

Huntington Landscaping Committee

Report to the Board 11.11.24

Objective:

Exploring new landscaping plan to replace aged, unhealthy, dead plantings.
Replace with economical, low maintenance, native/drought resistant plants.

Considerations:

Simplicity of design

Changing climate/water restrictions

Increase paved area at pool deep end to lower maintenance and water usage

Phased project – courtyard, 2nd Street entrance, pool

Proposals requested from the following landscapers:

1. Lesli Larmon, Owner, FL Native Landscape & Design (St. Pete)
Full service landscape design and installation
30 yrs in business, 5 city of St. Pete beautification awards
Plants trees annually for HONNA in Old NE

2. Shane, Sales, Fieldstone Landscaping Services (Clearwater)
One-Stop shop for landscaping design/install, maintenance, tree trimming, irrigation
15+ yrs, Luxury design, resi/bus/HOA
Recommends cleaning out aged plantings, mulch temporarily and plant in the spring

3. TBA Sunshine Landscape, (Townview condos @ 105 4th Ave)

4. Committee also reached out to Wilcox Nurseries and Randy Lee – no response.
Other vendor recommendations?

Issues for further discussion:

- Irrigation – possibility of repairs/replacement needed after old landscaping removal

- Definition of public v. private spaces in courtyard – what areas to be addressed with new landscaping
- Proposal fees
- Approval process, budgeting, project timetable
- Bay City Tree – courtyard tree, palms alongside Unit 1
- Citrus greening

Committee members:

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Thank you.