

Reply to: 2430
 Date: 04/18/2020

Dear Prospective Bidder:

On 05/20/2020, at 10:00 AM, sealed bids will be opened in the Tofte Ranger District Tofte, Minnesota for the Elephant sale. This sale is located in T60N R7W Sec.3,4,5,&9 and T61N R7W Sec.33 and T61N R8W Sec.21,22,23,26,27, & 28. Timber sale Contract 2400-6T will be used. The termination date for this sale is 06/30/2026.

The estimated quantities in this contract have been determined prior to felling. The total estimated quantity on this sale is 14,218 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

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Species	Product	Unit of Measure	Estimated Quantities	Average DBH	Advertised Rates	Base Rates	Slash Disposal	Road Maintenance
Jack Pine	Sawtimber	CCF	2,477.00	10.70	\$7.43	\$3.69	\$0.00	\$3.75
Red Pine	Sawtimber	CCF	243.00	11.30	\$26.08	\$6.56	\$0.00	\$3.75
Spruce	Sawtimber	CCF	339.00	11.30	\$17.74	\$5.28	\$0.00	\$3.75
Aspen	Pulpwood	CCF	5,758.00	9.60	\$18.22	\$3.66	\$0.00	\$3.75
Balsam Fir	Pulpwood	CCF	620.00	6.50	\$2.48	\$1.23	\$0.00	\$3.75
Pine	Pulpwood	CCF	2,417.00	7.60	\$2.46	\$1.23	\$0.00	\$3.75
Paper Birch	Pulpwood	CCF	423.00	7.80	\$3.71	\$1.42	\$0.00	\$3.75
Spruce	Pulpwood	CCF	1,941.00	6.90	\$11.56	\$2.63	\$0.00	\$3.75
	Total	CCF	14,218.00				\$0.00	\$53,317.50

There is a \$16,800.00 bid guarantee required on this sale.

If you wish further information on this sale, the prospectus and bid form, please write or call the Tofte Ranger District, 7355 Highway 61 West, Tofte, MN 55615.

Sincerely,

 Karla Cottom Acting District Ranger

Enclosure