

Reply to: 2430
Date: 08/18/2014

Dear Prospective Bidder:

On 09/16/2014, at 12:00 PM, sealed bids will be opened in the Pacific Ranger District, Quinault Office, 353 South Shore Road, Quinault, WA 98575 for the Grouse sale. This sale is located in T22N, R9W, Sections 20,21,28,29,30,31,32,33. Timber sale Contract 2400-6 will be used. The termination date for this sale is 12/31/2020.

There are 3.97 miles (6.40 kilometers) of specified road reconstruction. A specified road construction cost of \$174,465.62 has been allowed in the appraisal for this work.

Measurement of the estimated quantities will be made after felling. The total estimated quantity on this sale is 59,565 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	Road Maintenance
Douglas-fir	Sawtimber	Ton	21,552.00	14.20	\$10.54	\$0.94	\$0.23	\$1.18
Western Hemlock and other species	Sawtimber	Ton	38,013.00	13.00	\$10.54	\$0.94	\$0.23	\$1.18
	Total	Ton	59,565.00				\$13,699.95	\$70,286.70

The minimum acceptable bid for advertised timber is \$627,815.10 for the biddable species.

There is a \$62,800.00 bid guarantee required on this sale.

This is a readvertisement. The Public Works Road Reconstruction cost has been revised. Refer to the Prospectus, section 8, page 4.

If you wish further information on this sale, the prospectus and bid form, please write or call the Pacific Ranger District, Quinault Office, 353 South Shore Road, Quinault, WA 9875, Olympic National Forest Supervisors Office, 1985 Black Lake Blvd SW, 98512 and Olympic National Forest web page (www.fs.fed.usda.gov/olympic/timber_sales).

Sincerely,



Jana Carlson
Timber Sale Contracting Officer
Olympic National Forest

Enclosure