



U N I V E R S I T Y O F  
**SOUTH CAROLINA**

INTENT TO AWARD

Date: July 3, 2012

This is a statement of intent to award a contract and becomes the official statement of award effective **8:00 AM July 16, 2012** unless otherwise suspended or canceled. Vendors are cautioned not to begin work on the contract or incur any costs associated with the contract prior to the effective date of the contract. The University of South Carolina assumes no liability for the expenses incurred by vendors prior to the effective date of the contract.

Bidder's right to protest as listed in section 11-35-4210 in the South Carolina Consolidated Procurement Code applies to this award. Protest to be filed with:

Chief Procurement Officer  
Materials Management Office  
1201 Main Street  
Suite 600, Columbia SC 29201.  
Facsimile: 803-737-0639  
Email: protest-mmo@mmo.state.sc.us

**Referenced Solicitation Number:** USC-IFB-2235-DG

**For Furnishing:** Landscaping Service for USC Beaufort Campuses  
& Athletics Fields

**Issue Date:** June 7, 2012

**Opening Date:** June 28, 2012

**Awarded to:** Valleycrest Landscape Maintenance, Inc  
184 Simmonsville Rd.  
Bluffton, SC 29910

**Evaluated Amount:**

(Lot 1)	\$269,986.00
Year 1	\$50,854.00
Year 2	\$52,379.00
Year 3	\$53,950.00
Year 4	\$55,568.00
Year 5	\$57,235.00

**Evaluated Amount:**

(Lot 2) \$79,980.00  
Year 1 \$15,066.00  
Year 2 \$15,517.00  
Year 3 \$15,982.00  
Year 4 \$16,461.00  
Year 5 \$16,954.00

**Estimated Potential Value of Contract:** \$349,966.00

**Initial Contract Term:** July 16, 2012 – July 15, 2013

**Maximum Contract Term:** July 16, 2012 – July 15, 2017



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