

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

SALE NAME/NO.: By The Way 341-14-50

AUCTION DATE/TIME: August 23, 2013, starting at 2:00 p.m.

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

DISTRICT/UNIT: Oregon Department of Forestry  
OFFICE (MAILING): Forest Grove District Headquarters  
ADDRESS FOR BIDS: 801 Gales Creek Road  
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HARVEST TYPE: Areas 1 through 18 are 35 acres of Modified Clearcut.

SALE LOCATION: Portions of Sections 19, 20, and 30, T2N, R5W, W.M., and portions of Section 25, T2N, R6W, W.M., Washington County, Oregon.

DIRECTIONS TO TIMBER SALE AREA: From Forest Grove, head west on Highway 8 to its junction with Highway 6. Turn left and proceed west for approximately 6 miles to Area 18.

**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	19"	1,352							921	362	69								
W Hem. / fir	20"	41							35	3	3								
Red Alder	14"	52															52		
Bigleaf Maple	11"	8															8		
Sale Total		1,453																	

MINIMUM BID: BID SPECIES Douglas-fir ..... \$296.76 per MBF

NO-BID SPECIES Western hemlock and other conifers ..... \$214.16 per MBF  
Western redcedar and other cedars ..... \$810.85 per MBF  
Red alder ..... \$269.01 per MBF  
Bigleaf maple and other hardwoods ..... \$ 94.01 per MBF

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. Bond amount will be rounded up to an even \$1,000 unit.

EXPIRATION DATE: May 23, 2014 BID METHOD: Sealed Bids

BID DEPOSIT: \$42,400 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: Areas 1 through 18 are 100% ground-based yarding.

PROJECTS: None.

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. In some cases, ODF may require that initiation of operations be delayed to allow for completion of spot check surveys as recommended by the USFWS survey protocol and required by ODF policy. 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 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:**

**NO PERSONAL OR COMPANY CHECKS ACCEPTED FOR THE BID DEPOSIT.**

**Pulp removal is required.**

**Areas 1-18 are posted with orange numbered signs visible from the highway.**

**Applications and Permits are required and can be obtained through Oregon Department of Transportation (ODOT, Phone 503-325-3580).**

**Removal of all material that could reach the highway is required. Flaggers are required – see Section 2120.**

**Highway cleaning is required – see Section 2120.**

**Felling, Section 2310.**

**Equipment washing is required – see Section 2416.**

**Seasonal Restrictions, Section 2455.**

**Slopes range from 5-70%.**

**Acres were determined using ESRI ArcMap GIS Software.**

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

<b>SALE NAME:</b>	<b>By The Way</b>
<b>COUNTY:</b>	<b>Washington</b>
<b>CONTRACT NO.:</b>	<b>341-14-50</b>

TIMBER SALE NAME: **By The Way**

TIMBER SALE NO.: **341-14-50**

OPENING DATE: **August 23, 2013**

## **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** ..... **\$214.16** per MBF.  
**Western redcedar and other cedars** ..... **\$810.85** per MBF.  
**Red alder** ..... **\$269.01** per MBF.  
**Bigleaf maple and other hardwoods**..... **\$ 94.01** per MBF.

Enclosed is a bid deposit as required, consisting of a \_\_\_\_\_ in the amount of **\$42,400**, 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

**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 directly or indirectly export the unprocessed State timber as defined in OAR 629-031-0020 which is the subject of this transaction.
- (b) Shall not engage in export of unprocessed timber originating from private lands in Oregon until such time as all interests in contracts for State timber held by the above have terminated, per OAR 629-031-0010(1)(d).
- (c) 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.
- (d) 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.
- (e) 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.
- (f) Have not directly or indirectly 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

John A. Kitzhaber, MD, Governor

## Department of Forestry

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FORESTRY"

## Biological Survey Report

**Project:** By the Way  
**Date:** July 15, 2013  
**To:** Eric Marcy  
**CC:** Mike Cafferata, District Sale File  
**From:** Matt Gostin

### Habitat Suitability

This sale contains potentially suitable habitat for northern spotted owls. This sale is located in the Marbled Murrelet Systematic Survey Zone. By ODF policy, operational marbled murrelet surveys are not required.

### Survey Results

This sale was surveyed for northern spotted owls in 2012 using a protocol endorsed by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service<sup>1,2</sup>. Northern spotted owls were not observed during these surveys. A 257 acre survey coverage gap in coverage occurred in 2012. To address this gap, a hypothetical owl resource site was utilized to conduct a Biological Assessment (BA) to analyze risk of take. The BA concludes that the likelihood of take of northern spotted owls is low. Surveys are ongoing in 2013 with no observations of spotted owls to date.

Surveys for marbled murrelets are not necessary for this sale.

<sup>1</sup> USDI Fish and Wildlife Service. 2011. Protocol for surveying proposed management activities that may impact northern spotted owls. 38pp.

<sup>2</sup> Oregon Department of Forestry, June 1, 2010. Policy bulletin SFB – 10-03, Northern Spotted Owl Policy Update - Northern Spotted Owl Survey Protocol.

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

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

### **Operational Considerations**

No felling, except for felling associated with project work, shall be allowed prior to the completion of the 2013 northern spotted owl surveys indicating no resident spotted owls.

Felling restrictions for spotted owl spot check surveys are not required for this sale at this time.

Spotted owl northern spotted owl survey results will be valid until March 15, 2016 once the 2013 surveys have been completed. .

All timber should be felled by March 15, 2016.

### **Future Survey Plans**

Spotted owl spot check surveys for this timber sale will be required in 2014 and 2015. In addition, 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.

## Survey Results Summary

Table 1. Northern Spotted Owl Surveys of By the Way

Survey Area Year	Visit #1 Date	Visit #2 Date	Visit #3 Date	Visit #4 Date	Visit #5 Date	Visit #6 Date
By the Way	4/18	5/7	6/6	7/3	7/24	8/14
	4/20	5/8	6/8	7/5	7/25	8/15
	4/22	5/9	6/9	7/6	7/26	8/16
	4/23	5/10	6/10			
	4/24		6/11			
2012	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
By the Way	4/15	5/15	6/11	7/9	TBA	TBA
	4/15-16	5/15-16	6/11-12	7/9-10		
	4/17-18	5/16	6/12	7/10		
	4/18	5/16-17	6/12-13	7/10-11		
	4/18-19	5/17	6/13			
	4/21	5/17-18	6/13-14			
	4/21-22	5/18-19	6/14-15			
2013	NR	NR	NR	NR		

NR - no response

V - visual response

bb - new bird banded

j - juvenile

jj - 2 juveniles

- last visit to site

M<sub>0</sub> - mouse refused

M<sub>1</sub> - 1mice taken

M<sub>2</sub> - 2 mice taken

M<sub>3</sub> - 3 mice taken

M<sub>4</sub> - 4 mice taken

M<sub>5</sub> - 5 mice taken

M<sub>6</sub> - 6 mice taken

♂ ♂ ♂ - Pair (day, night, early morning)

♂ ♂ ♂ - Male (day, night, early morning)

♀ ♀ ♀ - Female (day, night, early morning)

○ ⊗ ⊙ - Sex Unk (day, night, early morning)