

Reply to: 2430  
Date: 07/06/2013

Dear Prospective Bidder:

On 08/22/2013, at 02:00 PM, sealed bids will be opened in the District Ranger's Office, 131 Smokey Lane, Marienville, PA 16239 for the Falls View sale. This sale is located in Warrants 4791, 4823 and 5282, Howe Township, Forest County, Pennsylvania. Timber sale Contract 2400-6T will be used. The termination date for this sale is 06/30/2016.

There are 0.76 miles (1.22 kilometers) of specified road reconstruction, and 0.50 miles (0.80 kilometers) of specified road construction. A specified road construction cost of \$75,405.00 has been allowed in the appraisal for this work.

The estimated quantities in this contract have been determined prior to felling. The total estimated quantity on this sale is 2,356 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
Black Cherry	Sawtimber	CCF	634.00	15.10	\$261.90	\$117.00	\$0.00	\$4.49
Hardwood - Other	Sawtimber	CCF	14.00	14.30	\$15.30	\$15.30	\$0.00	\$4.49
Red Maple	Sawtimber	CCF	76.00	14.90	\$44.03	\$42.00	\$0.00	\$4.49
Hardwood - Other	Pulpwood	CCF	1,632.00	9.40	\$1.90	\$1.90	\$0.00	\$4.49
	Total	CCF	2,356.00				\$0.00	\$10,578.44

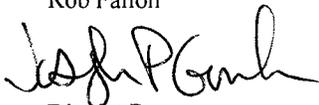
There is a \$17,300.00 bid guarantee required on this sale.

The USDA is an equal opportunity provider and employer.

If you wish further information on this sale, the prospectus and bid form, please write or call the Marienville District Ranger's Office, 131 Smokey Lane, Marienville, PA 16239, or on the Allegheny National Forest website at <http://www.fs.usda.gov/main/allegheny/workingtogether/contracting>.

Sincerely,

Rob Fallon



District Ranger

Enclosure