

Reply to: 2430
Date: 03/06/2015

Dear Prospective Bidder:

On 04/06/2015, at 02:00 PM, sealed bids will be opened in the GM-UNC-GUNN NF Supervisor's Office for the Reservoir Salvage sale. This sale is located in All or parts of T33N, R4E, Section 36, T33N, R5E, Section 31 and T32N, R5E, Section 6 of the NMPM, Conejos Country, CO.. Timber sale Contract 2400-6 will be used. The termination date for this sale is 12/31/2018.

There are 0.90 miles (1.45 kilometers) of specified road reconstruction. A specified road construction cost of \$25,875.00 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 4,434 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 Minimum Acceptable Rates per Unit of Measure							Required Deposits	
Species	Product	Unit of Measure	Estimated Quantities	Average DBH	Minimum Acceptable Bid Rates	Base Rates	Slash Disposal	Road Maintenance
Engelmann Spruce	Sawtimber	CCF	4,434.00	16.10	\$5.00	\$5.00	\$1.20	\$1.51
	Total	CCF	4,434.00				\$5,320.80	\$6,695.34

The minimum acceptable bid for advertised timber is \$22,170.00 for the biddable species.

There is a \$2,300.00 bid guarantee required on this sale.

Please be aware that the USDA Forest Service has changed to a new financial system. All NEW prospective bidders will need to register at www.sam.gov to be able to receive payments from the government's financial system. All bidders who previously registered in the CCR database and were awarded a sale have been converted to the new SAM database.

If you wish further information on this sale, the prospectus and bid form, please write or call the Conejos Peak Ranger District, Rio Grande National Forest, 15571 County Rd. T.5 La Jara, Colorado 81140 (719)274-8971 or at http://www.fs.usda.gov/goto/South_Zone_Timber_Sales. Any other questions contact Milo Medina at 719-274-8971..

Sincerely,

Contracting Officer
Edward Clutter

Enclosure