



CLARK COUNTY

RFP #936

ARBORIST CONSULTING SERVICES TASK ORDER CONTRACT

QUESTIONS and ANSWERS

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	QUESTION	ANSWER
1.	Does the County currently have a consultant under contract for these services?	No, this is a new contract and is not replacing an existing service.
2.	What types of projects most often require arborist consulting under this contract, and are any currently planned or anticipated?	<p>Past projects needing arborist support have included priority habitat impact assessment (e.g. Oregon White Oak, biodiversity corridor), tree survivability assessment, construction monitoring, and tree protection plans. These projects typically occur in forested parts of the county, but can sometimes occur in more developed areas.</p> <p>Currently, Public Works does not have projects in development that have a known need for arborist services. However, the NE 179th St corridor projects are anticipated to impact biodiversity corridor and require extensive tree removal, therefore permit compliance may require arborist support.</p>
3.	How frequently does the County expect to issue task orders, and what is the typical turnaround time expected?	It is difficult to predict the frequency of use for task order contracts. However, in 2024, arborist services were needed for two capital projects. Required turnaround time also varies by urgency, but could be anywhere from several weeks to several months depending on task.