
**NORTH OGDEN CITY
STAFF REPORT**

TO: CITY COUNCIL
FROM: BRENT TAYLOR, MAYOR
SUBJECT: PUBLIC WORKS FACILITY LANDSCAPING
DATE: 1/22/2015

There are currently no funds budgeted for landscaping in the current Public Works building budget, as this item was planned to be handled by North Ogden City instead of through the contractor. The landscaping plan received an initial review by the Planning Commission in November 2014, and the Planning Commission has requested some modifications, including an opaque fence on the east side of the property.

We created a working group to address the landscaping needs in December and meet twice to discuss options. Participants were myself, Councilmen Bailey and Satterthwaite, Bryan Steele, Rob Scott, Jesse Felter, and Gary Kerr. Our Parks Supervisor Jesse Felter has taken the lead in developing three different landscaping alternatives to present to the City Council. Each alternative has a different combination of materials and different installation and ongoing maintenance costs. Please see his presentation for more details.

During the meeting we are hoping to have a choice from Council as to which landscaping option to pursue. We will also present information about the possibility of self-performing the labor, and our recommendations related to this.