

United States
Department of Agriculture

Forest Service
NF Mississippi
De Soto Ranger District

654 W. FRONTAGE RD
PO BOX 248
WIGGINS, Mississippi 39577

Reply to: 2430
Date: 05/26/2015

Dear Prospective Bidder:

On 07/01/2015, at 10:00 AM, sealed bids will be opened in the District Office, Wiggins, MS for the Camp Shelby Firing Points Phase I sale. This sale is located in Perry County T2N, R11W sections 35,23,25,24,26 and T2N R10W section 19,30. Timber sale Contract 2400-6T will be used. The termination date for this sale is 01/31/2016. 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.

The estimated quantities in this contract have been determined prior to felling. The total estimated quantity on this sale is 2,491 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

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Species	Product	Unit of Measure	Estimated Quantities	Average DBH	Advertised Rates	Base Rates	Slash Disposal	Road Maintenance
Hardwoods	Sawtimber	CCF	98.00	N/A	\$47.68	\$5.00	\$0.00	\$3.88
Southern Yellow Pine	Sawtimber	CCF	1,788.00	N/A	\$67.69	\$5.00	\$0.00	\$3.88
Hardwoods	Pulpwood	CCF	138.00	N/A	\$18.77	\$1.00	\$0.00	\$3.88
Southern Yellow Pine	Pulpwood	CCF	467.00	N/A	\$27.39	\$3.00	\$0.00	\$3.88
	Total	CCF	2,491.00				\$0.00	\$9,665.08

There is a \$14,300.00 bid guarantee required on this sale.

If you wish further information on this sale, the prospectus and bid form, please write or call the 654 W. Frontage Road, Wiggins MS 39577 or the internet at <http://www.fs.usda.gov/main/mississippi/home> select Timber Sales in the Quick Link Section.

Sincerely,

Contracting Officer

Enclosure