

Reply to: 2430
Date: 08/17/2011

Dear Prospective Bidder:

On 09/08/2011, at 10:00 AM, sealed bids will be opened in the Darrington Ranger Station for the Dan Thin Re-Offer 2 sale. This sale is located in Sec. 16, 17, 20, 21, 27, and 28, T32N, R10E, WM. Timber sale Contract 2400-6 will be used. The termination date for this sale is 10/31/2014.

There are 3.90 miles (6.28 kilometers) of specified road reconstruction. A specified road construction cost of \$83,214.60 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 28,950 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	8,723.00	N/A	\$10.55	\$0.98	\$0.00	\$0.00
Western Hemlock, Pacific Silver Fir, and Hardwood Species	Sawtimber	Ton	19,915.00	N/A	\$10.55	\$0.98	\$0.00	\$0.00
Western Red Cedar	Sawtimber	Ton	101.00	N/A	\$10.55	\$0.98	\$0.00	\$0.00
Softwood Species	Grn Bio Cv	Ton	142.00	N/A	\$10.55	\$0.98	\$0.00	\$0.00
Hardwood Species	Grn Bio Cv	Ton	69.00	N/A	\$10.55	\$0.98	\$0.00	\$0.00
	Total	Ton	28,950.00				\$0.00	\$0.00

The minimum acceptable weighted average bid rate is \$10.55 per Ton.

There is a \$30,600.00 bid guarantee required on this sale.

If you wish further information on this sale, the prospectus and bid form, please write or call the Darrington Ranger Station, ATTN: Samantha Chang, (360) 436-2309, schang@fs.fed.us, or visit <http://www.fs.usda.gov/goto/mbs/resource-management>.

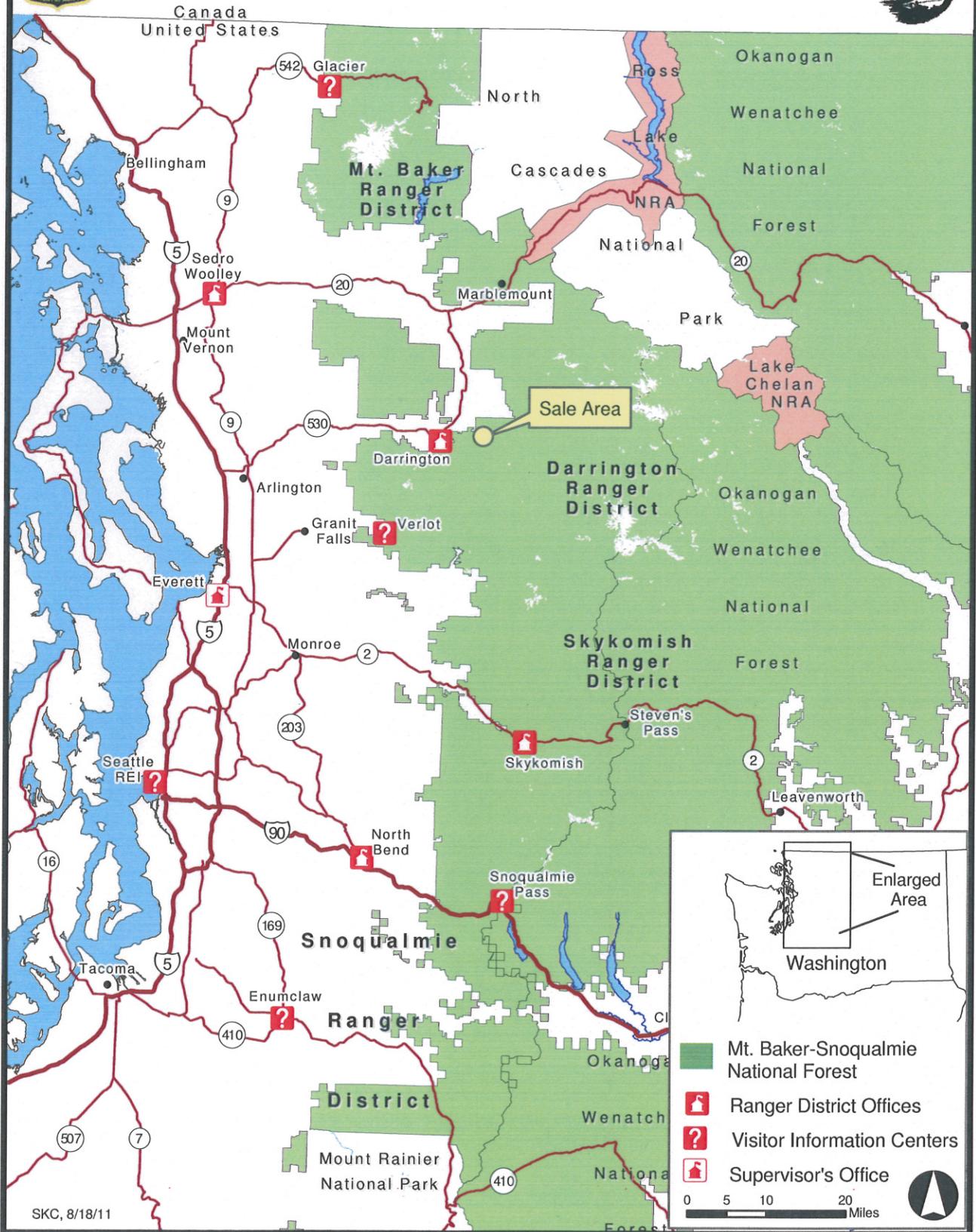
Sincerely,


Peter Forbes, District Ranger

Enclosure



Dan Thin Re-Offer 2 Timber Sale Vicinity Map Mt. Baker-Snoqualmie National Forest



SKC, 8/18/11