

Reply to: 2430  
Date: 07/20/2022

Dear Prospective Bidder:

On 08/23/2022, at 10:00 AM, sealed bids will be opened in the Forest Supervisors Office Winchester Ky for the Bear Creek sale. This sale is located in Daniel Boone National Forest on the Redbird Ranger District, Approximately 17 miles south of Peabody on KY 1524. Timber sale Contract 2400-6T will be used. The termination date for this sale is 09/30/2025.

The estimated quantities in this contract have been determined prior to felling. The total estimated quantity on this sale is 5,165 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 |
| Hardwoods  | Sawtimber | CCF             | 2,685.00             | N/A         | \$82.49          | \$5.00     | \$0.00            | \$0.00           |
| Oak  | Sawtimber | CCF             | 814.00               | N/A         | \$86.52          | \$5.00     | \$0.00            | \$0.00           |
| White Oak  | Sawtimber | CCF             | 310.00               | N/A         | \$242.29         | \$5.00     | \$0.00            | \$0.00           |
| Combined Hardwoods                                 | Pulpwood  | CCF             | 1,356.00             | N/A         | \$1.00           | \$1.00     | \$0.00            | \$0.00           |
|  | Total     | CCF             | 5,165.00             |             |                  |            | \$0.00            | \$0.00           |

There is a \$36,900.00 bid guarantee required on this sale.

A pre-bid show me trip will be held Tuesday, August 2nd, 2022 at 0930. Participants will meet at the parking lot of the Redbird Ranger District Office at 91 Peabody Road, Big Creek, KY, 40914, Phone: 606-598-2192. To access and print the bid package forms, please go to <https://www.fs.usda.gov/dbnf/>, and click in the Quick Links. If you don't have internet access, a printed copy of the bid package can be provided by contacting Kevin Beck at 859-556-3874, Melvin Dean at [melvin.dean@usda.gov](mailto:melvin.dean@usda.gov), or the Redbird Ranger District, 91 Peabody Road, Big Creek, KY, 40914, Phone: 606-598-2192. If you have any further questions about this sale, please contact Kevin Beck, Melvin Dean, or the Redbird Ranger District.

Sincerely,

Kevin Beck  
Contracting Officer

Enclosure