

Reply to: 2430  
Date: 05/03/2016

Dear Prospective Bidder:

On 06/08/2016, at 10:00 AM, sealed bids will be opened in the District Office, Oxford for the Compartment 4 Salvage sale. This sale is located in Section 36, Township 1 South, Range 2 East, Section 1, Township 2South, Range 2 East, Section 31, Township 1 South, Range 3 East, Section 6, Township 2 South, Range 3 East Benton County, Mississippi. Timber sale Contract 2400-6 will be used. The termination date for this sale is 04/01/2017.

Measurement of the estimated quantities will be made after felling. The total estimated quantity on this sale is 25,399 Ton. 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
Combined Softwoods	Misc-Conv.	Ton	25,399.00	N/A	\$2.99	\$0.70	\$0.00	\$0.00
Only the Fixed Rate Applies								
Hardwoods	Sawtimber	Ton	unestimated	N/A	\$2.56	\$0.84	\$0.00	\$0.00
Southern Yellow Pine	Sawtimber	Ton	unestimated	N/A	\$7.85	\$0.86	\$0.00	\$0.00
Hardwoods	Pulpwood	Ton	unestimated	N/A	\$0.28	\$0.28	\$0.00	\$0.00
Softwood - Other	Pulpwood	Ton	unestimated	N/A	\$4.18	\$0.29	\$0.00	\$0.00
	Total	Ton	25,399.00				\$0.00	\$0.00

The minimum acceptable weighted average bid rate is \$2.99 per Ton.

There is a \$7,600.00 bid guarantee required on this sale.

If you wish further information on this sale, the prospectus and bid form, please write or call the District Office, 1000 Front Street, Oxford, MS 38655.

Sincerely,

Lynn D Corbitt,

Contracting Officer



Enclosure