

MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES DIVISION OF FORESTRY

NOTICE OF SALE OF STUMPAGE ON STATE LANDS IN THE FOLLOWING AREAS: BEMIDJI AREA, PARK RAPIDS AREA

STATUS: COMPLETED REGULAR AUCTION - SALE #5 SEALED BID

Notice is hereby given that I offered for sale by sealed bid auction, timber belonging to the State of Minnesota. Bid forms were required to be submitted at the address listed on the bid form prior to 2:00 PM on Monday, June 13, 2016. All tracts were awarded at the Blackduck Senior Center at 9:00 AM on June 14th, 2016 in Blackduck, MN.

All of the timber offered was SFI and FSC certified.

The following pages list the lands upon which the timber was located, the estimated quantities of timber offered, the appraised prices, and the bid prices.





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REGULAR AUCTION SEALED BID TIMBER SALE BEMIDJI AREA, PARK RAPIDS AREA

SEALED BIDS MUST BE RECEIVED PRIOR TO 2:00 PM on June 13, 2016 Bids will be awarded at the following location: Blackduck Senior Center at 9:00 AM on June 14th, 2016 in Blackduck, MN

TERMS OF SALE

- This auction sale will be held according to Minnesota Statutes Sections 90.101 and 90.14. Timber shall be offered and sold by the same unit of measure as it was appraised. Sale shall be made to the responsible bidder who bids the highest price for all timber species advertised for bidding on each tract. Bids must be submitted on bid forms provided by the State, each bid must be sealed in a separate envelope, the envelope must be clearly marked with the tract number and bidder's name on the outside of the envelope. Bid forms may be obtained from the Forestry Area Office(s) listed above. Bids may be submitted by mail or in person at any time during regular business hours prior to the bid submission deadline (June 13, 2016). Any or all bids may be rejected and sales canceled for good and sufficient reasons.

REGISTRATION AND ELIGIBLE BIDDERS

- Interested persons must be registered at least four (4) business days prior to the auction by submitting an *Annual Timber Sales Purchaser Registration* form. No bid will be accepted from anyone having a delinquent timber sale or trespass account or a willful timber trespass with any public agency in Minnesota, or from anyone who does not qualify as a Responsible Bidder as defined in Minnesota Statutes § 90.01 (12), or from anyone who has been debarred for cause by any public agency [M.S. § 90.041 (11)].

ADVANCE PAYMENT

- The advance payment of fifteen (15) percent of the appraised value of the timber is due within fourteen (14) days from the bid award date. Advance payments will not be accepted with the bid. Failure to provide the advance payment within 14 days of the bid opening date will result in forfeiture of the permit and the purchaser will be held liable for the advance payment. The successful bidders's advance payment will be kept on deposit by the State and applied against any billings for timber.

BID GUARANTEE

- For any bid increase in excess of \$10,000 of the appraised price, a bid guarantee equal to fifteen (15) percent of the total bid price of the timber less the down payment amount is required at the time the permit is signed. If the bid guarantee is not submitted with the signed permit, the permit cancels, and the down payment forfeits to the State. If the permit holder fails to execute an effective permit, the bid guarantee payment forfeits to the State.

PURCHASER AND LOGGER QUALIFICATIONS AND OPERATIONS REQUIREMENTS

- The purchaser or the purchaser's agents, employees, subcontractors, and assigns conducting logging operations on a timber permit must comply with the general industry safety standards for logging (e.g., LogSafe) adopted by the Commissioner of Labor and Industry and provide proof of compliance with these standards. The purchaser or the purchaser's agents, employees, subcontractors, and assigns conducting logging operations on a timber permit must comply with the State of Minnesota mandatory insurance requirements before harvest operations begin. A *Certification of Compliance with the Minnesota Workers' Compensation Law* form must be submitted each year. Before the start of harvest operations, the purchaser must certify that a designated foreperson, who will be supervising active logging operations, has a current certificate of completion from a logger education program (e.g., MLEP or FISTA) approved by the Commissioner of Natural Resources.

SECURITY REQUIRED

- The purchaser must furnish security equal to the total bid value of the permit, LESS the amount paid as an advance payment and bid guarantee. Security can be furnished in the following forms: Corporate surety bond, certified check, cashier's check, personal check, money order, or by signing a Cutting Block Payment Agreement for individual cutting blocks, at least one business day prior to the start of any permit operations. If the purchaser elects to receive a refund of the advance payment and bid guarantee, they must furnish security in a form described above, for one hundred (100) percent of the total bid value of the timber purchased. If the deferred cash payment for cutting blocks is selected, the advance payment and bid guarantee WILL NOT be refunded. If the purchaser elects to secure a permit by prepayment of cutting block(s), they must make a written request on a form provided by the state. No harvesting is permitted until proper security has been furnished to and approved by the Commissioner of Natural Resources or his agent.

PERMIT TERMS

- A permit to harvest and remove the timber from state lands will be issued to the purchaser. NO permit shall be issued to anyone other than the purchaser in whose name the bid was made. All timber purchased on the permit must be harvested prior to the permit expiration date. All permits provide for the continuous identification of timber from the time of cutting until delivery to the consumer. Failure to continuously identify the timber as specified in the permit shall constitute trespass. Also, please note all harvest specifications on each tract being sold. Only one Regular Extension is permitted for exceptional circumstances. An annual interest rate of 5 percent may be charged on a regular extension for the period of the extension.

UNSOLD TRACTS



- On the next regular business day (8:00 AM - 4:30 PM, Monday - Friday, except holidays) after the date of the auction sale, unsold tracts

TRACT B1 COUNTY: WADENA AREA: PARK RAPIDS AREA ACRES: 34.6

Permit Number: B013370 Expiration Date: 05/31/2017

Purchased By: Edin Logging Inc.

Address: 16568 - 235th Ave, Staples, MN 56479

NESW,NWNE,NWSE,SENW,SESW,SWNE,SWSE of Section 33 - Township 136, Range 33W.

					APPRAISED		BID %: 0		
	SPECIES	PRODUCT	VOLUME	UNIT	UNIT PRICE	\$ VALUE	PRICE	\$ VALUE	
4	PINE SPECIES	WOODSRUN MIXED PRODUCTS	378.00	Cd	7.00	2,646.00	7.00	2,646.00	
+	TREMBLING ASPEN	WOODSRUN CORDWOOD	87.00	Cd	5.00	435.00	5.00	435.00	
+ BID SPECIES * SOLD		ON APPRAISED VOLUME	APPRAISED TOTAL = ADVANCE PAYMENT =			\$3,081.00 \$462.15	BID TOTAL = \$ 3,081.00		
Optional Timber (may be purchased with an Added Timber Agreement):									
	* ANY LISTED SPECIES	BIOMASS	111.00	Tons	1.00	111.00			

Mixed Species Description:

Pine Species Woodsrun Mixed Products includes: Jack Pine 69%; Norway Pine 31%.

Mixed Product Description:

Pine Species Woodsrun Mixed Products includes: Bolts 35%; Pulpwood 65%.

Cutting and Felling:

- Reserve 8-10 trees per acre, evenly spaced. When possible reserve trees with partial live crowns.
- Full tree skidding required.
- Skidding should be dispersed in order to provide disturbance over whole site.

Season of Operations:

- Operate during non-rutting soil conditions. Refer to DNR rutting guidelines.

Sale Conditions:

- Access is across state land.

Marketing Conditions:

This is a salvage sale in the Lyons State Forest. Timber was burned on May 5th, 2016. Jack pine averages 8 inch DBH and 4 sticks. Norway pine averages 7 inch DBH and 2 sticks. Due to beetle outbreaks and wood quality issues it is recommended that this sale be cut as soon as possible.

Price Adjustments:

Road Construction Costs: 0% Haul Distance to Nearest Mill: 0%

Stand Density: 0%

Operational Constraints: 0% Other Price Factor: 0%

Appraiser:

Andrew Kernan

TRACT B2 COUNTY: HUBBARD AREA: BEMIDJI AREA ACRES: 112.8

Permit Number: B013371 Expiration Date: 05/31/2017

Purchased By: Hillside Lumber Inc.

Address: PO Box 357, Bagley, MN 56621

GL01,GL02,NESE,NWSE,NWSW,SENE,SESE,SESW,SWNE,SWSE of Section 36 - Township 144, Range

35W.

						UNIT	APPRAISED		BID %: 444 UNIT	
S	PECIES		PRODUCT	VOLUME	UNIT	PRICE	\$ VALUE	PRICE	\$ VALUE	
+	PINE SPECIES		WOODSRUN MIXED PRODUCTS	1,730.00	Cd	7.00	12,110.00	38.08	65,878.40	
+	ASPEN SPECIES	;	WOODSRUN CORDWOOD	300.00	Cd	5.00	1,500.00	27.20	8,160.00	
	WHITE SPRUCE		WOODSRUN MIXED PRODUCTS	35.00	Cd	5.00	175.00	5.00	175.00	
	PAPER BIRCH		WOODSRUN CORDWOOD	25.00	Cd	3.00	75.00	3.00	75.00	
	BALSAM FIR		WOODSRUN CORDWOOD	5.00	Cd	3.00	15.00	3.00	15.00	
+ BID SPECIES		* SOLD ON APPRAISED VOLUME			APPRAISED TOTAL =		\$13,875.00	BID TOTAL = \$ 74,303.40		
				ADVANCE PAYMENT =		\$2,081.25				

960.00 Tons

1.00

960.00

Mixed Species Description:

ANY LISTED SPECIES

Aspen Species Woodsrun Cordwood includes: Balm of Gilead 10%; Trembling Aspen 90%. Pine Species Woodsrun Mixed Products includes: Jack Pine 10%; Norway Pine 89%; White Pine 1%.

Mixed Product Description:

Pine Species Woodsrun Mixed Products includes: Bolts 65%; Pulpwood 30%; Sawtimber 5%. White Spruce Woodsrun Mixed Products includes: Bolts 40%; Pulpwood 60%.

Season of Operations:

- Conduct sale operations on dry/frozen soil conditions only, except with written permission from State.
- Operate during non-rutting soil conditions. Refer to DNR rutting guidelines.

BIOMASS

Slash Disposal:

- Tightly pile slash on landings for future burning.

Sale Conditions:

- Access is across state land.
- The sale will expire May 31, 2017 due to wildfire salvage.

Marketing Conditions:

Sale is located 7.5 miles Northeast of Lake Alice along 410th street.

Charring on the trees reaches approximately 30' high.

Red Pine averages 6-7 sticks and 10-12"dbh Aspen averages 5-7 sticks and 9-10" dbh

Price Adjustments:

Road Construction Costs: 0% Haul Distance to Nearest Mill: 0%

Stand Density: 0%

Operational Constraints: 0%

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Other Price Factor: -75% (wildfire salvage)

Appraiser:

Cory B. Kimball

(Appraisal ID 12177-0; Cutting Block ID 14237-0)

Harvest specifications and additional information about each tract may be obtained upon request from the following DNR Area Forestry Offices:

BEMIDJI AREA, PARK RAPIDS AREA

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

For the Commissioner
MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

By:

Authorized Signature Division Of Forestry

Dated: June 13, 2016

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SUMMARY FOR <u>SOLD</u> TRACTS									
PRODUCT	RODUCT SPECIES			SOLD AVERAGE UNIT PRICE	TOTAL SOLD \$ VALUE				
WOODSRUN MIXED PRODUCTS	PINE SPECIES WHITE SPRUCE	2,108.00 35.00		32.51 5.00	68,524.40 175.00				
WOODSRUN CORDWOOD	ASPEN SPECIES	300.00		27.20	8,160.00				
	TREMBLING ASPEN PAPER BIRCH	87.00 25.00		5.00 3.00	435.00 75.00				
	BALSAM FIR	5.00	Cd	3.00	15.00				
BIOMASS	ANY LISTED SPECIES (optional)	1,071.00	Tons	-	0.00				

TOTAL SOLD TRACTS CONVERTED TO CORDS: 2,560.00
TOTAL APPRAISED DOLLAR VALUE OF SOLD TRACTS: \$ 16,956.00
TOTAL BID-UP DOLLAR VALUE OF SOLD TRACTS: \$ 77,384.40
TOTAL ACRES SOLD: 147.4

TOTAL NUMBER OF TRACTS SOLD: 2