

Reply to: 2430
Date: 05/12/2025

Dear Prospective Bidder:

On 06/17/2025, at 10:00 AM, sealed bids will be opened in the Lake George District Office for the Imafungi sale. This sale is located in Compartments 45 and 49 of Ocala National Forest, Lake George Ranger District. The sale lies in portions of Township 14 South, Range 26 East, Sections 7 and 18, Tallahassee Meridian in Marion County, FL. Timber sale Contract 2400-6 will be used. The termination date for this sale is 08/31/2028.

Measurement of the estimated quantities will be made after felling. The total estimated quantity on this sale is 24,492 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							Required Deposits	
Species	Product	Unit of Measure	Estimated Quantities	Average DBH	Minimum Acceptable Bid Rates	Base Rates	Slash Disposal	Road Maintenance
Sand Pine	Non-Saw	Ton	24,492.00	N/A	\$11.83	\$8.46	\$0.00	\$0.00
	Total	Ton	24,492.00				\$0.00	\$0.00

The minimum acceptable bid for advertised timber is \$289,740.36 for the biddable species.

There is a \$29,000.00 bid guarantee required on this sale.

If you wish further information on this sale, the prospectus and bid form, please write or call the Lake George Ranger District Office 17147 East Highway 40 Silver Springs, FL 34488 Phone (352) 625-2520 or by visiting <https://www.fs.usda.gov/r08/florida/timber-sales>.

Sincerely,
/s/ Vince Mullins
Vince Mullins
Contracting Officer

Enclosure : map