



File Code: 2430

Date: December 12, 2012

Dear Prospective Bidder:

On January 15, 2013, at 3:00 PM, sealed bids will be opened in the Supervisor's Office, Medicine Bow-Routt National Forests, 2468 Jackson Street, Laramie, WY 82070 for the Larson II Re-Offer sale. This sale is located in T10N R86W Sec. 26, 27, 28, 34, 35. Timber sale Contract 2400-6 will be used. The termination date for this sale is March 31, 2016.

Fifty percent or more of the timber in this sale is included timber that remained uncut upon termination of a previous contract with Intermountain Resources LLC, P.O. Box 670, Montrose, CO 81402. Title 36, Section 223.86, of the Code of Federal Regulations prohibits consideration of a bid for this sale from the previous purchaser or from any person currently affiliated with the previous purchaser. Bidders certify, by signing the bid form, that the bidder is not the purchaser or the third party who failed to complete the original contract and that the bidder is not an affiliate of this person.

There are 3.20 miles (5.15 kilometers) of specified road reconstruction, and 0.05 miles (0.08 kilometers) of specified road construction. A specified road construction cost of \$21,214.96 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 4,699.51 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

Species	Product	Unit of Measure	Estimated Quantities	Average DBH	Advertised Rates	Base Rates	Required Deposits	
							Slash Disposal	Road Maintenance
Engelmann Spruce Live and Dead	Sawtimber	CCF	1,280.20	14.50	\$32.03	\$5.00	\$2.10	\$7.53
Lodgepole Pine Live and Dead	Sawtimber	CCF	2,907.57	11.30	\$3.00	\$3.00	\$2.10	\$7.53
Subalpine Fir Live	Sawtimber	CCF	511.74	11.40	\$3.00	\$3.00	\$2.10	\$7.53
	TOTAL	CCF	4,699.51				\$9,868.97	\$35,387.31

The minimum acceptable weighted average bid rate is \$10.91 per CCF.

There is a \$6,000.00 bid guarantee required on this sale. A certified check, official bank check, bank draft, cashier's check, or bank money order, payable to the Forest Service, USDA, or cash must accompany the bid. No personal, business or company checks will be accepted as a Bid Guarantee.

If you need further information on this sale, or the prospectus and bid form, please write or call Jacob Somerset, Forester, at 307-745-2372 ([jsomerset@fs.fed.us](mailto:jsomerset@fs.fed.us)) or Contracting Officer, Medicine Bow-Routt National Forests, 2468 Jackson Street, Laramie WY 82070-6535. Also, the sale information can be printed from the Medicine Bow-Routt National Forests website: <http://www.fs.usda.gov/resources/mbr/landmanagement/resourcemanagement>.

Sincerely,



Jeff Stoney  
Deputy Forest Supervisor

