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**Memorandum To: To Whom It May Concern at the City of Racine**

**From: Charles R. Stachowski, Director of Public Works**

**Date: 14 Feb 12**

**Subject: Affordable Tree Care Recommendation**

I strongly endorse your selection of Affordable Tree Care for any forestry program you are considering. The Village of Sturtevant as used Affordable Tree Care as its primary Tree Service provider for the last six years. Any time I have a forestry / tree work that I need done, I contact them directly. I know what I will get in return. However, on several occasions, I have gone out and received quotes / bids for forestry work as part of a grant program. Affordable has always come in as the lowest bidder or next lowest bidder. I have gone with Affordable Tree Care.

While their bids were low, they always provided us top line quality of work. They have always exceeded my expectations in service and timeliness. Jeff Nelson is easy to work with and has gone out of his way on numerous occasions to help the village. I have come to rely on them as consultants to assist me in planning any major forestry work for the village. As I mentioned, when they perform work for us, they have gone well outside the scope of work or what was expected from them to help the Village.

Again, I strongly recommend Affordable Tree Care for any of your upcoming proposed forestry work. You will not be sorry you did. Direct questions to me at (262) 886-2862, M-F, 7:30 AM – 3:00 PM.

Respectfully yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Charles R. Stachowski".

*Charles R. Stachowski*  
Director of Public Works  
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