

Reply to: 2430
Date: 12/05/2015

Dear Prospective Bidder:

On 01/05/2016, at 02:00 PM, sealed bids will be opened in the Allegheny National Forest, Bradford District Office, 29 Forest Service Drive, Bradford, PA 16701 for the North Westline sale. This sale is located in Warrants 3404, 3408, 3410, 3433, and 3435; Lafayette Township; McKean County; Pennsylvania. Timber sale Contract 2400-6T will be used. The termination date for this sale is 10/31/2017.

There are 3.00 miles (4.83 kilometers) of specified road reconstruction, and 0.70 miles (1.12 kilometers) of specified road construction. A specified road construction cost of \$37,494.00 has been allowed in the appraisal for this work.

The estimated quantities in this contract have been determined prior to felling. The total estimated quantity on this sale is 1,401 CCF. The Forest Service encourages potential bidders to make their own inspection and estimate prior to bid submission. The Forest Service makes no representation, warranty, or guarantee of the accuracy of the following quantity estimates:

Estimated Quantities and Rates per Unit of Measure

Species	Product	Unit of Measure	Estimated Quantities	Average DBH	Advertised Rates	Base Rates	Required Deposits	
							Slash Disposal	Road Maintenance
Ash	Sawtimber	CCF	4.00	15.90	\$93.11	\$74.58	\$0.00	\$3.86
Black Cherry	Sawtimber	CCF	380.00	20.70	\$356.03	\$269.33	\$0.00	\$3.86
Hardwood - Other	Sawtimber	CCF	15.00	19.40	\$12.00	\$12.00	\$0.00	\$3.86
Red Maple	Sawtimber	CCF	213.00	16.70	\$79.00	\$65.58	\$0.00	\$3.86
Sugar Maple	Sawtimber	CCF	3.00	13.90	\$114.65	\$88.30	\$0.00	\$3.86
Yellow Poplar	Sawtimber	CCF	14.00	21.20	\$42.00	\$42.00	\$0.00	\$3.86
Hardwood - Other	Pulpwood	CCF	772.00	8.70	\$1.90	\$1.90	\$0.00	\$3.86
	Total	CCF	1,401.00				\$0.00	\$5,407.86

There is a \$15,600.00 bid guarantee required on this sale.

The USDA is an equal opportunity provider and employer.

If you wish further information on this sale, the prospectus and bid form, please write the Bradford District Office at 29 Forest Service Drive, Bradford, PA 16701 or call (814) 363-6091. Information regarding this offering can also be found on the Allegheny National Forest website at: <http://www.fs.usda.gov/main/allegheny/workingtogether/contracting..>

Sincerely,

Rich Haffield
Bradford District Ranger

