SECTION EIGHT

GROUP 650 SPECIFICATIONS

August 11, 2023

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
COBB COUNTY GEORGIA

SPECIAL PROVISION

2024 COUNTYWIDE UNIT PRICE CONTRACT

GROUP 650 – TREE/LIMB REMOVAL AND TRIMMING

SCOPE OF SERVICES

The County seeks to enter into an agreement with a Contractor for tree/lim removal and trimming where said trees or limbs are hazardous to citizens on County property, including, but not limited to r4oadways and parks. The Work may include removal of a single limb over a county roadway or removal of an entire tree or multiple trees.

Hourly equipment shall be provided as directed by the County.

Hourly equipment shall consist of the described equipment complete with an experienced and competent operator. The equipment shall be in good operating condition and shall be fueled and completely maintained at no additional cost.

Hourly equipment will be measured and paid by the actual hours worked. Hourly equipment will not be measured for payment when the equipment is idle and/or not working due to mechanical problems. No separate payment will be made for the equipment operator, equipment mechanic, or any maintenance labor. Such cost shall be considered incidental to the hourly cost of the equipment.

Tree removal must not impede the flow of traffic or damage roadways or pedestrian walkways. All work shall be performed on the right or way or shoulder, if possible. The County may allow exceptions for minimal on-lane traffic closure on a case-by-case basis.

Contractor shall remove and dispose of all material, debris, etc. from the site at no additional costs to the County. All material, debris, etc. shall be disposed of in accordance with all applicable Federal, State and local laws and ordinances.

Contractor shall provide a Unit Cost, for both non-emergency and emergency Work, where indicated on the Bid Form. All costs associated with the Work shall be included in the Unit Cost for each line item. No additional fees or charges will be allowed.

Non-emergency Work is defined as:

- Work between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday, with a response time of less than 48 hours.

Emergency Work is defined as:

- Any time outside the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday or where a response time of less than one (1) hour is required between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday
- Any time on Saturday and Sunday
- Any time on County Recognized Holidays

The following estimates are based on historical data however, the County is under no obligation to purchase services for any quantities listed and no quantities are guaranteed.

Estimate Usage Per Year:

DOT

Non-Emergency	20-30
Emergency	50-60

Parks

Non-Emergency	65-70
Emergency	1-5

(Quantities list is not guaranteed)

Jobs can range from just a few hours to 8-10 hours, depending on the scope needed.