# NATIONAL FOREST TIMBER FOR SALE

## INTEGRATED RESOURCE TIMBER CONTRACT - STEWARDSHIP

## OKANOGAN-WENATCHEE NATIONAL FOREST

The Benzer Integrated Resource Timber Contract is located within T32N, R23E, Sections 5, 6, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20, 21, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 33, 34, 35, 36; T33N, R23E, Sections 1, 2, 11, 12, 13, 14, 23, 24, 25; T33N, R24E, Section 30; T34N, R23E, Section 35, 36; W.M. Surveyed, Okanogan County, WA. The Forest Service will receive technical and price proposals (no public opening) at the Supervisor's Office, 215 Melody Lane, Wenatchee, WA 98801 no later than 4:30 PM local time on or before 08/22/2016 for an estimated 61,709 Tons of Ponderosa Pine and Douglas-fir and Other Coniferous Species marked or otherwise designated for cutting. In addition, there is within the contract area an unestimated volume of Softwood Other Grn Bio Cv that the bidder may agree to remove at a fixed rate. Also included in the contract are three (3) mandatory restorative service projects to be completed by the Contractor. The contract contains specified roads with an estimated public works construction cost of $76,542 1/. Bidders qualifying as small business concerns under the Small Business Act may, when submitting a bid, elect for the Forest Service to build permanent roads. Additional information concerning this option is in the prospectus.) . The contract will be awarded based on a Best Value determination. One award will be made to the Bidder (a) whose proposal is technically acceptable and (b) whose technical/price relationship is the most advantageous to the Government. The Forest Service reserves the right to reject any and all proposals. Interested parties may obtain a prospectus from the office listed below. A prospectus, bid form, and complete information concerning the timber, the restoration service projects, the conditions of sale, and submission of bids is available to the public from the Okanogan Valley Office, 1240 South Second Avenue, Okanogan, WA 98840 or Methow Valley Ranger District, 24 W. Chewuch Road, Winthrop, WA 98862. Contract information and bidding documents can be found on the Okanogan-Wenatchee National Forest web page "http://www.fs.usda.gov/resources/okawen/landmanagement/resourcemanagement".

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1/ The estimated public works construction cost to be entered is the full engineer's estimate of the cost to build the road with a public works contractor, not the estimated road construction cost.