

Reply to: 2430  
Date: 05/05/2011

Dear Prospective Bidder:

On 06/08/2011, at 01:00 PM, sealed bids will be opened in the Caribou-Targhee National Forest, 1405 Hollipark Drive, Idaho Falls, ID 83401 for the White Knob Timber Sale sale. This sale is located in T7N, R23E, S35, 5, 36; T6N, R23E, S1, 12; T6N, R24E, S7, Boise Meridian. Timber sale Contract 2400-6T will be used. The termination date for this sale is 12/31/2012. 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 466 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
Douglas-fir	Sawtimber	CCF	466.00	N/A	\$3.00	\$3.00	\$1.89	\$0.15
	Total	CCF	466.00				\$880.74	\$69.90

The minimum acceptable bid for advertised timber is \$1,398.00 for the biddable species.

There is a \$200.00 bid guarantee required on this sale.

If you wish further information on this sale, the prospectus and bid form, please write or call the Challis-Yankee Fork Ranger District office, (208) 879-4100; Salmon-Challis National Forest Supervisor's Office, (208) 756-5100, or Doug Raden, (208) 557-5822, or visit [www.fs.fed.us/r4/sc/](http://www.fs.fed.us/r4/sc/) and click on the Forest Products tab on the left.

Sincerely,

Douglas R. Raden, Contracting Officer

Enclosure