### **Recovery Timber Sale**

### **NOTICE OF TIMBER SALE**

NAME/NO.: Rebott WO-341-2022-W00683-01

AUCTION DATE/TIME: July, 22 2021, starting at 10:00 AM

AUCTION LOCATION: West Oregon

24533 ALŠEA HWY PHILOMATH, OR 97370

(541) 929-3266 FAX: (541) 929-5549

DISTRICT/ West Oregon
OFFICE (MAILING 24533 ALSEA HWY
ADDRESS FOR BIDS): PHILOMATH, OR 97370

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HARVEST TYPE: Area 1 is approximately 4 net acres of modified clearcut of 67-year-old

Douglas-fir. Area 2 is approximately 106 net acres of modified clearcut with 14 acres of 80–85-year-old Douglas-fir and approximately 92 acres of 36-

to 55-year-old Douglas-fir with pockets of red alder.

LOCATION: Portions of Section(s) 21, 28 of T10S R7W W.M., Benton Co., Oregon

**DIRECTIONS TO** 

TIMBER From Philomath take Hwy 20 west for 4.2 miles, turn right onto Hwy 223 SALE AREA: Kings Valley Hwy. Continue on Hwy 223 for 6.2 miles turn left onto Hoskins

Road, in 1.7 miles turn left across bridge to stay on Hoskins Road. Continue on Hoskins Road for another 3.1 miles, turn right onto Shingle Creek Road. Continue on Shingle Creek Road for 2.2 miles, turn left onto Bottger Ridge Road. Continue on Bottger Ridge Road for 0.7 miles to Unit 2 on the left. To Unit 1, stay on Shingle Creek Road for 0.6 miles past the

junction with Bottger Ridge Road.

### APPRAISED VOLUMES AND QUALITY:

Conifer/Hwd	Species Group	Species	Product	AVG DBH	Grade	Volume	UOM	Diam. From	Diam. To	Length From	Length To
Conifers	Douglas-fir	Douglas-fir	Sawlog		2 M	2256	MBF				
Conifers	Douglas-fir	Douglas-fir	Sawlog		3 M	890	MBF				
Conifers	Douglas-fir	Douglas-fir	Sawlog		4 M	157	MBF				
Hardwood	Red alder	Red alder	Sawlog		CR	124	MBF				
Hardwood	Bigleaf maple	Bigleaf maple	Sawlog		CR	118	MBF				
Sale Total:						3,545	MBF				

#### MINIMUM BID:

•	Species Category	Species Group	Species	Product	Grade	Volume	Diameter From	Diameter To	Length From	Length To	Price	UOM
Bid	Conifers	Douglas-fir	Douglas- fir			3303					\$518.64	MBF
No-Bid	Conifers			Pulp		0					\$3.00	TON
No-Bid	Conifers			Utility	SC	0					\$100.00	MBF
No-Bid	Conifers					0					\$286.73	MBF
No-Bid	Conifers			Utility	PC	0					\$100.00	MBF
No-Bid	Conifers	Cedar				0					\$914.73	MBF
No-Bid	Hardwood			Pulp		0					\$3.00	TON
No-Bid	Hardwood					118					\$64.47	MBF
No-Bid	Hardwood	Red alder	Red alder			124					\$304.96	MBF

In order to compensate PURCHASER for Project Work, ODF will credit PURCHASER's timber account in the amount of \$35,667.00 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 \$35,667.00 whichever is greater, not to exceed \$500,000. Actual bond amount will be rounded up to an even

\$1,000 unit.

EXPIRATION DATE: 10/31/2023 BID METHOD: Sealed Bids

BID DEPOSIT: \$172,100.00 SALE Recovery / BOF: 38.34%

TYPE:

CSL: 61.66%

10% of the net appraised value, not to exceed \$500,000. Bond amount will be rounded

down to an even \$100 unit.

INSURANCE: \$2,000,000 Commercial General Liability; \$2,000,000 Automobile Liability;

\$2,000,000 Logger's Broad Form.

HARVEST METHOD: 60% Cable

40% Ground-based

PROJECTS: 1 - Road Construction

2 - Road Improvement

3 - Move-in Cost

FEES: \$25.00

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 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. Also, legal challenges and other litigation regarding ODF threatened and endangered species related processes may occur and may affect operations contemplated under the contract. In the event a threatened or endangered species is found within or near this sale, or efforts are required to respond to legal issues, 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 West Oregon ODF District at (541) 929-3266 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. SEASONAL RESTRICTIONS APPLY - SECTION 2455.

Acreage was determined using a combination of GPS and GIS utilizing orthographic imagery and Lidar data.

PURCHASER'S contractor shall obtain a "Permit to Perform Work on County Right of Way" from Benton County Public Works to operate machinery and/or load log trucks on Shingle Creek County Road (Section 2120).

Flaggers are required while felling within a tree length of Shingle Creek County Road (Section 2310).

Firewood sorting is required along surfaced roads and Landings (Section 2365).

PURCHASER shall ensure protection measures are taken to preserve buried Fiber optic line along Shingle Creek County Road (Section 2420).

PURCHASER shall ensure all ground-based yarding, earth disturbing, road construction, and road maintenance equipment moved onto State Forest land and between State Forest land sites are free of soil, seeds, vegetation matter, or other debris that could contain, or hold, seeds (Section 2416).

Pulp removal is required if yarded to Landing (Section 2045).

Approximately 40 acres of machine slash piling is required (Section 2560).

Hardwoods other than alder may be removed as Pulp.

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 government regulatory actions.

Form 341-210.1(C) Rev.05/06

TIMBER SALE NAME: Rebott

TIMBER SALE NO.: WO-341-2022-W00683-01

OPENING DATE: July 22, 2021

## **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:

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# **PURCHASER'S STATUS**

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List names of all pers	ons doing business ι	under the partnership or assumed name:
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629: Form 301-020

# CERTIFICATION OF ELIGIBILITY TO BID ON STATE TIMBER

hereby certifies that they:

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(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 that is not a STATE's approved location.
(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, <b>or if bidding only on STATE hardwood timber or logs, HAVE</b> exported unprocessed timber originating from private lands in Oregon in the last 24 months, but <b>HAVE NOT</b> exported unprocessed <b>hardwood</b> timber originating from private lands in Oregon in the last 24 months and meet the requirements of OAR 629-031-0010(2).
DEF	AULT, TERMINATION, 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.
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INO.	TF: For the purpose of this form, the definition of unprocessed timber is the same as in OAR 629-031-0005.



**Department of Forestry** State Forester's Office 2600 State Street Salem, OR 97310 503-945-7200 FAX 503-945-7212 TTY 503-945-7213 / 800-437-4490 http://www.odf.state.or.us



### **Biological Survey Report**

**Project:** 

Rebott

Date:

April 1, 2021

To:

Evelyn Hukari

CC:

Michael Curran, District Sale File

From:

Michael Davis Date: 2021.04.02 10:40:25

Digitally signed by Michael

### **Habitat Suitability**

This sale contains potentially suitable habitat for northern spotted owls and marbled murrelets in all units. There is potentially suitable habitat for marbled murrelets adjacent to Unit 2.

### **Survey Results**

This sale has been covered by density surveys beginning in 2019 1,2,3. Northern spotted owls have not been observed within 1.5 miles of the sale area during these surveys.

Units 1 and 2 were surveyed for marbled murrelets in 2017 and 2018, using a protocol developed by the Pacific Seabird Group<sup>4</sup>. Marbled murrelets were not

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Oregon Department of Forestry, November 1, 2017. 1.2, Northern Spotted Owl Policy

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> USDI Fish and Wildlife Service. 2012. Protocol for surveying proposed management activities that may impact northern spotted owls. 42pp.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Forsman, E. D. 1995. Spotted Owl Monitoring Protocols for Demographic Studies. U.S. Department of Agriculture. Pacific Northwest Research Station. Corvallis, OR. 11 pp

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Evans Mack, D., W. P. Ritchie, S. K. Nelson, E. Kuo-Harrison, P. Harrison, T. E. Hamer, eds. 2003. Methods for surveying marbled murrelets in forests: a revised protocol for land management and research. Unpublished report for the Pacific Seabird Group Marbled Murrelet Technical Committee. 76 pp.

detected during these surveys in Unit 1. Marbled murrelets were detected as present in Unit 2 during one survey in 2017. However, behaviors indicating occupancy were not observed.

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

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

### **Operational Considerations**

This sale is in a density survey coverage area. Northern spotted owl felling deadlines for survey expirations will not be in effect unless density surveys are discontinued. If density surveys are discontinued at any point during the contract, survey coverage will be valid until March 15, three years following the last full season of surveys.

Marbled murrelet surveys are valid until April 1, 2024.

All timber should be felled by April 1, 2024.

### **Future Survey Plans**

This sale will be covered by northern spotted owl density surveys during the life of the contract. These density surveys provide incidental survey coverage in lieu of spot checks. If density surveys are not conducted, then spot checks will be required. In addition, ODF has an active survey program and surveys for other planned operations, northern spotted owl density surveys, and activity center monitoring may be conducted within 3 miles of this sale during the life of the contract.