

**NOTICE OF TIMBER SALE****(Recovery – Scaled Sale)**

SALE NAME/NO.: Pit Bull 341-06-09

AUCTION DATE/TIME: August 19, 2005, starting at 2:00 p.m.

AUCTION LOCATION: Oregon Department of Forestry  
Forest Grove District Headquarters  
801 Gales Creek Road  
Forest Grove, Oregon 97116-1199  
(503) 357-2191 FAX (503) 357-4548

DISTRICT/UNIT OFFICE (MAILING ADDRESS FOR BIDS): Oregon Department of Forestry  
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HARVEST TYPE: Area 1: 86 acres, PC-M  
Area 2: 20 acres, PC-M  
Area 3: 108 acres, MC  
Area 4: 77 acres, PC-M  
Area 5: 5 acres, R/W

SALE LOCATION: Portions of Sections 17 and 18, T4N, R5W, W.M., Columbia County, Oregon.  
Portions of Section 13, T4N, R6W, W.M., Clatsop County, Oregon.

DIRECTIONS TO TIMBER SALE AREA: From Forest Grove, go north on Highway 47 to Highway 26. Go northwest on Highway 26 to North Fork Wolf Creek Road (just past milepost 35) and turn right. Go 4.5 miles to junction of McGregor Road and turn right. Continue on McGregor Road for 3 miles to the timber sale area.

**APPRAISED VOLUMES AND QUALITY:**

SPECIES	AVG DBH	TOTAL MBF	GRADES BY MBF													
			1P	2P	3P	P	SM	1S	2S	3S	4S	5S	6S	SEL	SC	UT
Douglas-fir	18"	5,039							2,580	2,181	278					
Sale Total		5,039														

MINIMUM BID: BID SPECIES Douglas-fir ..... \$427.72 per MBF

NO-BID SPECIES Western hemlock and other conifers ..... \$199.53 per MBF  
Western red cedar..... \$709.53 per MBF  
Red alder and other hardwoods..... \$409.53 per MBF

There is no project amortization. ODF will **not** reduce the price of a species to amortize the project work. Instead ODF will credit PURCHASER's timber account in the amount of \$55,250 after the project work is completed and accepted, as described in Section 2630, "Credit for Project Work."

The timber sale areas contain negligible volumes of other logs to be paid for at the prices in Section 1740.

PERFORMANCE SECURITY: 20% of bid value (unknown) **or** the total value of the project work (\$56,000), whichever is greater. Actual bond amount will be rounded up to an even \$1,000 unit.

EXPIRATION DATE: October 1, 2007 BID METHOD: Sealed Bids

BID DEPOSIT: \$210,000 SALE TYPE: Recovery/BOF - 100%

INSURANCE: \$1,000,000 Commercial General Liability; \$1,000,000 Automobile Liability;  
\$1,000,000 Logger's Broad Form

HARVEST METHOD: Areas 1, 2, and 4: 60% cable yarding and 40% ground-based yarding.

Area 3: 70% cable yarding and 30% ground-based yarding.

PROJECTS:

Project No. 1: 1.02 miles of road construction

0.62 mile of road construction

Project No. 2: Surfacing 1.64 miles of road

Project No. 3: Grass seeding and fertilization

FEES:

None.

ENDANGERED SPECIES  
ACT COMPLIANCE  
STATEMENT:

The Oregon Department of Forestry (ODF) is engaged in an active threatened and endangered (T&E) species survey program. Surveys, determinations, and management measures are developed and implemented in good faith compliance with federal and state Endangered Species Act (ESA) requirements. Restrictions on operations due to T&E species considerations are included in the prospectus. Purchasers are required to comply with all federal and state laws, including the Endangered Species Act. Purchaser should take steps to be certain that no ESA violations occur. Prospective purchasers of timber sales are reminded that ODF surveying efforts may take place any time during the term of a timber sale contract. As part of the survey program, ODF surveys its lands on a continuing basis for land management, species protection, research, and other reasons. During the contract term, T&E survey work and/or the discovery of a threatened or endangered species within or in the vicinity of a timber sale may affect operations contemplated under the contract. In the event a threatened or endangered species is found within or near this sale, ODF may take steps necessary to protect the interests of the State, including contract alteration, suspension, or termination.

Prospective purchasers are encouraged to contact the Forest Grove ODF District at 503-357-2191 for further information or questions relative to threatened or endangered species surveys, future planned survey information, or other threatened or endangered species information.

SPECIAL REMARKS:

**SEASONAL RESTRICTIONS APPLY - SEE SECTION 2455.**

**Felling must be completed by March 15, 2007.**

Acres determined by GIS.

Elevation is 1,000 to 1,800 feet.

216 trees to be topped in Area 3, which may be selected from Douglas-fir in Green Tree Retention areas.

20 acres of brush piling in Area 3 for site prep.

30 hours of sorting material suitable for firewood, all sale areas.

SALE OBJECTIVES:

This sale is aligned with the objectives of the NWO Forest Management Plan. The Plan presents guiding principles, a forest vision, and resource management goals.

Guiding Principles (in part) – To secure the greatest permanent value of these lands to the state, the State Forester shall maintain these lands as forest lands and actively manage them in a sound environmental manner to provide sustainable timber harvest and revenues to the state, counties, and local taxing districts. This management focus is not exclusive of other forest resources but must be pursued within a broader management context.

The information shown on the Exhibit A map(s) are approximate locations. Exact locations of features represented by map symbols shall be determined on site and shall depend upon the conditions that exist on site. Activities shall be conducted based upon features determined on site rather than features shown on maps.

**See inside front cover of Timber Sale Schedule handbook for disclaimer regarding all governmental regulatory actions.**

<b>SALE NAME:</b>	<b>Pit Bull</b>
<b>COUNTY:</b>	<b>Columbia/Clatsop</b>
<b>CONTRACT NO.:</b>	<b>341-06-09</b>

TIMBER SALE NAME: **Pit Bull**

TIMBER SALE NO.: **341-06-09**

OPENING DATE: **August 19, 2005**

## **FORM OF PROPOSAL**

The undersigned agrees to accept and perform all of the above terms and conditions as stated in the form of contract for the above-cited timber sale, and bids, and will pay:

Bid Species:

**Douglas-fir**, sawmill grade or better, \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Dollars (\$ \_\_\_\_\_) per MBF.

Minimum grades and volumes for bid species are stated in the timber sale prospectus.

No-bid species will remain as shown:

**Western hemlock and other conifers** ..... **\$199.53** per MBF.  
**Western red cedar** ..... **\$709.53** per MBF.  
**Red alder and other hardwoods** ..... **\$409.53** per MBF.

Enclosed is a bid deposit as required, consisting of a \_\_\_\_\_ in the amount of **\$210,000**, payable to the Oregon Department of Forestry.

The undersigned agrees to execute and deliver the contract, initial payment, required certificates of insurance, and performance bond, within thirty (30) days of the date of the written notice of intent to award; and that any cash bid deposit may be applied to the first required timber sale payment.

The undersigned understands that the bid is irrevocable and further agrees that if they fail to qualify under the terms of the contract within the thirty-day period, the bid deposit shall become the property of the Oregon Department of Forestry as liquidated damages.

BIDDER \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of Individual or Company and Authorized Official)

TAX ID NO. \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

BY \_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of Authorized Official & Title)

COMPLETE PURCHASER'S STATUS ON PAGE 2

**PURCHASER'S STATUS**

Purchaser is a corporation ☐ Check  
( ) Incorporated in  
the State of \_\_\_\_\_

President's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Secretary's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Purchaser is: ☐ a partnership ☐ an assumed (business) ☐ company  
☐ an individual name

List names of all persons doing business under the partnership or assumed name:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

If assumed name is subsidiary to a corporation, fill in data requested of corporation also and write in corporation name here:

\_\_\_\_\_

**CERTIFICATION OF ELIGIBILITY**  
**TO BID ON STATE TIMBER**

\_\_\_\_\_ hereby certifies that they:

**EXPORT**

- (a) Will not export the unprocessed State timber as defined in OAR 629-031-0020 which is the subject of this transaction;
- (b) Will not sell, transfer, exchange, or otherwise convey the unprocessed timber as defined above which is the subject of this transaction to any other person without first obtaining a certification from that person which meets the requirements of OAR 629-031-0030.
- (c) Are not prohibited by OAR's 629-031-0005 through 0045 from bidding for unprocessed State timber as defined above directly from the State Forester.
- (d) Understand that falsely entering into this certification is a violation of the Forest Resources Conservation Amendments Act of 1993 and OAR Chapter 629, Division 31, and is subject to any and all penalties contained therein.
- (e) Have not exported unprocessed timber originating from private lands in Oregon in the last 24 months, **or if bidding only on STATE hardwood timber or logs, HAVE** exported unprocessed timber originating from private lands in Oregon in the last 24 months, but **HAVE NOT** exported unprocessed **hardwood** timber originating from private lands in Oregon in the last 24 months **and** meet the requirements of OAR 629-031-0010(2).

**DEFAULT, TERMINATION, AND OTHER RELATED MATTERS**

- (a) Are not currently in default status under any timber sale contract sold by the State Forester.
- (b) Has not, within a 3-year period preceding this bid, had one or more Federal, State, or local timber sales terminated for cause or default.
- (c) If (b) above is Yes, has submitted an explanation, in writing, with this bid for consideration by STATE. Any such explanation shall be submitted at the time of bid on a separate piece of paper.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signed

\_\_\_\_\_  
Title

\_\_\_\_\_  
Dated

[NOTE: For the purpose of this form, the definition of unprocessed timber is the same as in OAR 629-031-0005.]

## Biological Survey Report

Project: Pit Bull  
Date: January 25, 2005  
To: Erik Marcy  
CC: Dave Johnson, District Sale File  
From: Marcia Humes

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### **Habitat Suitability**

This sale contains suitable habitat for northern spotted owls. This sale does not contain potential habitat for marbled murrelets.

### **Survey Results**

This sale was surveyed for northern spotted owls in 2003 and 2004, using a protocol endorsed by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service<sup>1</sup>. Northern spotted owls were not observed during these surveys.

Surveys for marbled murrelets are not necessary for this sale.

### **Known T&E Resources**

There are no northern spotted owl activity centers within 1.5 miles or Marbled Murrelet Management Areas within 330 feet of this sale.

### **Operational Considerations**

Current northern spotted owl survey results are valid until March 15, 2007. All timber should be felled by March 15, 2007.

### **Future Survey Plans**

ODF has no plans for further survey of this sale. However, ODF has an active survey program and northern spotted owl surveys will be conducted within 3 miles of this sale during the life of the contract. Marbled murrelet surveys are not scheduled to be conducted within 0.25 miles of the sale at this time.

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<sup>1</sup> USDI Fish and Wildlife Service. 1991, revised 1992. Protocol for surveying proposed management activities that may impact northern spotted owls. 15pp.

## Survey Results Summary

**Table 1. Northern Spotted Owl Surveys of Pit Bull**

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