



# Chatham County, NC

## Legislation Text

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Vote on a request to award the bid for the new mowing contract for \$68,395.00 for Parks and Recreation to Haw River Landscaping and authorize the County Manager to execute the agreement.

Action Requested: Request to award the new mowing contract for Parks and Recreation to Haw River Landscaping, in the estimated annual amount of \$ 68,395.00.

Introduction & Background: Mowing of the grounds, parks and ballfields is a standard operation expense annually. Bids are sought on a cycle of three years, provided the contractor is performing satisfactorily. The award standard is for a one year contract, with the option to renew two additional one year terms upon mutual agreement.

Discussion & Analysis: The County sought formal bids for mowing services. Two bids were received for the Recreation and Parks division mowing. The bid per mowing occurrence for the division:

Green Revival Landscaping - 2,570.00

Haw River Landscaping - 2,015.00

The mowing season is approximately March 15 to November 30<sup>th</sup>, or about 37 weeks. The estimated total is based on 37 weeks of regular mowing, and nine occurrences for additional ballfield mowing. The estimated annual calculation is \$68,395.00; and if the contract is performed satisfactorily, the three year estimate is \$205,185.00.

How does this relate to the Comprehensive Plan:

Budgetary Impact: None. Mowing is an annual budgeted operation expense.

Recommendation: Request to award the new mowing contract for Parks and Recreation to Haw River Landscaping, in the estimated annual amount of \$ 68,395.00.