

**CRCL Native Plants Program  
Request for Bids**

**Project:** Lemon Tree Mound Mangrove Planting  
**Delivery Date:** **October 14, 2022**  
**Delivery Location:** CRCL Oyster Shell Recycling Site  
 6205 E St Bernard Hwy  
 Violet, LA 70092  
**Bids Due to CRCL:** October 3, 2022  
**CRCL's Bid Response:** October 7, 2022

**Specifications**

1. Successful plants for this project must meet the following criteria:
  - a. **Species:** Black Mangrove (*Avicennia germinans*)
  - c. **Quantity:** 1,500
  - d. **Maturity:** 1-2 years, must maintain root ball when removed from #1 container
  - d. **Size:** stems must be 12" - 24" tall
  - e. **Roots:** rootball diameter equal to one-half the tree height, and free of injury, such as insects, pathogens, circling, or kinks
  - f. **Foliage:** well developed, firmly attached leaves typical to species and season
  - g. **Source:** Grown from Louisiana Coastal ecotype, Pontchartrain Basin preferred
  
  - h. **Species:** Sea myrtle (*Baccharis halimifolia*)
  - i. **Quantity:** 750
  - j. **Maturity:** 1-2 years, must maintain root ball when removed from #1 container
  - k. **Size:** stems must be 12" - 24" tall
  - l. **Roots:** rootball diameter equal to one-half the tree height, and free of injury, such as insects, pathogens, circling, or kinks
  - m. **Foliage:** well developed, firmly attached leaves typical to species and season
  - n. **Source:** Grown from Louisiana Coastal ecotype, Pontchartrain Basin preferred
  
  - o. **Species:** Marsh Elder (*Iva annua*)
  - p. **Quantity:** 750
  - q. **Maturity:** 1-2 years, must maintain root ball when removed from #1 container
  - r. **Size:** stems must be 12" - 24" tall
  - s. **Roots:** rootball diameter equal to one-half the tree height, and free of injury, such as insects, pathogens, circling, or kinks
  - t. **Foliage:** well developed, firmly attached leaves typical to species and season
  - u. **Source:** Grown from Louisiana Coastal ecotype, Pontchartrain Basin preferred
  
2. The contractor shall furnish, transport, and help unload plants at the delivery location no later than Thursday, April 7, 2022.
  
3. Partial bids will be accepted. Please specify the number of trees you can provide and confirm delivery availability in your bid package.

### **Bid Process**

4. Bids must contain:
  - h. Name, contact information, and/or executive summary of agency
  - i. Verification of valid Nursery Certificate licensed by LDAF
  - j. Clarification of species, number of units, and maturity/size to be furnished
  - k. Confirmation that vendor will transport to delivery site by delivery date
5. All bid materials should be emailed to [plants@crcl.org](mailto:plants@crcl.org) no later than COB (5 pm) on the specified due date. Bids received after the due date will not be accepted.
6. For additional information, contact Gardner Goodall, Native Plants Program Coordinator, at 919.641.2319 or [gardner.goodall@crcl.org](mailto:gardner.goodall@crcl.org).
7. Please see [CRCL's Plant Purchase Policy](#) for further details.