

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

SALE NAME/NO.: Dark Horse Chip Sale 343-14-843

AUCTION DATE/TIME: November 12, 2013, starting at 2:00 p.m.

AUCTION LOCATION: Walker Range Patrol Association
135393 Hwy. 97 N.
Crescent, Oregon 97733
541-883-5681 FAX (541) 883-5555 (Klamath-Lake District for sale inquiries)

DISTRICT/UNIT: Klamath Lake District
OFFICE (MAILING): 3200 Delap Road
ADDRESS FOR BIDS: Klamath Falls, Oregon 97601
541-883-5681 FAX (541) 883-5555

HARVEST TYPE: 662-Acre Selection Harvest.

SALE LOCATION: Gilchrist State Forest:

Portions of SE ¼ Section 1, NE¼ Section 12, SE ¼ Section 12, T25S, R8E, W.M.,
Klamath County, Oregon.

Portions of NW ¼ Section 7, S½ Section 7, T25S, R9E, W.M., Klamath County, Oregon.

DIRECTIONS TO TIMBER SALE AREA: From Klamath Falls, proceed north on Hwy. 97 to the 9768 Road (2 miles south of Crescent, Oregon). Sale boundary begins in the east right-of-way at the road intersection. Refer to Exhibit A for maps and location.

APPRAISED VOLUMES AND QUALITY:

SPECIES	AVG DBH	TOTAL Tons	GRADES BY MBF																
			1P	2P	3P	P	SM	1S	2S	3S	4S	5S	6S	SEL	SC	UT	CR	WRM	PLP
Pulp Material	---	6,102																	6,102
Sale Total		6,102																	

MINIMUM BID: BID SPECIES Pulp Material (4" DBH and greater)..... \$1 per GREEN TON

PERFORMANCE SECURITY: \$2,500.00

EXPIRATION DATE: October 15, 2016 BID METHOD: Sealed Bids

BID DEPOSIT: \$1,000 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: 100% tractor logging, a mechanical feller-buncher with a lateral reaching boom is required for all mechanical felling.

PROJECTS: Road Maintenance.
Road Closures on interior.

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 Klamath Lake District at 3200 Delap Rd., Klamath Falls, OR 97601 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.

Acres were determined using the district GIS library.

Sale area is marked with Timber Sale Boundary Signs and PINK AND BLACK flagging.

Additional blue flagging marks the Gilchrist State Forest boundary.

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.

SALE NAME:	Dark Horse Chip Sale
COUNTY:	Klamath Falls
CONTRACT NO.:	341-14-843

TIMBER SALE NAME: **Dark Horse Chip Sale**

TIMBER SALE NO.: **343-14-843**

OPENING DATE: **November 12, 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:

Pulp Material, _____ Dollars \$ _____ per GREEN TON

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

Enclosed is a bid deposit as required, consisting of a _____ in the amount of **\$1,000.00**, 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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"STEWARDSHIP IN
FORESTRY"

Biological Survey Report

Project: All 342 and 343 fiscal year 2014 sales on the Gilchrist State Forest

Date: October 17, 2013

To: John Pellissier

CC: Greg Pittman, District Sale File

From: Matt Gostin

Habitat Suitability

The Gilchrist State Forest is beyond the known range of the northern spotted owl.

Known T&E Resources

There are no known T&E resource sites on the Gilchrist State Forest.

Operational Considerations

There are no seasonal operating restrictions for threatened or endangered species resource sites.

Future Survey Plans

ODF has no plans to conduct wildlife surveys in the Gilchrist State Forest at this time.