

Reply to: 2430  
Date: 11/15/2014

Dear Prospective Bidder:

On 12/18/2014, at 02:00 PM, sealed bids will be opened in the District Ranger's Office, 131 Smokey Lane, Marienville, PA 16239 for the FR 134 sale. This sale is located in Warrants 1778 and 3776; Highland Township; Warrants 3243 and 3251; Jones Township; Elk County; Pennsylvania. Timber sale Contract 2400-6T will be used. The termination date for this sale is 09/30/2017.

There are 2.27 miles (3.66 kilometers) of specified road reconstruction. A specified road construction cost of \$37,226.50 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 2,398 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**

Species	Product	Unit of Measure	Estimated Quantities	Average DBH	Advertised Rates	Base Rates	Required Deposits	
							Slash Disposal	Road Maintenance
Black Cherry	Sawtimber	CCF	549.00	17.60	\$336.82	\$208.20	\$0.00	\$0.93
Hardwood - Other	Sawtimber	CCF	10.00	14.20	\$32.72	\$20.60	\$0.00	\$0.93
Red Maple	Sawtimber	CCF	95.00	15.60	\$108.09	\$69.42	\$0.00	\$0.93
Softwood - Other	Pulpwood	CCF	23.00	8.30	\$1.90	\$1.90	\$0.00	\$0.93
Hardwood - Other	Pulpwood	CCF	1,721.00	8.80	\$1.90	\$1.90	\$0.00	\$0.93
	<b>Total</b>	<b>CCF</b>	<b>2,398.00</b>				<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$2,230.14</b>

There is a \$19,900.00 bid guarantee required on this sale.

If you wish further information on this sale, the prospectus and bid form, please write or call the District Ranger's Office, 131 Smokey Lane, Marienville, PA 16239.

Sincerely,

  
Rob Fallon  
District Ranger

Enclosure