



## **Bid Instructions for 024 Arreba, Martinez, CA**

The Diablo Fire Safe Council invites sealed bids for 024 Arreba Fuel Reduction Project, designed to reduce wildland fire fuels on private property. **Bids will be received via fax 510-217-2293, until 6:00 p.m. local time, on February 19, 2006, at which time they will be reviewed.**

The Diablo County Fire Safe Council encourages the submission of bids and sub-bids by minority-owned and women-owned business enterprises. Each bid shall be made in accordance with these Contract Documents, and no bid will be accepted by the Diablo Fire Safe Council unless it is made on the Proposal forms included in these Contract Documents (next page). The Contractor shall possess the appropriate insurance and California license or a combination of classes required by the categories and types of work included in this contract at the time the contract is awarded.

The Diablo Fire Safe Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids, to waive any non-material informality in any bid and to determine which bid, in the judgment of the Diablo Fire Safe Council, is the best bid and to make that award which is in the best interest of the Diablo Fire Safe Council.

Vendors: You are welcome to drive by the property. The pictures that follow are included as a guide. Prior to submitting your bid, please contact the project manager: Maria Morales at 510-435-1405.

### Work description:

- The bulk of the work is in the backyard. Access through the side and back yard “fire trail”. Be sensitive to the erosion control measures that have been put in place. The straw bales can be moved.
- Remove the two large Monterey Pines. Local resident may want “some” of the wood for firewood. The Monterey Cypress stays.
- Reduce the Juniper by 50%. Remove all dead material. The goal is to break-up the fuels by removing the dead material and lifting the live material 18” from the ground. Also separation from nearby vegetation.
- Reduce overall shrub coverage by 1/3.
- Chip material when possible and spread on site to reduce erosion potential.
- Trim and reshape ornamentals that are left on site.
- Limb up to 10’ (from lowest point of the ground) on all branches on trees that are left.
- Leave site clean and neat.

**Proposal Form**

**Job: 024 Arreba**

Name of Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact person: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Fee per hour and # of workers: \_\_\_\_\_

Daily charge: \_\_\_\_\_

Estimated time to complete work: \_\_\_\_\_

Estimated date you can start work: \_\_\_\_\_

Insurance Company: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # of agent: \_\_\_\_\_

Send to Fax: 510-217-2293 and follow up with a phone call at 510-435-1405 to ensure receipt.

*Thank you for your bid!*



Front Detail. Arrows point to pines tagged for removal.



Close up of pines.



View from patio, Right side of the house.



View of from patio Left Side.



Create separation between ornamentals and remove down material.  
View from the fire trail along the back yard, looking towards Arreba.