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The Plumas National Forest is soliciting competitive offers for the **Hauns Stewardship**, a tree measurement sale. The Hauns Stewardship Contract Area is located approximately 25 miles north of Quincy in Plumas County, California; within the Mt. Hough Ranger District of the Plumas National Forest. The legal location is T 27 N, R 9 E, Sections 16, 17, 20 AND T 27 N R 8 E Sections 34 and 35 AND T 26 N R 8 E Sections 1, 2 and 3. Best access is from roads 27N38 and PC201. Sealed "Best Value" offers will be received at the Forest Supervisor's Office, Plumas National Forest, 159 Lawrence Street, Quincy, CA 95971 at 10:00 AM local time on August 8, 2016, for an estimated net volume of 1,141 CCF of sawtimber marked or otherwise designated for cutting on 189 acres in 10 Payment Units. There is one Mandatory stewardship project item: Work Item #1: Cut and skid to landings biomass size trees. Deck all biomass (whole trees and tops) on up to an estimated 24 landings (12.0 acres). Decked biomass is available for purchase under Timber Subject to Agreement.

The Forest Service will evaluate competitive offers submitted by offerors who present a price offer and technical proposal according to the information found under the section in the offer titled "Instructions to Offerors" in the prospectus. This prospectus is available to the public and interested offerors from the offices listed below. Evaluation factors for this project are organizational experience, organizational past performance, local community economic enhancement (including small business enhancement), understanding the Government's requirements, and price. One award will be made to the offeror whose proposal is technically acceptable and whose technical/price relationship is the "best value" to the Government. The Forest Service reserves the right to reject any and all offers. Information concerning the timber and stewardship projects specific to this project, is available to the public from the District Ranger, Mount Hough Ranger District, 39696 Hwy 70, Quincy, California 95971, or at the following website:

<http://www.fs.usda.gov/resources/plumas/landmanagement/resourcemanagement>

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