

NOTICE OF TIMBER SALE

(Recovery – Scaled Sale)

SALE NAME/NO.: North Murphy 341-10-84

AUCTION DATE/TIME: April 20, 2010 starting at 10:00 a.m.

AUCTION LOCATION: Oregon Department of Forestry
Tillamook District Headquarters
5005 Third Street
Tillamook, Oregon 97141
(503) 842-2545 FAX (503) 842-3143

DISTRICT/UNIT OFFICE (MAILING ADDRESS FOR BIDS): Oregon Department of Forestry
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HARVEST TYPE: Area 1 is 110 acres of modified clearcut; Area 2 is 86 acres of modified clearcut; Area 3 is 4 acres of partial cut.
Approximate age: 45

SALE LOCATION: Portions of Sections 34 and 35, T1S, R7W and portions of Section 2, T2S, R7W, W.M., Tillamook County, Oregon.

DIRECTIONS TO TIMBER SALE AREA: From Tillamook, travel east on Hwy. 6 approximately 2.1 miles, turn right on Olsen Road to Trask River Road, travel approximately 12 miles and turn left on North Fork Trask River Road, travel approximately 3.5 miles and take a slight right onto Bark Shanty Road, travel approximately 3 miles and take a slight left onto Township Road, travel approximately 2 miles and take Murphy Grade to the left.

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	CR	WRM	PLP
Douglas-fir	15"	1,765							204	1,073	488								
W Hem. / fir	12"	206								115	91								
Red Alder	14"	1,132								336	796								
Sale Total		3,103																	

MINIMUM BID: BID SPECIES Douglas-fir..... \$135.61 per MBF
Red alder and other hardwoods..... \$144.98 per MBF

NO-BID SPECIES Western hemlock and other conifers \$ 54.78 per MBF
Western redcedar and other cedars \$510.00 per MBF

In order to compensate Purchaser for the project work, ODF will credit PURCHASER's timber account in the amount of \$ 91,290 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 (\$ 92,000), whichever is greater. Actual bond amount will be rounded up to an even \$1,000 unit.

EXPIRATION DATE: October 31, 2013 BID METHOD: Sealed Bids

BID DEPOSIT: \$32,300 SALE TYPE: Recovery/BOF - 100%

INSURANCE: \$2,000,000 Commercial General Liability; \$2,000,000 Automobile Liability; \$2,000,000 Logger's Broad Form

HARVEST METHOD: 94% cable yarding and 6% ground-based yarding.

PROJECTS: 0.5 mile of road construction.
5.8 miles of road improvement.
0.8 mile of road re-construction.
Process and compact 500 cy of crushed rock surfacing.
Repair guard rail on Bark Shanty Bridge.

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 Tillamook ODF District at (503) 842-2545 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: **NO PERSONAL OR COMPANY CHECKS WILL BE ACCEPTED FOR THE BID DEPOSIT.**

SEASONAL RESTRICTIONS APPLY - SEE SECTION 2455.

Sale acreage was determined using GIS.

Section 2015, "Log Accountability; 2020, "Log Measurement"; and "Log Branding and Painting", contain special language for pulp removal.

Hauling on North Fork Trask, Bark Shanty, and Township Roads is not allowed between November 1 and April 30.

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.

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COUNTY: Tillamook
CONTRACT NO.: 341-10-84

TIMBER SALE NAME: **North Murphy**

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OPENING DATE: **April 20, 2010**

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.

Red alder and other hardwoods, 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.....\$ **54.78** per MBF.
Western red cedar and other cedars.....\$**510.00** per MBF.

Enclosed is a bid deposit as required, consisting of a _____ in the amount of **\$32,300** 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. **If the undersigned fails to qualify within the thirty-day period, STATE may disqualify the undersigned from submitting another bid on this timber sale.**

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

**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.]



Oregon

Theodore R. Kulongoski, Governor

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"STEWARDSHIP
IN FORESTRY"

Biological Survey Report

Project: North Murphy
Date: January 7, 2009
To: Tim Lieske
CC: Andy White, District Sale File
From: Jennifer Weikel 

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TILLAMOOK

Habitat Suitability

This sale does not contain potentially suitable habitat for marbled murrelets. This sale is located within the historic Tillamook burn. By ODF policy northern spotted owl surveys are not required.

Survey Results

Surveys for northern spotted owls and marbled murrelets are not necessary for this sale.

Known T&E Resources

There are no northern spotted owl activity centers or Marbled Murrelet Management Areas affecting this sale.

Operational Considerations

There are no seasonal restrictions for marbled murrelets or spotted owls for this sale.

Future Survey Plans

ODF has no plans to survey of this sale. However, ODF has an active survey program and northern spotted owl surveys as part of Tillamook burn monitoring and other operations will be conducted within 3 miles of this sale during the life of the contract.