United States Department of Agriculture
Forest Service Mt. Hood
Clackamas River Ranger District
595 N.W. Industrial Way
Estacada, Oregon 97023

Reply to: 2430
Date: 06/25/2014

Dear Prospective Bidder:

On 07/29/2014, at 10:00 AM, sealed bids will be opened in the Mt. Hood National Forest Headquarters, 16400 Champion Way, Sandy, Oregon for the Lowe Creek Bough sale. This sale is located in T. 7 S., R. 7 E., Sections 8, 9, 16, and 17, W.M., Unsurveyed, Clackamas County, Oregon. Timber sale Contract 2400-3P will be used. The termination date for this sale is 12/31/2015.

The total estimated quantity on this sale is 26 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	Required Deposits: Road Maintenance
Douglas-fir and Other Coniferous Species	Limb/Bough	Ton	6.00	N/A	$100.00	$100.00	$0.00	$4.68
Noble Fir	Limb/Bough	Ton	20.00	N/A	$300.00	$300.00	$0.00	$4.68
	Total	Ton	26.00				$0.00	$121.68

The minimum acceptable weighted average bid rate is $253.85 per Ton.

There is a $700.00 bid guarantee required on this sale.

If you wish further information on this sale, the prospectus and bid form, please write or call the Clackamas River Ranger District, 595 NW Industrial Way, Estacada, Oregon, (503) 630-6861. For additional information you may contact Amber Sprinkle at (503) 630-8812, or visit the Mt. Hood National Forest website at www.fs.usda.gov/mthood.

Sincerely, Nancy A. Lankford

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Acting District Ranger

Enclosure