

United States  
Department of Agriculture

Forest Service  
Gifford Pinchot  
Cowlitz Valley Ranger District

P.O. Box 670  
10024 U.S. Highway 12  
Randle, Washington 98377

Reply to: 2430  
Date: 03/15/2012

Dear Prospective Bidder:

On 03/30/2012, at 10:00 AM, sealed bids will be opened in the Cowlitz Valley Ranger District, 10024 U.S. Highway 12, Randle, WA 98377 for the La Wis Wis Loop C/D Firewood sale. This sale is located in T. 14 N., R. 10 E., Section 29, W.M., Surveyed, Lewis County, Washington. Timber sale Contract 2400-4T will be used. The termination date for this sale is 05/14/2012.

The estimated quantities in this contract have been determined prior to felling. The total estimated quantity on this sale is 11 Cords. 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
Douglas-fir and Other Coniferous Species	Fuelwood	Cords	11.00	N/A	\$10.00	\$0.50	\$0.00	\$2.00
	Total	Cords	11.00				\$0.00	\$22.00

There is a \$100.00 bid guarantee required on this sale.

Included Material may only be removed in firewood form.

Skidding or pulling of any kind is prohibited. Included Material must be hand carried or rolled to an existing road or campsite.

Sale is located behind a locked gate. A key may be obtained from the Cowlitz Valley Ranger District, Monday - Friday, 7:30 am to 4:00 pm.

If you wish further information on this sale, the prospectus and bid form, please write or call the Cowlitz Valley Ranger District, 10024 U.S. Highway 12, Randle, WA 98377 (360-497-1147) or visit the forest webpage at <http://www.fs.usda.gov/giffordpinchot.com>.

Sincerely,

KRISTIE L. MILLER  
District Ranger

Enclosure