inventory and develop a recommended planning and maintenance program to guide the City's tree-related planning decisions over the next five (5) to ten (10) years; and

WHEREAS, a Request for Proposals (RFP) was issued for this work and three (3) responses were received; and

WHEREAS, the proposal received from Davey Resource Group of Kent, Ohio, was determined to be best suited to address the City's needs. NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Greenbelt, Maryland, that the City Manager is authorized to contract with Davey Resource Group for a tree master plan in accord with its proposal dated September 19, 2016, at a cost of \$23,900.

PASSED by the Council of the City of Greenbelt, Maryland, at its regular meeting of October 24, 2016.

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Emmett V. Jordan,  
Mayor

ATTEST:

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Cindy Murray, City Clerk