

Reply to: 2430
Date: 05/20/2014

Dear Prospective Bidder:

On 06/19/2014, at 02:00 PM, sealed bids will be opened in the Allegheny National Forest, Bradford Ranger District Office, 29 Forest Service Drive, Bradford, PA 16701 for the FR 305 Salvage sale. This sale is located in Warrants 2265, 2276, 2277, 3435, and 3436; Lafayette Township; Mckean County; Pennsylvania. Timber sale Contract 2400-6T will be used. The termination date for this sale is 09/30/2016. This is a small business set-aside sale.

This sale will be preferentially awarded to a qualified small business concern. In the absence of any bids from a self-certifying qualified small business concern, the sale will be readvertised without restriction on the size of bidders.

There are 2.59 miles (4.16 kilometers) of specified road reconstruction. A specified road construction cost of \$35,751.00 has been allowed in the appraisal for this work.

The estimated quantities in this contract have been determined prior to felling. The total estimated quantity on this sale is 1,350 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							Required Deposits	
Species	Product	Unit of Measure	Estimated Quantities	Average DBH	Advertised Rates	Base Rates	Slash Disposal	Road Maintenance
Black Cherry	Sawtimber	CCF	468.00	19.00	\$165.56	\$117.00	\$0.00	\$2.96
Hardwood - Other	Sawtimber	CCF	6.00	17.00	\$38.07	\$38.07	\$0.00	\$2.96
Red Maple	Sawtimber	CCF	100.00	17.30	\$42.00	\$42.00	\$0.00	\$2.96
Hardwood - Other	Pulpwood	CCF	776.00	9.60	\$1.90	\$1.90	\$0.00	\$2.96
	Total	CCF	1,350.00				\$0.00	\$3,996.00

There is a \$8,400.00 bid guarantee required on this sale.

The USDA is a an equal opportunity provider and employer.

If you wish further information on this sale, the prospectus and bid form, please write or call the Allegheny National Forest, Bradford Ranger District Office, 29 Forest Service Drive, Bradford, PA 16701. Information regarding this offering can also be found at: <http://www.fs.usda.gov/main/allegheny/workingtogether/contracting>.

Sincerely,


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District Ranger