

Department of Natural Resources
Notice of Sealed Bids

Sealed bids will be received by the Department of Natural Resources for timber stumpage on the McKenzie Creek Wildlife Area, Straight Lake Wildlife Area, Frederic Fire Tower, and Gov. Knowles State Forest. Bids may be hand delivered or mailed to the following:

Timber Sale Bid
Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources
941 Mallard Lane #104
Balsam Lake, WI 54810

Bids will be opened on **Tuesday, November 18th, 2014 at 1:00 pm** at the DNR office in Balsam Lake. No bid will be accepted after the date and time of the bid opening. The Department of Natural Resources reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

Successful purchasers of DNR stumpage will need to ensure that the actual logging contractor engaged in performance of this contract complies with the Wisconsin SFI Training Standard. Criteria for the standard can be found at the website www.fistausa.org or by contacting FISTA. Documentation confirming completion of the training standard will be required prior to starting sale.

Bidding procedure is as follows:

- 1. Bid bond not required. Winning bidders will have 6 weeks from the date of the bid opening to submit an acceptable performance bond to the department. If the winning bidder fails to execute the contract and submit an acceptable performance bond, the bidder shall be required to forfeit to the department an amount equal to 10% of the total bid amount. Failure to forfeit the 10% penalty will result in the bidder being considered ineligible to bid on any state timber sales for a two-year period.**
2. Each timber sale map contains one sale and is for informational purposes. To bid for a particular sale, the contractor must submit their bids on DNR Form 2400-49A, TIMBER SALE BID. An example of how to fill out this form is on the following page. One blank form is attached to this package and may be copied if you need more.
3. Each bid submitted must include the contractor's bid per rough cord, ton, or thousand board feet for each species listed, and the bidders signature.
4. Bids for variable top diameter utilization will be accepted only on those sales that list whole tree volumes or otherwise indicate it is allowed. Contractors submitting a bid for variable top diameter utilization, including whole tree harvesting, must clearly indicate on the Timber Sale Bid (Form 2400-49) the species, utilization specifications, estimated volume, and price per unit they will be using. The appropriate volume is listed on the Timber Sale Map by top diameter and whole tree. Bidding will be on a cordwood equivalent basis, or ton as indicated on the prospectus. The Department of Natural Resources weight conversion rates will be used.
The timber sale contract (Form 2400-5) will indicate the utilization specification and bid value you are bidding at. You will be required to harvest and utilize the wood at the utilization specification that you bid.
The bid value must exceed the minimum aggregate sale bid value, if indicated, and will be used to determine the highest bidder.
5. Some tracts may have optional species or areas where bidders may elect to bid on only those species not marked as optional. Bids will be awarded on highest total sale value. This applies to only those tracts with optional species listed on the timber sale map (prospectus).

6. Persons who bid on more than one tract must submit a separate bid for each tract.
7. Contracts are to be signed within two weeks of receiving the contract and are considered binding for that period. Sample contracts are available upon request. Contracts may not be sub-contracted or assigned.
8. A performance bond of a minimum of \$1000.00 or 15% of the total sale, whichever is greater is required on each sale. Performance bonds are due 6 weeks after the bid opening. The performance bond may be retained for damages or if noncompliance of the sale contract occurs. Upon successful completion of the contract, the performance monies will be returned after the timber sale closing.
9. Scaling arrangements on all sales will be made at the time of contract signing and Department conversion rates for weight, peeled, or processed fuelwood will be utilized. The Department will convert any mill weight scales to cordwood volume using the Department conversion rates found in the Department's Timber Sale Handbook. Copies of this are available upon request.

Payment Options

Mill Scale Sales

ADVANCED STUMPAGE PAYMENT OPTION

An advance stumpage will be required before any cutting begins, and as needed throughout the sale period. No wood will be removed from the sale area at any time until it has been paid for.

DEFERRED STUMPAGE PAYMENT OPTION

The successful bidder may choose the Deferred Payment option if eligible. In this case, stumpage payments must be received by the State within 30 days of being billed by the forester. Advance stumpage payment is not required. This option does not apply to lump sum sales. A 1.5% per 30 days interest penalty will be applied to any stumpage not paid for within 30 days. For example, payment on day 40 for a \$5000.00 bill would be 10 days late. The late interest penalty would be calculated as follows: $\$5000.00 \times .015 \times 10/30 \text{ days} = \25.00 and would be added to the balance due. Late payment penalty funds will be paid to the sale but will not reduce the principal owed to the State. In addition to the late interest penalty, failure to pay within the 30 day framework on a sale will result in the contractor having to pre-pay the remainder of the sale. Two such payment breaches, even on separate State sales, will result in the purchaser being required to prepay on all state timber sales for a two year duration.

Lump Sum Sales

All lump sum timber sales require a 100% stumpage payment prior to cutting. Failure to fully complete performance will result in forfeiture of the total performance bond. No refunds of stumpage payments will be made for un-removed wood, and wood left on the sale area at contract expiration shall revert to the seller.

All Sales

The successful bidder must comply with Wisconsin Worker's Compensation Act, Chapter 102 of Wisconsin Statutes. The successful bidder **MUST HAVE WORKERS COMPENSATION**, and must provide a **Certificate of Insurance** indicating the Department of Natural Resources as a "certificate holder" **at the time of contract signing.**

The contractor must contact the appropriate Department of Natural Resources office a minimum of two working days prior to starting a sale contract. Failure to do so will be considered a contract violation and a portion of the performance bond will be retained.

If mixed loads of different valued species are hauled, the stumpage charges will be calculated based on the proportion of the different species as determined by the mill. If the mill fails to

assign a percentage to the different valued species the entire load will be charged to the species with the higher stumpage rate. All mixed loads hauled under the Haul Permit system **MUST** have indicated on the ticket the different valued species and estimated volumes of each.

The Department does not guarantee access to sales across any non-state owned lands.

All successful bidders will agree to comply with the Department's fire protection requirements. These requirements are listed in the contract. In brief, the contractor will install extinguishers on all off-road logging equipment as well as equip all non-turbocharged engines with approved spark arrestors. The Department reserves the right to suspend all harvest operations when the risk for wildfires is high. Information regarding fire danger may be obtained from the DNR Office, Box 367, Grantsburg, WI 54840; (715) 463-2897.

FOREST CERTIFICATION. This timber sale is (or these timber sales are) certified to the standards of the *Forest Stewardship Council*® (FSC®) as responsibly managed (license code FSC-C006979) and to the standards of the *Sustainable Forestry Initiative*® (SFI®) program. Forest products from this sale (or these sales) including logs or chips of all species may be claimed as "FSC-100%" under certificate SCS-FM/COC-00070N or "100% SFI certified" under certificate NSF-1Y941-SF7.

Loggers Training Requirement: The purchaser shall ensure that the actual logging contractor engaged in performance of this contract complies with the Wisconsin SFI (Sustainable Forestry Initiative) Training Standard as adopted by the Wisconsin SFI Implementation Committee (SCI). Criteria for the standard can be found at the website www.fistausa.org/sfi standards or by contacting the Forest Industry Safety & Training Alliance (FISTA). Purchaser agrees to provide documentation to Seller that the training has been attained prior to initiating sale.

SOIL DISTURBANCE AND RUTTING

a. The Purchaser agrees to take all steps and precautions to avoid and minimize soil disturbances, such as soil compaction and rutting. If soil disturbances occur, the Purchaser agrees to work cooperatively to mitigate and repair any and all instances of soil disturbance. Excessive soil disturbance (as defined in Table 1) shall not be permitted. Purchaser agrees to contact Seller in the event of an excessive soil disturbance.

Timber Sale Infrastructure	Soil disturbances are excessive if:
Roads, Landings, Skid Trails, and General Harvest Area	-A gully or rut is 6 inches deep or more and is resulting in channelized flow to a wetland, stream, or lake.
Roads, Landings, and Primary Skid Trails	-In a riparian management zone (RMZ) or wetland, a gully or rut is 6 inches deep or more and 100 feet long or more. -In an upland area (outside of RMZ), a gully or rut is 10 inches deep or more and 66 feet long or more.
Secondary Skid Trails and General Harvest Area	-A gully or rut is 6 inches deep or more and 100 feet long or more.

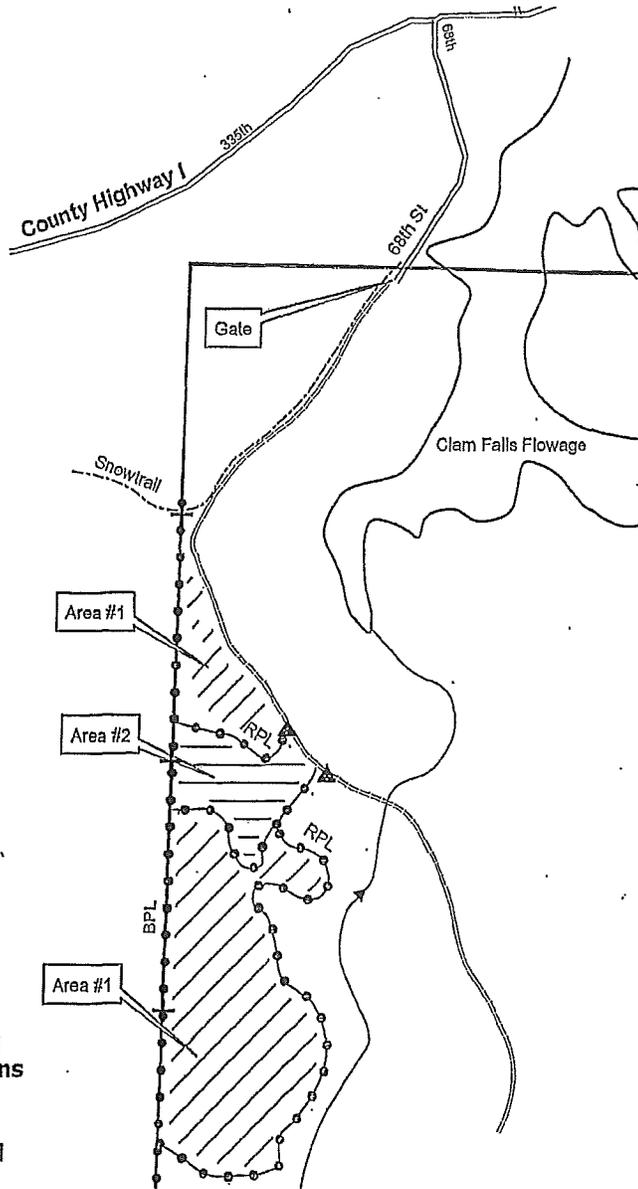
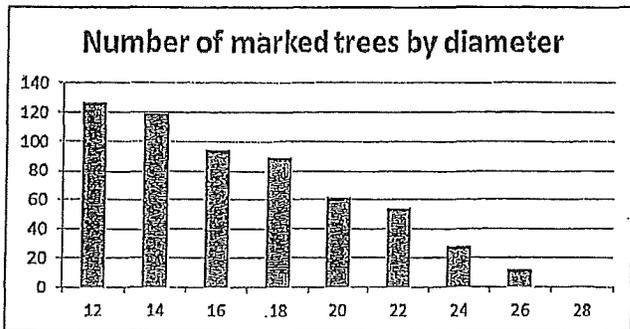
Questions on specific tracts call:
McKenzie Creek, Straight Lake
Frederic Tower
Gov. Knowles State Forest

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MCKENZIE CREEK WILDLIFE AREA

MAPPED BY: PAUL HEIMSTEAD	PROJECT TYPE: TIMBER SALE	TIMBER SALE NUMBER 4984-
DATE DRAWN: 6-5-14	COMP: 110 STAND: 13	CONTRACTOR:
TOWN: CLAM FALLS	DNR TRACT #: 2-14	EXPIRATION DATE:
TOWNSHIP/ RANGE/ SECTION T37N R16W SEC. 24	ACRES: 43 7 ACRE ASPEN REGENERATION 36 ACRE OAK THINNING	MITERWORT SALE

Estimated Volume	
Red Oak	100 MBF
Basswood	3.4 MBF
Mx/white oak	4 MBF
Aspen	50 cds
Basswood	25 cds
Oak	200 cds
Mx	50 cds
Minimum Value	\$34,800



Cutting Requirements / Information

- Area #1** – Harvest all aspen and trees marked with orange paint.
- Areas # 2** - Harvest all trees over 2 inches in diameter except leave all white and bur oak.
- All areas** – **No Whole Tree Harvesting.** Leave all den trees or snags that are not a hazard.
- No cutting, skidding or hauling between break up and August 24th.** No cutting, skidding or hauling during any wet periods or when rutting occurs. **Cease operations if rutting occurs. No operations during regular gun deer season.**
- Wisconsin BMP's for water quality must be followed around any ponds, wetlands, and vernal pools. No slash in wetlands, no equipment within 15 feet of wetlands.
- Care must be taken to avoid damage to residual trees. No tops or trees are to be left hanging in standing trees and slash must be lopped to below 3 feet and kept within sale area. If excessive damage occurs to residual trees, fines will be imposed and equipment and/or operators will be restricted.
- Utilization: 4" top.
- All improvements to existing road, if made, are the responsibility of the buyer. Roads and landings required to be cleared and smoothed out to allow seeding by DNR after sale completion. No new haul roads will be built into the sale areas. Snowmobile portion of the access road must be kept snow covered and passable during sale operations.
- This is a scaled sale for sawlogs and mill scale sale for the pulpwood. A sawlog (other than aspen) is defined as a merchantable log 8'6" long 10" dib small end.

STATE TIMBER SALE PROSPECTUS
TRACT #2-14, McKenzie Creek Wildlife Area

Sale Location: McKenzie Creek Wildlife Area, Sec 24 T37N R16W in the town of Clam Falls (see timber sale map)

Description of Stumpage: This is a 43 acre timber sale of large mature red oak and overmature aspen. Oak quality is good to excellent. Oak is very large and experienced cutters will be necessary. Topography is rolling to steep. Volume estimation is based on 100% tally of marked area and variable radius sample plots with a 10 factor angle gauge. No guarantee that the timber volume will cut out as estimated.

Utilization: At least a 4" top. No whole tree harvesting allowed.

Cutting Requirements:

1. Area #1 – Harvest all aspen and trees marked with orange paint.
2. Areas # 2 - Harvest all trees over 2 inches in diameter except leave all white and bur oak.
3. All areas – No Whole Tree Harvesting. Leave all den trees or snags that are not a hazard.
4. No cutting, skidding or hauling between break up and August 24th. No cutting, skidding or hauling during any wet periods or when rutting occurs. Cease operations when rutting occurs. No operations during regular gun deer season.
5. Wisconsin BMP's for water quality must be followed around any ponds, wetlands, and vernal pools. No slash in wetlands, no equipment within 15 feet of wetlands.
6. Care must be taken to avoid damage to residual trees. No tops or trees are to be left hanging in standing trees and slash must be lopped to below 3 feet and kept within sale area. If excessive damage occurs to residual trees, fines will be imposed and equipment and/or operators will be restricted.

Sale Method and Payment: This is a scaled sale for sawlogs and mill scale sale for the pulpwood. As sawlog is defined as a merchantable log 8'6" long 10" dib small end. Mill scale will use the ticket system. Payment will be under the deferred payment option as long as the successful bidder is eligible. Pulpwood products may be scaled on the landing at the Foresters discretion.

BID BOND NOT REQUIRED. Winning bidders will have 6 weeks from the date of the bid opening to submit an acceptable performance bond to the department. If the winning bidder fails to execute the contract and submit an acceptable performance bond, the bidder shall be required to forfeit to the department an amount equal to 10% of the total bid amount. Failure to forfeit the 10% penalty will result in the bidder being considered ineligible to bid on any state timber sales for a two-year period.

Performance Bond: A performance bond of fifteen (15) percent of the total sale value is required before a contract will be issued. The bond may be cash, certified check, personal check or irrevocable letter of credit, assurance bond, certificate of deposit, or assignment of savings account.

Certification: Property is certified under the SFI and FSC certification systems. FSC (#SCS-FM/COC-00070N) SFI (NSF-SFIS-1Y941-S1) Certified haul tickets are available.

Loggers Training Requirement: The purchaser shall ensure that the actual logging contractor engaged in performance of this contract complies with the Wisconsin SFI (Sustainable Forestry Initiative) Training Standard as adopted by the Wisconsin SFI Implementation Committee (SCI). Criteria for the standard can be found at the website www.fistausa.org/sfi standards or by contacting the Forest Industry Safety & Training Alliance (FISTA). Purchaser agrees to provide documentation to Seller that the training has been attained prior to initiating sale.

Worker's Compensation: The successful bidder may not commence or continue work on the timber sale unless the contractor provides and has in force Worker's Compensation Insurance for all employees. Certificate of Worker's Compensation required naming the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources as the certificate holder.

Length of Contract: This sale will have a two year contract period.

Access: Access to sale is off of County Highway I at the end of 68th St just west of Clam Falls. There is a gate at the small parking area. No cutting, skidding, or hauling during any wet periods when rutting occurs regardless of time of year. Road must be kept passable and free of debris during harvest operations. Snowmobile trail portion of the access road must be kept snow covered and passable during sale operations. Access road must be returned to previous or better condition at the completion of the sale.

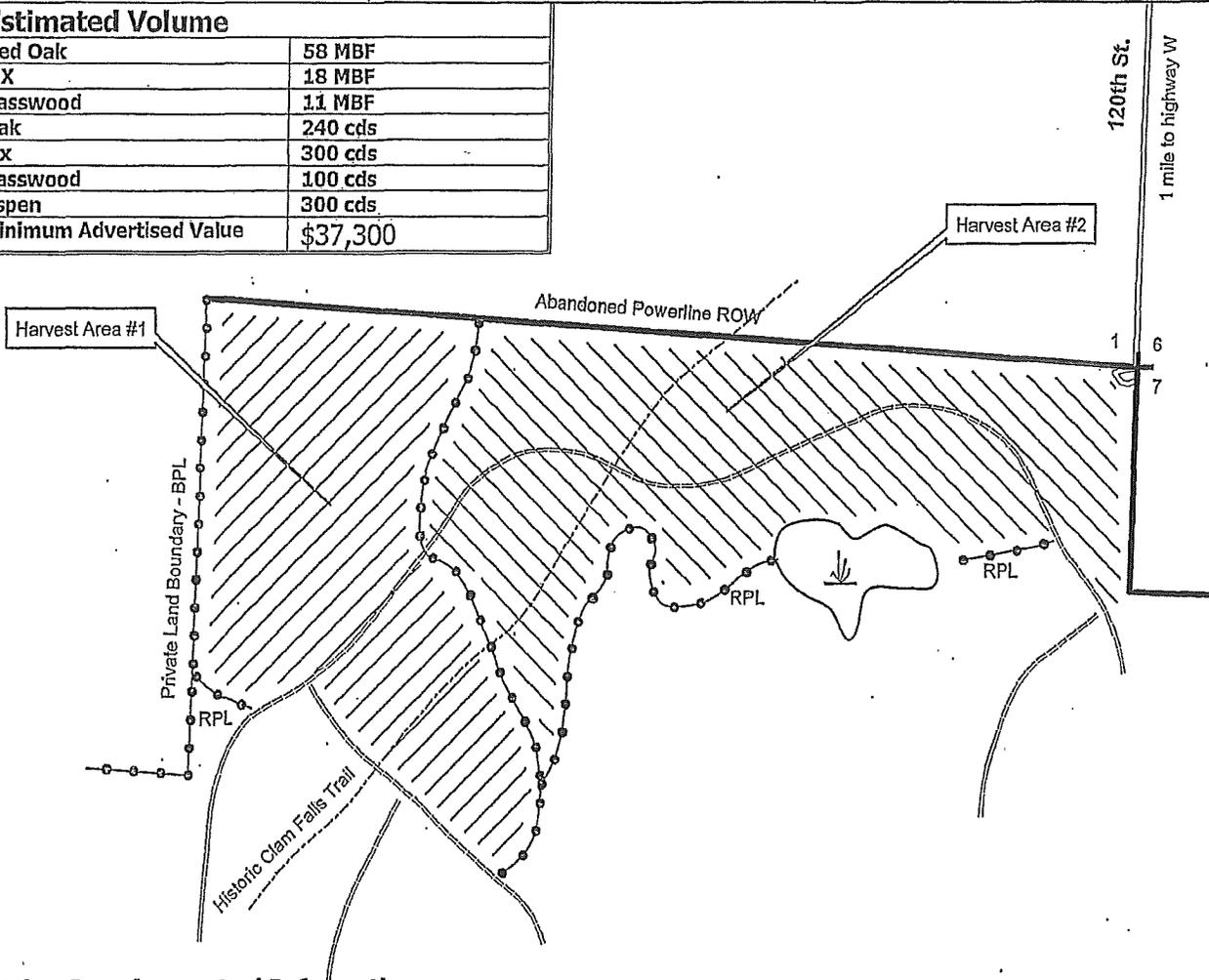
Further Information and Bid Forms: Contact the DNR Forester at the Department of Natural Resources Office in Balsam Lake. (715) 485-3518.

STRAIGHT LAKE WILDLIFE AREA

MAPPED BY: PAUL HEIMSTEAD	PROJECT TYPE: TIMBER SALE	TIMBER SALE NUMBER 4912-
DATE DRAWN: 5-27-14	COMP: 211 STAND: 2, 17	CONTRACTOR:
TOWN: LUCK	DNR TRACT #: 1-14	EXPIRATION DATE:
TOWNSHIP/ RANGE/ SECTION T36 R17W SECTION 12	ACRES: 50 ACRE ASPEN REGEN/OAK SHELTERWOOD/OAK THINNING	ENDLESS WINTER SALE

Estimated Volume

Red Oak	58 MBF
MX	18 MBF
Basswood	11 MBF
Oak	240 cds
Mx	300 cds
Basswood	100 cds
Aspen	300 cds
Minimum Advertised Value	\$37,300



Cutting Requirements / Information

1. Area #1 – Harvest all trees over 2 inches in diameter except leave all trees marked with green paint, den trees or snags that are not a hazard. This is an aspen regeneration area and oak shelterwood.
2. Area #2 – Harvest all aspen and all trees marked with orange paint. Cut all trees greater than 2 inches in diameter within a tree length of trees marked with an "X".
3. No cutting, skidding, or hauling from breakup (mid march) to August 24th. No cutting, skidding or hauling during any wet periods or when rutting occurs. Operations must cease when rutting occurs. No operations during regular gun deer season. Leave all den trees, marked or not.
4. Wisconsin BMP's for water quality must be followed around wetlands and vernal pools.
5. Care must be taken to avoid damage to residual trees. No tops or trees are to be left hanging in standing trees and slash must be lopped to below 3 feet and kept within sale area. If excessive damage occurs to residual trees, fines will be imposed and equipment and/or operators will be restricted.
6. Utilization: 4" top. Shortwood system only in Area #2.
7. Access is at the end of 120th St. A short access road will need to be built to tie in to existing roads. Parking area will not be used. Existing roads in sale are constructed roads with ditches but have not been used for 30+ years.
8. All roads used will be cleared and smoothed to allow seeding by DNR after sale completion.
9. This is a scaled sale for sawlogs and mill scale sale for the pulpwood. A sawlog (other than aspen) is defined as a merchantable log 8'6" long 10" dib small end.

STATE TIMBER SALE PROSPECTUS
TRACT #1-14, Straight Lake Wildlife Area

Sale Location: Straight Lake Wildlife Area, N1/2 NE ¼ Section 12, T36N R17W in the town of Luck (see timber sale map)

Description of Stumpage: This is a 50 acre timber sale of aspen, oak and northern hardwood sawlogs and pulpwood. Quality of the aspen is excellent to poor with some very large trees. Quality of the oak is good, hardwood is fair to poor. The stand has not been managed in the past. Volume estimation is based on 100% tally of sawlog size trees in Area #2 and variable radius plot sample cruise for the pulpwood and sawlogs in Area #1. Topwood was estimated at 2- 2.5 cords per thousand board feet. There is no guarantee that the timber volume will cut out as estimated.

Utilization: At least a 4" top. Shortwood system only in Area #2.

Cutting Requirements: See Above.

Historic Glam Falls Trail: This historic road bisects the sale area. It may be crossed, but may not be improved or used for skidding and must be kept free of slash.

Sale Method and Payment: This is a scaled sale for sawlogs and mill scale sale for the pulpwood. As sawlog is defined as a merchantable log 8'6" long 10" dia small end. Mill scale will use the ticket system. Payment will be under the deferred payment option as long as the successful bidder is eligible. Products may be scaled on the landing at the Foresters discretion.

BID BOND NOT REQUIRED. Winning bidders will have 6 weeks from the date of the bid opening to submit an acceptable performance bond to the department. If the winning bidder fails to execute the contract and submit an acceptable performance bond, the bidder shall be required to forfeit to the department an amount equal to 10% of the total bid amount. Failure to forfeit the 10% penalty will result in the bidder being considered ineligible to bid on any state timber sales for a two-year period.

Performance Bond: A performance bond of fifteen (15) percent of the total sale value is required before a contract will be issued. The bond may be cash, certified check, personal check or irrevocable letter of credit, assurance bond, certificate of deposit, or assignment of savings account.

Certification: To promote maximum benefit to the environment, the health and welfare of our logging contractors, and to adhere to requirements of forest certification standards, effective 1/1/2006 the Department of Natural Resources will require training of its logging contractors. Successful purchasers of DNR stumpage will need to ensure that the logging contractor actually engaged in performance of the contract complies with the Wisconsin Sustainable Forestry Initiative (SFI) Training Standard as adopted by the Wisconsin SFI Implementation Committee (SIC). Criteria for the standard can be found at the website www.fistausa.org/sfi_standards or by contacting the Forest Industry Safety & Training Alliance (FISTA). Documentation confirming completion of the training standard will be required prior to starting sale.

Worker's Compensation: The successful bidder may not commence or continue work on the timber sale unless the contractor provides and has in force Worker's Compensation Insurance for all employees. Certificate of Worker's Compensation required naming the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources as the certificate holder.

Length of Contract: This sale will have a two year contract period.

Access: Access to the sale is off of 120th St, 1 mile south of County Highway W next to a DNR parking area. A short access road will have to be built to tie into existing constructed roads within property. These old roads have not been used in 30+ years. They are grown in with aspen and birch of various sizes and have ditches. These ditches must remain open and free of slash. No cutting, skidding, or hauling during any wet periods when rutting occurs regardless of time of year. Access roads and landings must be cleared and smoothed out to allow seeding by DNR after sale completion.

Further Information and Bid Forms: Contact the DNR Forester at the Department of Natural Resources Office in Balsam Lake. (715) 485-3518.

**Frederic Tower
Tract 4989-114**

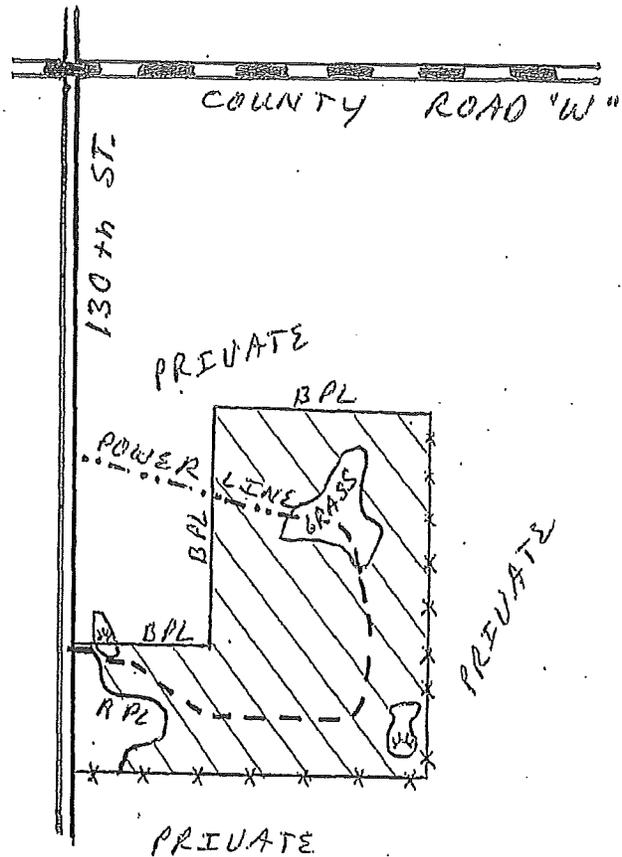
Location: State lands in SWNW sec. 1,
T36N, R17W Luck Twp, Polk County.

Size: 25 acres

Map Scale: 2" = 1/4 mile

Harvest Requirements: Cut all merchantable aspen and birch (except for a couple aspen marked with an orange "X" that are to be left standing). Also cut all trees marked with orange paint. Marked saplings may be cut or crushed. There are several "group selection" areas bounded by purple paint marks. Within these areas, cut or crush all trees 1" DBH and larger – do not cut purple boundary trees. No equipment operation within 15' RMZ around wetlands – RMZ not marked.

No harvest April 15 – July 15.



Landings: The tower site may be used for a landing and turnaround site. Access to the communication tower must be kept open at all times. Wood may also be decked along the access road to the tower site.

Scaling: Saw timber to be scaled by Department personnel before leaving the site. Products at least 10" d.i.b. on small end with less than 50% cull will be scaled as logs except aspen and birch. Mill scale accepted for cordwood products.

Sale Boundaries: Blue paint line (BPL) on the north; old fence on the east; town road and red paint line (RPL) on west; new fence or blue paint line on south. A new fence is planned for the south line, but not yet installed at time of sale set up.

<u>Specie</u>	<u>Estimated Volume</u>	<u>Advertised Value</u>
Red Oak (72% in trees 17-25" DBH)	51,600 board feet	\$234.00/mbf
Sugar Maple	3940 board feet	\$213.00/mbf
Mixed Hardwood	12,900 board feet	\$102.00/mbf
Aspen	132 cords	\$24.00/cord
Mixed Hardwood	192 cords	\$18.70/cord
Oak	68 cords	\$11.90/cord
Minimum Gross Sale Bid:		\$21,797.02

GOVERNOR KNOWLES STATE FOREST

Timber Sale #/Name: GK / Porcupine Sale	Town: West Marshland (W)	Legal Description: Sec. 23 T39N-R19W
DNR Tract #: 10-14	Comp: Stand: 24 3	Acres: 106
Sale Expiration Date: April 15, 2017	Mapped By/Date: Mike Wallis 6/16/14	Contractor:

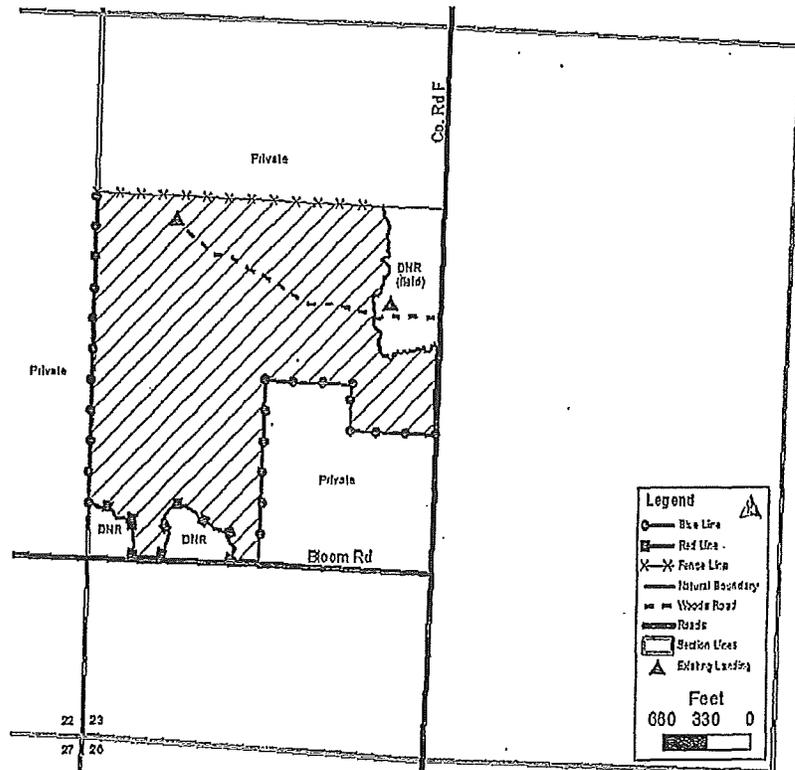
Species/Product	Volume	Price/Cd	Total
Oak Cordwood	1150	\$	\$
Jack Pine Cordwood	725	\$	\$
Aspen Cordwood	160	\$	\$
Red Maple	15	\$	\$

Cutting Requirements/Information

/// Clearcut – Harvest all species listed with one or more merchantable sticks. Do not harvest red and white pine or paint marked trees. Do not harvest trees within 10 feet of the fence line on the north sale boundary.

This sale has been pre-sale scarified.

- Utilization: 4" top DIB.
- Maximum stump height shall be 10 inches.
- Do not cut trees marked with red paint.
- Slash shall be lopped and scattered to a maximum height not to exceed 3 feet and kept within the sale boundaries. Scatter jack pine tops in scarified patches where feasible.
- New landings and trails shall be approved by the Department prior to their construction. All existing roads and trails shall be kept open to allow for normal use throughout the harvest. Existing trails shall be restored by the contractor to the satisfaction of the Department.
- All pine in piles between April 15 and August 1 shall be removed from the landing within 30 days.
- Leave all snags where they are not a safety risk to the operators.
- Do not damage advanced regeneration or trees not designated for harvest.
- Oak wilt restrictions - no harvest activity allowed from April 15 to July 15. Contractor is required to deliver all oak directly to a wood processing facility, minimizing the spread of oak wilt. Only oak that is peeled or has loose bark may be sorted and sold as firewood.



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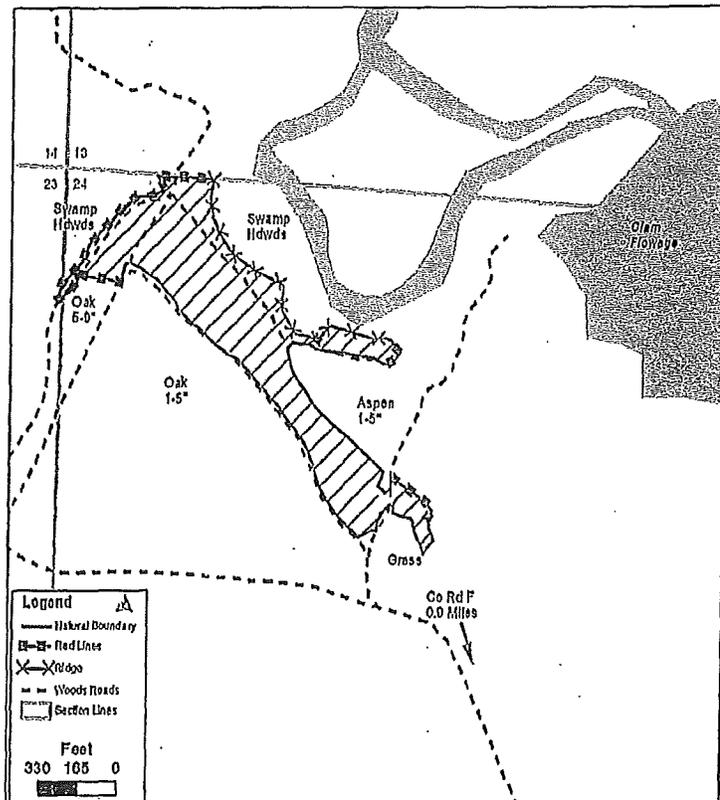
Timber Sale #/Name: GK / Kohler Peet Sale	Town: Union (W)	Legal Description: NWNW Sec. 24 T40N-R18W
DNR Tract #: 20-14	Comp: Stand: 32 9	Acres: 12
Sale Expiration Date: April 15, 2017	Mapped By/Date: Mike Wallis 6/16/14	Contractor:

Species/Product	Volume	Price/Cd	Total
Oak Cordwood	160		
Aspen Cordwood	80		
Jack Pine Cordwood	15		
Red Maple	6		

Cutting Requirements/Information

Clearcut – Harvest all species listed with one or more merchantable sticks. Do not harvest paint marked trees.

1. Utilization: 4" top DIB.
2. Maximum stump height shall be 10 inches.
3. Do not cut trees marked with red paint.
4. Slash shall be lopped and scattered to a maximum height not to exceed 3 feet and kept within the sale boundaries.
5. New landings and trails shall be approved by the Department prior to their construction. All existing roads and trails shall be kept open to allow for normal use throughout the harvest. Existing trails shall be restored by the contractor to the satisfaction of the Department.
6. All pine in piles between April 15 and August 1 shall be removed from the landing within 30 days.
7. Leave all snags where they are not a safety risk to the operators.
8. Do not damage advanced regeneration or trees not designated for harvest.
9. Contractor is required to deliver all pin oak directly to a wood processing facility, minimizing the spread of oak wilt. Only pin oak that is peeled or has loose bark may be sorted and sold as firewood. There are no hauling restrictions on the bur/white oak.
10. Seasonal restrictions - no harvest activity allowed from April 15 to July 15.



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GOVERNOR KNOWLES STATE FOREST

Timber Sale #/Name: GK / Fish Lake Sale	Town: Grantsburg (W)	Legal Description: SESE and NESW Sec. 25 T38N-R20W
DNR Tract #: 30-14	Comp: Stand: 18 7, 10, 28	Acres: Block A-6 acres, Block B-4 acres, Block C-9 acres
Sale Expiration Date: July 1, 2017	Mapped By/Date: Mike Wallis 9/4/14	Contractor:

Species/Product	Volume	Price/Cd	Total
Jack Pine Cordwood*	190		
Oak Cordwood	100		
Mixed Hardwood Cordwood**	15		

*8% White Pine

**47% Red Maple, 37% Aspen, 16% Birch

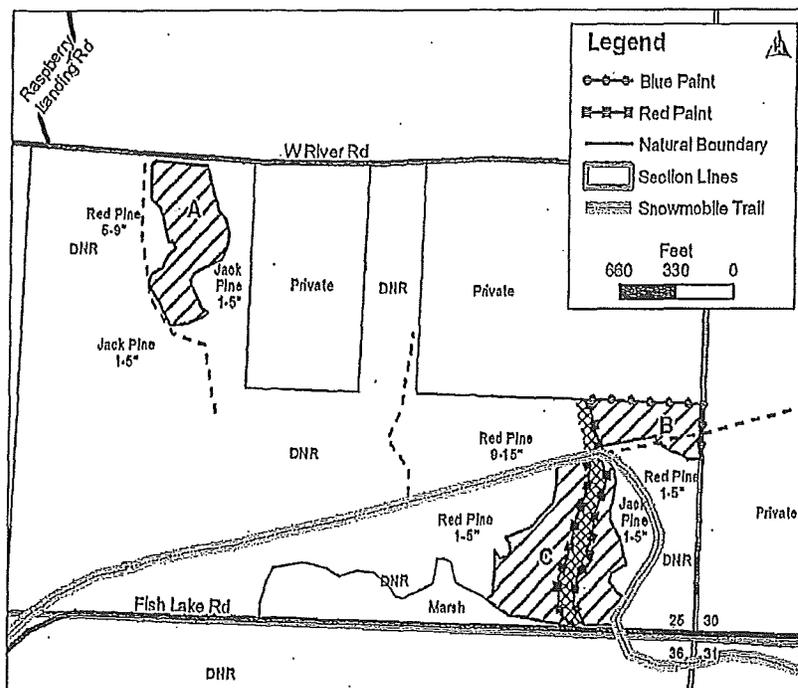
Cutting Requirements/Information

Clearcut – Harvest all species listed with one or more merchantable sticks. Site Maintenance is required on all stems greater than two inch DBH except pine species.

Riparian Management Zone (RMZ) – Do not operate equipment in the RMZ.

Block A & C have been pre-sale scarified.

1. Utilization: 4" top DIB.
2. Do not harvest paint marked boundary trees.
3. Maximum stump height shall be 10 inches.
4. Slash shall be lopped and scattered to a maximum height not to exceed 3 feet and kept within the sale boundaries. Scatter jack pine tops in scarified patches in blocks A and C where feasible.
5. Landings shall be approved by the Department prior to their construction.
6. All existing roads and trails shall be kept open to allow for normal use throughout the harvest. The snowmobile trail shall be kept passable, free of debris, and snow covered during the winter. Trails shall be restored by the contractor to the satisfaction of the Department.
7. All pine in piles between April 15 and August 1 shall be removed from the landing within 30 days.
8. Leave all snags where they are not a safety risk to the operators.
9. Contractor is required to deliver all pin oak directly to a wood processing facility, minimizing the spread of oak wilt. Only pin oak that is peeled or has loose bark may be sorted and sold as firewood. There are no hauling restrictions on the bur/white oak.
10. Seasonal Restrictions - no harvesting allowed in block B during oak wilt season (April 15 to July 15).



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GOVERNOR KNOWLES STATE FOREST

Timber Sale #/Name: GK / Sterling Spruce Sale	Town: Union (W)	Legal Description: Sec. 19, 30, 31 T36N-R19W
DNR Tract #: 40-14	Comp: Stand: 2 12, 34 3 6, 8	Acres: 74
Sale Expiration Date: April 15, 2017	Mapped By/Date: Mike Wallis 6/16/14	Contractor:

Species/Product	Whole Tree	4 Inch	Price/Cord	Total
Oak Cordwood	-	625		
Jack Pine Cordwood	-	120		
Aspen Cordwood	-	110		
Mixed Hardwood Cordwood*	-	60		
White Spruce Cordwood	-	40		
Mixed Species-All (WT only)**	1165	-		

*Consists of 5% birch, 20% ash, 71% red maple, 4% basswood

**Consists of 69% oak, 12% jack pine, 10% aspen, 6% mixed hardwoods, 3% white spruce

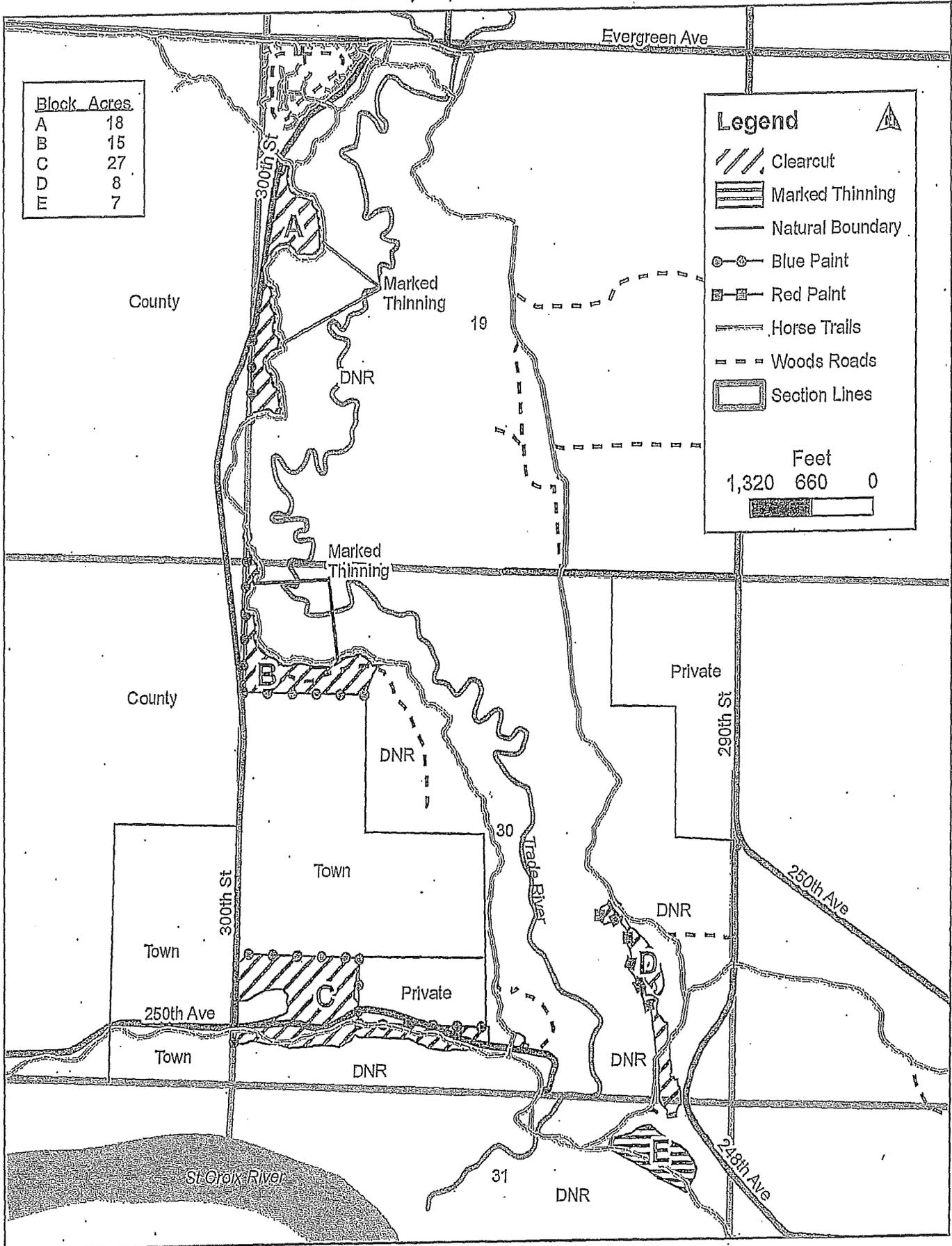
Cutting Requirements/Information

 Clearcut – Harvest all species listed with one or more merchantable sticks. Site maintenance required in blocks A, B, and C for stems greater than 2 inches.

 Marked Thinning – A 50 foot trail buffer has been established and marked with red paint along the east edge of block A and north and east edges of block B. Within this buffer, harvest all jack pine, as well as, trees marked with orange paint. In block E (first thinning), harvest all spruce marked with orange paint.

1. Seasonal restrictions – no harvest activity allowed:
 - o Block A - April 1 to July 31.
 - o Block B, C, & D – April 15 to July 15, parts of block D may require frozen ground
 - o Horse trail buffer marked thinning in blocks A & B – April 1 to November 1
2. Utilization: For whole tree bids, biomass harvesting allowed in blocks A, B, and the part of C lying north of 250th Ave. All other areas and harvest systems require utilization of merchantable sticks to a 4" top DIB.
3. Maximum stump height shall be 10 inches.
4. Do not cut trees marked with red or blue paint.
5. Slash shall be lopped and scattered to a maximum height not to exceed 3 feet and kept within the sale boundaries.
6. New landings and trails shall be approved by the Department prior to their construction. Equestrian trails travel through all harvest blocks. All existing roads and trails shall be kept open to allow for normal use throughout the harvest. Existing trails shall be restored by the contractor to the satisfaction of the Department.
7. All pine in piles between April 15 and August 1 shall be removed from the landing within 30 days.
8. Leave all snags where they are not a safety risk to the operators.
9. Do not damage advanced regeneration or trees not designated for harvest.
10. Contractor is required to deliver all pin oak directly to a wood processing facility, minimizing the spread of oak wilt. Only pin oak that is peeled or has loose bark may be sorted and sold as firewood. There are no hauling restrictions on the bur/white oak.

Sterling Spruce Sale - Tract 40-14
Sec. 19, 30, & 31 T36N R19W



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Timber Sale #/Name: GK / Tennessee Flats Sale	Town: Grantsburg (E)	Legal Description: NWSE, NESW, SENW, SWNE Sec. 7 T38N-R19W
DNR Tract #: 50-14	Comp: 20/21 Stand: 20/16	Acres: 55
Sale Expiration Date: April 15, 2018	Mapped By/Date: Mike Wallis 8/22/14	Contractor:

Species/Product	Volume	Price/Cd	Total
Oak Cordwood*	310		
Aspen Cordwood	200		
Jack Pine Cordwood	120		
Mixed Hardwood Cordwood**	45		

*75% Bur Oak, 25% Pin Oak

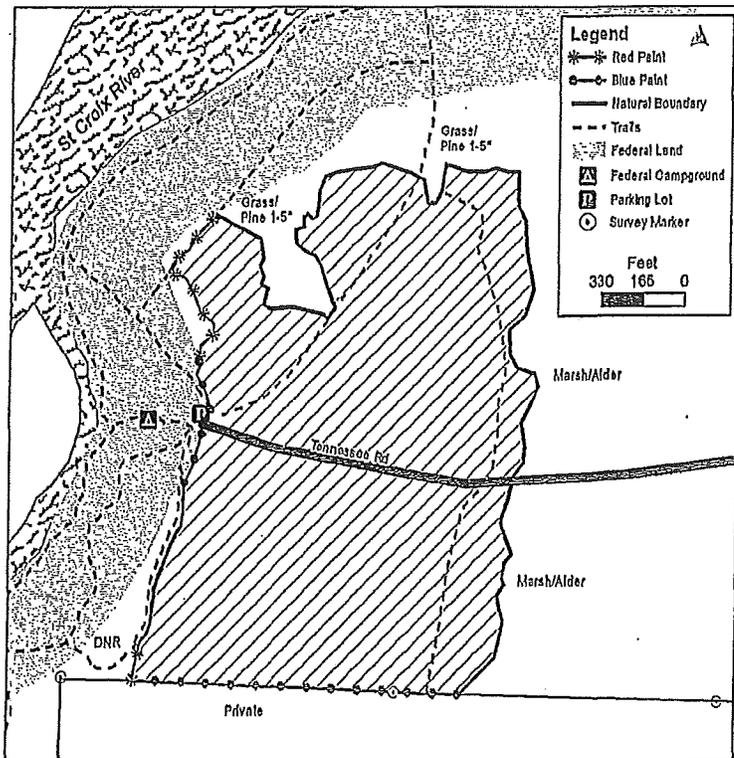
**87% Basswood, 7% Ash, 3% Birch, 3% Red Maple

Cutting Requirements/Information

//// Clearcut – Harvest all species listed with one or more merchantable sticks. Do not harvest red and white pine or paint marked boundary trees.

This sale has been pre-sale scarified.

- Utilization; 4" top DIB.
- Maximum stump height shall be 10 inches.
- Slash shall be lopped and scattered to a maximum height not to exceed 3 feet and kept within the sale boundaries. Scatter jack pine tops in scarified patches where feasible.
- New landings and trails shall be approved by the Department prior to their construction. The parking lot at the end of Tennessee Road may not be used as a landing or truck turn around.
- All existing roads and trails shall be kept open to allow for normal use throughout the harvest. Existing trails shall be restored by the contractor to the satisfaction of the Department.
- All pine in piles between April 15 and August 1 shall be removed from the landing within 30 days.
- Leave all snags where they are not a safety risk to the operators.
- Do not damage advanced regeneration or trees not designated for harvest.
- Contractor is required to deliver all pin oak directly to a wood processing facility, minimizing the spread of oak wilt. Only pin oak that is peeled or has loose bark may be sorted and sold as firewood. There are no hauling restrictions on the bur/white oak.
- Seasonal Restrictions - no harvesting allowed from April 15 to Labor Day due to oak wilt and the campground at the end of Tennessee Road.



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Timber Sale #/Name: GK / Foss Sale	Town: Sterling (W)	Legal Description: NENE Sec. 19, NWNW Sec. 20, & SWNE Sec. 17 T36N-R20W
DNR Tract #: 60-14	Comp: Stand: 8/9 7, 29, 41/15	Acres: Block A-10, Block B-7, Block C-15, Block D-49
Sale Expiration Date: July 1, 2017	Mapped By/Date: Mike Wallis 9/16/14	Contractor:

Species/Product	Volume	Price/Cd	Total
Oak Cordwood*	700		
Jack Pine Cordwood	430		
Red Pine Cordwood	130		
Aspen Cordwood	30		
Mixed Hardwood***	20		

*Approx. 73% bur oak, 27% pin oak

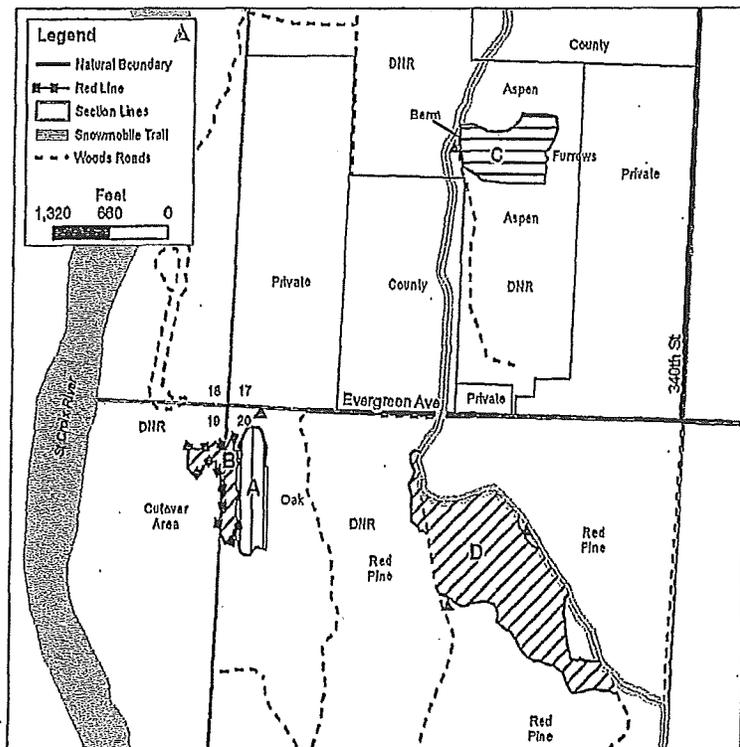
**Average 12" DBH, 6 sticks

***50% Red Maple, 40% Birch, 10% Other

Cutting Requirements/Information

- 3rd Thinning Red Pine - Harvest all trees marked with orange paint.
- 1st Thinning Red Pine - Harvest all hardwoods. Harvest all red and jack pine marked with orange paint.
- Clearcut - Harvest all trees with one or more merchantable sticks except white and red pine. Block D has been pre-sale scarified.

1. Utilization: 4" top DIB.
2. Do not harvest paint marked boundary trees.
3. Maximum stump height shall be 10 inches.
4. Slash shall be lopped and scattered to a maximum height not to exceed 3 feet and kept within the sale boundaries.
5. Landings shall be approved by the Department prior to their construction.
6. All existing roads and trails shall be kept open to allow for normal use throughout the harvest. Existing trails shall be restored by the contractor to the satisfaction of the Department.
7. The snowmobile trail shall be kept passable, free of debris, and snow covered during the winter. The snowmobile trail also serves as a frequently used horse trail. Use caution when operating near the trails.
8. All pine in piles between April 15 and August 1 shall be removed from the landing within 30 days.
9. Leave all snags where they are not a safety risk to the operators.
10. Do not damage advanced regeneration or trees not designated for harvest.
11. Contractor is required to deliver all pin oak directly to a wood processing facility, minimizing the spread of oak wilt. Only pin oak that is peeled or has loose bark may be sorted and sold as firewood. There are no hauling restrictions on the bur/white oak.
12. Seasonal Restrictions - no harvesting allowed in block B during oak wilt season (April 15 to July 15). Harvesting may be allowed year-round in blocks A, C, and D provided the landings and access trails are constructed prior to April 15 and oaks in adjacent stands are not damaged during oak wilt season.



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