

Reply to: 2430  
Date: 04/11/2016

Dear Prospective Bidder:

On 04/11/2016, at 03:30 PM, sealed bids will be opened in the Medicine Bow-Routt National Forest Supervisors Office, North Timber Zone, 2468 Jackson Street, Laramie WY, 82070 for the Broadaxe Salvage sale. This sale is located in Sec. 32, 33, T42N, R108W, Sec. 4, 5, T41N, R108W of the 6th PM Frermont County. Timber sale Contract 2400-6 will be used. The termination date for this sale is 03/31/2019.

There are 4.52 miles (7.27 kilometers) of specified road reconstruction. A specified road construction cost of \$14,530.80 has been allowed in the appraisal for this work.

Measurement of the estimated quantities will be made after felling. The total estimated quantity on this sale is 5,465 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 Minimum Acceptable Rates per Unit of Measure**

Species	Product	Unit of Measure	Estimated Quantities	Average DBH	Minimum Acceptable Bid Rates	Base Rates	Required Deposits	
							Slash Disposal	Road Maintenance
Engelmann Spruce	Sawtimber	CCF	409.00	17.00	\$5.00	\$5.00	\$0.76	\$0.63
Lodgepole Pine	Sawtimber	CCF	3,230.00	9.50	\$3.00	\$3.00	\$0.76	\$0.63
True Fir and others	Sawtimber	CCF	604.00	12.10	\$3.00	\$3.00	\$0.76	\$0.63
Lodgepole Pine and others	Non-Saw	CCF	1,222.00	9.20	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$0.76	\$0.63
	Total	CCF	5,465.00				\$4,153.40	\$3,442.95

The minimum acceptable weighted average bid rate is \$2.70 per CCF.

There is a \$1,500.00 bid guarantee required on this sale.

o Corporations submitting an offer under this solicitation must include form AD-3030-FS, Representations Regarding Felony Conviction and Tax Delinquent Status for Corporate Applicants. Copies of this form may be obtained from the Forest Service office or electronically at: <http://www.ocio.usda.gov/policy-directives-records-forms/forms-management/approved-computer-generated-forms>.

o Draft contract, sale area maps, and bid forms are also available at:  
<http://www.fs.usda.gov/resources/shoshone/landmanagement/resourcemanagement>.

If printing a bid form from the web, please add the following information on the outside of the envelope when mailed:

Timber Sale Name: Broadaxe Salvage

Bid Opening Date: 04/11/2016

Bid Opening Time: 03:30 PM

or request a preprinted bid envelope from the Wind River Ranger District Office at 307-455-2466.

If you wish further information on this sale, the prospectus and bid form, please write or call the Wind River Ranger District, 1403 West Ramshorn Road, Dubois, WY 82513.

Sincerely,

Rick Metzger, District Ranger

Enclosure