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Re: PLANT MATERIAL FOR LANDSCAPING OF EASTBURN COMMUNITY CENTRE AND CAMERON LIBRARY AND RECREATION CENTRE

Following is a report from the Parks and Recreation Administrator regarding the above.

### **RECOMMENDATION:**

1. THAT the recommendation of the Parks and Recreation Administrator be adopted.

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# 1980 May 08

TO: MUNICIPAL MANAGER

FROM: ADMINISTRATOR, PARKS AND RECREATION

RE: PLANT MATERIAL FOR LANDSCAPING OF EASTBURN COMMUNITY CENTRE AND CAMERON LIBRARY AND RECREATION CENTRE

# Recommendation:

1. THAT Council authorize the granting of a contract to E.J. Murray and Son Wholesale Nurseries Ltd. in the amount of \$16,649.88 for the supply and delivery of plant material required for the landscaping of Eastburn Community Centre and Cameron Library and Recreation Centre.

## REPORT

Tenders for the supply and delivery of a total of 4,196 trees, shrubs and ground cover plants to be used for the landscaping of Eastburn Community Centre and Cameron Library and Recreation Centre were called and although well-advertised, only two tenders were received. A tabulation of these is <a href="mailto:attached:">attached</a>.

The tender prices quoted by E.J. Murray and Son Wholesale Nurseries Ltd. (\$16,649.88) and Massot Nurseries Ltd. (\$18,608.20) are both well below the estimated cost of \$26,318.60. The major reason for the low prices is the large quantity of plants being ordered and some size substitutions which are insignificant. Both tenders quote prices that are significantly lower than catalogue prices.

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As E.J. Murray & Son Wholesale Nurseries Ltd. has submitted the low bid, offers fewer substitutions than Massot Nurseries Ltd. and also guarantees delivery within four weeks, the Commission accepted their tender price of \$16,649.88 at its meeting of 1980 May 07.

Dennis Gaunt, Administrator

AG:df Attach.

c.c. Purchasing Agent
Municipal Treasurer
Municipal Solicitor

# CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF BURNABY TABULATION OF TENDERS FOR PLANT MATERIAL (TREES, SHRUBS AND GROUND COVER)

PURCHASING DEPARTMENT 1980 April 21

NO.	COMPANY	CAMERON LIBRARY & REC. CENTRE	EASTBURN REC. CENTRE	SUB-TOTAL	+ TAX	TOTAL	FOR EARLY PAYMENT
1.	Massot Nurseries Ltd.	\$ 10,065.45	\$ 7,827.05	\$ 17,892.50	\$ 715.70	\$ 18,608.20	2%
2.	E. J. Murray & Son Wholesale Nurseries Ltd.	8,834.35	7,175.15	16,009.50	640.38	16,649.88	2%

