

**DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES**  
**Black River Falls, Wisconsin**

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
**Timber for Sale - Invitation for Bids**

Sealed bids will be received by the Black River State Forest Property Manager at the Black River State Forest Headquarters (Castle Mound), W10325 Hwy 12, Black River Falls, Wisconsin 54615; up to 9:00 a.m. on Thursday, April 26, 2018. A timber sale prospectus, map, bid forms and detailed information on each timber tract can be obtained by the internet at: <http://dnr.wi.gov/topic/TimberSales/salesBlackRiver.html> or by contacting the Forester at the above address, or by calling 715-284-4108.

Results from the bid opening and information on any un-sold tracts can be obtained by checking our website or calling the number listed above. Tracts not sold on April 26, 2018 will be available for re-bid up to 9:00 a.m. on Thursday, May 3, 2018.

The Department of Natural Resources reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Bids will be opened publicly at the Black River State Forest Headquarters (Castle Mound), Black River Falls, at 9:00 a.m. on April 26, 2018 and May 3, 2018.

**Tract Information**

There are six tracts of timber for sale on the Black River State Forest in T20N-R2W, T21N-R2W, T22N-R2W and T22N-R3W. The tracts comprise 498 acres and contain an estimated 14,270 tons of pine and hardwood pulp.

Additionally, there is one tract of timber for sale on Other State Lands in T19N-R6W. The tract comprises 62 acres and contains an estimated 2220 tons of pine and hardwood pulp volume. For questions regarding Other State Lands (tract#1-18), contact Clint Gilman at: 715-284-1410.

These timber sales are third party certified.

**Bidding Requirements**

All bids must be submitted as sealed bids, in individual envelopes for each tract, and labeled with the tract number. Use Department Timber Sale Bid Form (updated 2016 version 2400-49) and include the following:

1. Tract number
2. List of all species to be cut, utilization specifications (4" top for all sales in this bid opening), and estimated volumes as listed on the timber sale prospectus.
3. Bid price per unit for each species and product listed. No "zero" bids for any species will be accepted.
4. Check off the type of performance bond to be used in the appropriate box on the bid form.
5. Signature, address and phone number of bidder. E-mail contact information is optional.
6. **Lump sum bids will not be accepted.**
7. **Bids must be legible and accurate. If we cannot determine the price per unit, totals, or other required information, your bid may not be accepted.**
8. At any time prior to the reading aloud of any bids for a particular sale, bidders may withdraw their bid from consideration. This can be done in person or by written instruction to the Superintendent or DNR Forester conducting the bid opening.

**\*\*No Bid Bonds are required for this bid opening. However, 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.**

**\*All sawlog volumes are included with the tonnage volume estimates, unless noted otherwise, but estimates are listed on the prospectus. All Black River State Forest Sales will be scaled by the ton or converted to tons (from either cords or board feet) by the conversion rates in the contract.\***

**Additional Requirements**

**Performance Bond** of a minimum of \$1,000.00 or 15% of the total bid value is required upon the signing of a timber sale contract. Contracts must be signed within 2 weeks of the bid opening and performance bonds **must be**

**received within 6 weeks of the bid opening.** An Irrevocable Letter of Credit issued as a Performance Bond will be required to be 4 years in length. Letters of Credit for sales awarded this bid opening should be written to expire on **January 1, 2022.** **If this is not possible through your lender, contact the DNR Forester as soon as possible for other options.**

**Worker's Compensation Law:** The contractor (purchaser) shall provide the Department with an original Certificate of Insurance indicating that Worker's Compensation Insurance coverage is provided for all of the contractor's (purchaser's) employees working under the contract during its duration. This shall be in the Department's file prior to any performance under the contract. The purchaser shall notify the Department in writing, immediately upon any change in or cancellation of insurance coverage required under the contract.

**Payments:** Timber will not be removed from any sale area until paid for or a satisfactory guarantee for payment is made. However, qualifying contractors have the option to sign a contract under the deferred payment program. Under this option, payment shall be received at the payment lock box in Milwaukee or by the DNR Forester within 30 days from billing. **(Deferred payment is not allowed with lump sum sales.)**

Late payment—Failure to pay within the 30-day period shall result in:

- The contractor being required to prepay stumpage on the remainder of the sale.
- The payment breach being documented by forwarding the contractor's name to the County Forest Specialist in Madison.
- A 1.5% every 30 days late interest penalty being assessed on stumpage due.

**Sales Tax Exempt Status:** The purchaser must also furnish a completed copy of the Department of Revenue Sales and Use Tax Exemption Certificate. (New filing requirement for DNR timber sales in 2016.)

**Training Requirement:** The purchaser is responsible for ensuring that the actual logging contractor complies with the Wisconsin SFI training standard as adopted by the SFI Implementation Committee (SIC). Criteria for the standards can be found at the Web site: [www.fistausa.org/sfi\\_standards.html](http://www.fistausa.org/sfi_standards.html), or by contacting the Forest Industry Safety & Training Alliance (FISTA). Purchaser must provide documentation to Seller that training has been attained.

For timber sales that require stump treatment for Heterobasidion Root Disease (Annosum), treatment must be performed by a Certified Pesticide Applicator through Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection. **Proof of Certification will be required prior to beginning any areas requiring treatment.** More information can be found at: [http://datcp.wi.gov/Plants/Pesticides/Licenses/Commercial\\_Applicator\\_Certification](http://datcp.wi.gov/Plants/Pesticides/Licenses/Commercial_Applicator_Certification). **Reporting of type and amount of chemical used will be required.**

Additional information and forms for bidding, including pre-filled bid sheets, can be obtained from the Forester, Black River State Forest, W10325 Hwy 12, Black River Falls, Wisconsin, 54615 or at our website: <http://dnr.wi.gov/topic/TimberSales/salesBlackRiver.html>. For questions regarding Other State Lands (tract#3-17), contact Clint Gilman at: 715-284-1410.

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**NOTE: An updated 2016 Bid form (2400-49) is enclosed. Feel free to make your own copies if you need more.**

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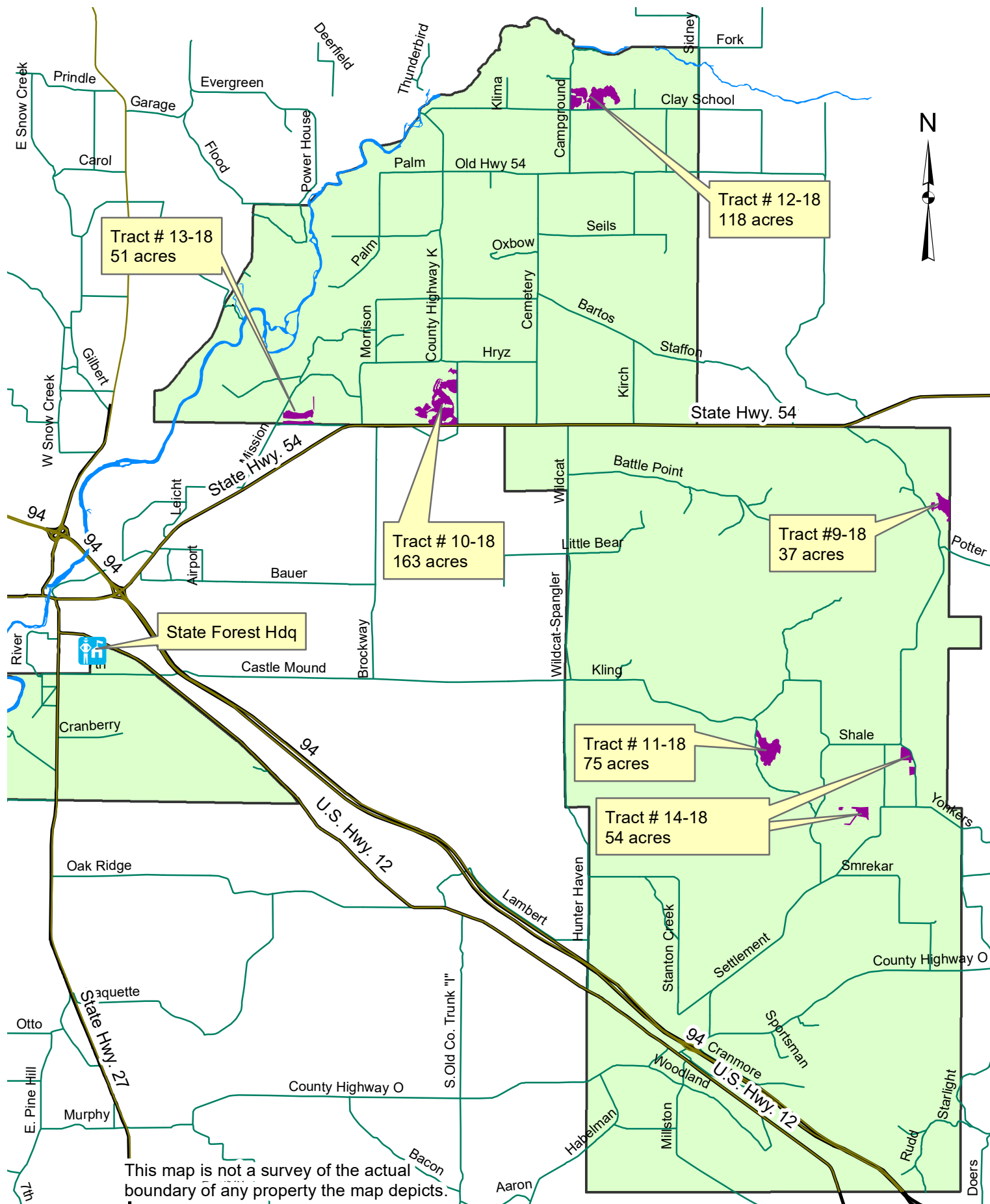
Black River State Forest

Other State Lands

By: Jennifer Boice, Forester

By: Clint Gilman, Forester

# Black River State Forest Spring 2018 Timber Sale Location Map



**Black River State Forest  
General Sale Conditions**

The following conditions apply on all timber sales unless otherwise stated on the individual timber sale prospectus.

**Contracts and Extensions:**

1. All contracts will be issued for a period of 2 years, unless otherwise noted. It is understood that all contracts are expected to be completed during the initial contract. Extensions are not automatic.
2. Requests for extensions must be submitted prior to the expiration date of the contract. The performance bond may be retained if requests are not submitted by the expiration date.

**Cutting and Utilization:**

1. All designated species for harvest must be cut concurrently within the sale. This includes any non-merchantable 2-4" dbh trees if designated. Care must be taken to not damage any residual trees.
2. All decked or cut pine must be removed from the sale area within 3 weeks of cutting from March 1<sup>st</sup> to August 30<sup>th</sup> to prevent bark beetle damage, this includes red pine, jack pine and white pine. Pine products cut during the remainder of the year must be removed before March 15<sup>th</sup>.
3. No scarring or debarking of residual trees from harvesters or skidders in excess of 10% on red pine plantations being thinned for the first time, or in excess of 3% on plantations thinned second, third, or fourth times.
4. Oak trees may not be cut during the period April 1<sup>st</sup> to July 15<sup>th</sup> to prevent oak wilt infestation, unless specified otherwise in the prospectus. Other exceptions may be considered on a case by case basis.
5. Pulpwood: Cut all designated trees with one (1) or more 100" sticks to a 4" top diameter for hardwoods and softwoods, unless sold as a whole tree harvest. Only sales advertised with whole tree harvest volumes are eligible for whole tree utilization. Whole tree harvests require 10% of topwood (<4" diameter) volume to be left scattered in the sale area and Wisconsin's Forestland Woody Biomass Harvesting Guidelines must be followed.
6. Sawlogs: Cut all designated trees with one (1) or more 8'6" logs to a top diameter of 10" for hardwoods and 9" for softwoods.

**Roads, Trails, and Landings:**

1. The location and building of roads and landings are always subject to advanced approval and conditions of the seller (DNR Forester). A DNR Forester must be contacted at least 48 hours in advance for an appointment.
2. All logging debris accumulated at landings, including bark, tops, and slash, shall be scattered within the sale area to the satisfaction of the seller.
3. Berms (piles of dirt, debris, stumps, slash, etc.) constructed on the seller's property (Black River State Forest) shall be leveled to restore the area to the seller's satisfaction unless they are constructed at the direction of the seller. (In other words, do not pile or push dirt up with debris and slash around the edge of landings or along trails and roads, especially against standing trees and the edges of dense woods.)
4. Any road work or maintenance involving more than leveling / grading must be pre-approved by a DNR Forester. No borrow pits will be allowed.
5. Roads and landings shall be graded and leveled upon completion of the timber sale and restored to seller's satisfaction. Any trees pushed over or cut down for making roads or landings must be utilized or cleaned up to the DNR Forester's satisfaction.

**Aesthetic & Ecological Considerations:**

The seller reserves the right to change (add or subtract) marked or designated timber to be cut at anytime for aesthetic, ecological, BMP's or to protect endangered resources without mutual agreement of the buyer provided it does not affect 10% or more of the estimated volume.

The purchaser shall comply with all recommended Forestry BMPs for Invasive Species as described in "*Wisconsin's Forestry Best Management Practices for Invasive Species*" published by the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources, publication Pub-FR-444-09, unless specifically provided otherwise.

**Specifically: BMP 4.4: Prior to moving equipment onto and off of a harvest area, scrape or brush soil and debris from exterior surfaces, to the extent practical, to minimize the risk of transporting invasive species.**

Preferred locations for cleaning equipment areas are those where:

- Equipment is unloaded and loaded.
- Invasives are less likely to spread from cleaned equipment (such as undisturbed areas).
- Invasive species are already established
- Equipment with the ability to run fans in reverse should use this feature to clean air intakes. Fans and air intakes can harbor plant materials and insects. Reversing the fan direction and blowing loose material out of equipment before leaving a site can reduce the likelihood of moving species to another site. Heat exhausted from the engine when fans are reversed may kill some insects and plant parts.
- In areas where invasive species are present, it is a good practice to routinely remove soil, seeds, vegetative matter, or other debris from shoes, clothing, and tools.

### **Scaling Specification:**

1. The mill scale ticket system will be required for pulp and logs, unless otherwise stated in the prospectus. Contractor is required to deposit a scale ticket in the lock box placed on the sale. These tickets are provided by the State Forest and will be filled out in their entirety. The contractor is also required to deliver a mill ticket to the mill purchasing the forest product. This mill ticket will be returned to the Black River State Forest along with a copy of the mill's scale. The contractor is responsible for having these mill tickets and scale slips returned to the Black River State Forest within 14 days of hauling. **The contractor may not scale his own wood without authorization from the DNR Forester.** An independent mill scale or weight or DNR scale shall be used at all times.
2. The seller reserves the right and may for any reason, decide to stick scale all products on the sale area. The contractor may also put in a request for stick scaling with at least 48 hours advance notice for reasonable circumstances.
3. Contractors that are required to prepay must at a minimum, purchase 5 or more scale tickets at a time, but it is encouraged that a full booklet of 25 scale tickets be purchased.
4. When there is no sawlog volume listed on the timber sale prospectus, bolts and logs may be scaled as cordwood. Scale sheets with tie logs or board foot volumes (using the Scribner Decimal "C" log rule) will be converted to cordwood volume using standard DNR conversion factors.
5. Pine and hardwood sawbolts, which normally would have been cut into sawlogs, will be scaled by weight (tons) or by the cord. The conversion factor for cordwood to MBF is 2.44 cords per MBF for softwoods, and 2.20 cords per MBF for hardwoods.
6. When peeled cordwood is measured, it is agreed that 12.5% will be added to hand peeled and stroke delimber/processor peeled volume and 16% to ring debarked volume.
7. Lump Sum Sales require pre-payment for the entire sale amount prior to any harvesting or work on the sale begins. See individual prospectus for specifics on each sale.

### **Weight Conversion Factors:** All wood will be scaled by the ton or converted to tons, unless advertised otherwise.

The following weight conversion factors will be used in the conversion of a standard 4' x 4' x 100" cord to tons. Factors for a mix of species may be developed by weighted average of cruise estimates based on species volume distribution and/or ocular estimate.

#### **CORDWOOD WEIGHT CONVERSION FACTORS (POUNDS PER CORD)**

<u>Species</u>	<u>Weight (tons)</u>	<u>Weight (lbs)</u>	<u>Species</u>	<u>Weight (tons)</u>	<u>Weight (lbs)</u>
Tamarack	2.325	4650	Hard maple	2.550	5100
Red pine	2.250	4500	Elm	2.500	5000
Jack pine	2.125	4250	White birch	2.400	4800
White pine	2.100	4200	Ash	2.300	4600
Spruce	2.000	4000	Soft maple	2.275	4550
White oak	2.925	5850	Aspen	2.250	4500
Red/black oak	2.750	5500	Basswood	1.925	3850
Hickory	2.700	5400	Locust	2.650	5300
Yellow birch	2.675	5350			

### **Survey Corners:**

Do not damage any survey corners or witness trees. No witness trees may be cut. It is the sale purchaser's responsibility to pay for costs of damage, removal, or repair to any land survey monuments or accessories.

**Slash:** (including leaning trees due to damage by skidders or harvesters)

1. Slash falling in any lake, stream, marsh, flowage, road right-of-way, or on adjoining land shall be removed immediately and pulled back at least 10 feet inside the sale boundary.
2. All trees shall be completely felled and not left leaning or hanging in other trees. Tops from felled trees may not be left hanging in standing trees.
3. Slash must be evenly scattered across the sale area to within 2 feet of the ground concurrently with cutting. No large piles are allowed. Slash along state highways, county, town, and state forest roads, and recreational trails, must be pulled back a minimum of 10 feet within the sale edge.
4. Trees cut along the edges of any marsh, creeks, or flowages by harvesting machines must be felled to high ground to keep the slash out of wet areas. Machines operating along marshes, creeks or flowages must remain on high ground during the cutting to prevent rutting in wetlands. Do not cut across or through small marshes or wetlands with equipment, but rather work around them.
5. No slash is to be piled on any existing pine (red, white, or jack) reproduction in the understory. Do not bury seedlings and saplings.

**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.
- b. 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.

***Table 1. Thresholds for soil disturbances.***

<b>Timber Sale Infrastructure</b>	<b>Soil disturbances are excessive if:</b>
Roads, Landings, Skid Trails, and General Harvest Area	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ A gully or rut is 6 inches deep or more and is resulting in channelized flow to a wetland, stream, or lake.</li> </ul>
Roads, Landings, and Primary Skid Trails	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ In a riparian management zone (RMZ) or wetland, a gully or rut is 6 inches deep or more and 100 feet long or more.</li> <li>▪ In an upland area (outside of RMZ), a gully or rut is 10 inches deep or more and 66 feet long or more.</li> </ul>
Secondary Skid Trails and General Harvest Area	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ A gully or rut is 6 inches deep or more and 100 feet long or more.</li> </ul>

**Note:** The depth is to be measured from the original soil surface to the bottom of the depression. If individual lug depressions are visible, the depth would be measured to the lesser of the two depths (the "top" of the lug). The length is measured from the start of the "too deep" section to the end of the "too deep" section. Measurements are not cumulative.

- c. Prior to sale completion the Purchaser shall mitigate and repair soil disturbances to the Seller's satisfaction.

**Heterobasidial Root Disease (Annosum) Treatment:** (Only for sales that require it and when cut between April 1 and November 30.) Harvest areas listed as requiring treatment must be treated concurrently with harvesting by a DATCP Certified Pesticide Applicator. Proof of Certification will be required. Stumps must be treated within 12 hours of cutting. Blue dye (such as Hi-Light) shall be added to the liquid chemical treatment in a manner consistent with the label. The DNR forester may inspect any or all stumps and must be able to validate that treatment has been done successfully. Slash, sawdust and other debris shall be kept off treated stumps so that these inspections can be done. The DNR reserves the right to inspect and test the contractor's chemical tank at any time during the harvesting operations to make sure that proper treatment procedures are being followed. Missed stumps, poor chemical coverage, or stumps that are inaccessible for inspection may be considered a contract violation and may lead to termination of harvesting operations until the situation can be remedied to the satisfaction of the DNR. Additionally, the type and amount of chemical used will need to be reported to the DNR on forms provided by the Department.

**Popple Paradise Sale**  
**Jackson County State Lands Tract 1-18**  
**S. Beaver Creek Wildlife Area**  
T19N R6W S5,8

Sale size: 62 Acres  
Contract Period: 2 years

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**Estimated Volume**

<b><u>Species</u></b>	<b><u>Cord Equivalent</u></b>	<b><u>Tons</u></b>	<b><u>MBF</u></b>	<b><u>Advertised Value/Ton</u></b>	<b><u>Advertised Value/MBF</u></b>
Mixed Hardwoods*	(400)	1000		\$7.60	
Aspen	(288)	650		\$7.30	
Oak	(105)	290	32	\$6.20	\$84.00
Red Pine	(29)	65		\$13.60	

\*Mixed Hardwood pulp includes approximately 400 tons of white birch, 225 tons of hickory, and 145 tons of red maple

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**Estimated Price for Entire Sale = \$ 17,715.00**

**Purpose of Sale:**

A mix of coppice harvests to regenerate new oak growth while leaving large oaks as a seed source, as well as to regenerate aspen pockets and promote a variety of forest age classes on the property.

**Cutting Specifications: (See tracts marked on map)**

Tract 1 – Cut all trees >2” diameter except for trees marked with green paint.

Tract 2 – Cut all trees > 2” diameter except for trees marked with green paint.

Tract 3 – Cut all trees >2” diameter except for all Oak species.

**Special Operating Requirements and Slash Disposal:**

1. This sale is located mainly on dry ground. All stands should be harvested during dry or frozen ground conditions. Care should be taken to avoid rutting and soil compaction.
2. The sale harvest boundaries are marked with red paint as well as blue paint. Blue paint lines are property boundaries to private lands. Do not fell trees across blue paint lines and do not cut painted boundary trees.
3. No biomass harvesting is allowed on this sale due to unsuitable soil types.
4. All pine products cut between March 1st and August 30 must be removed from the sale area within three weeks from time of cutting to control bark beetle populations. Pine products cut during the remainder of the year must be removed before March 15<sup>th</sup>.
5. No recreational trails run through the sale area, but all roads used by logging equipment should be left in good condition. Two private driveway easements lead to sale areas and shall be left in good condition once sale is harvested. Final condition of these roads will be to the satisfaction of the DNR forester and wildlife property manager.
6. Slash must be evenly lopped/scattered within the sale boundary and shall be deposited a minimum of 10 feet from the mowed right-of-way of any highway, town road, or recreational trail. Slash within 50 feet of all town roads and recreational trails must lie within 2 feet of the ground. Do not bury seedlings or saplings with slash.

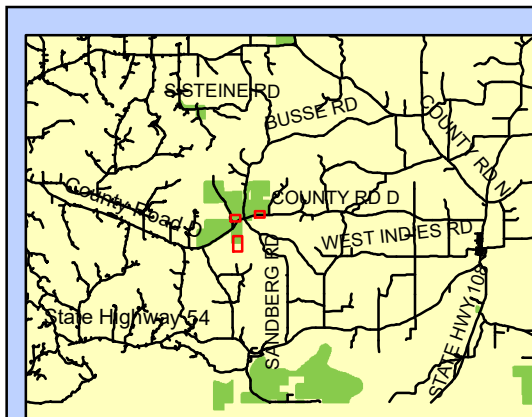
**General Requirements:**

1. All landings must be approved by a DNR forester before operations begin.
2. All designated tree species must be cut and forwarded concurrently with the sale.
3. All stumps shall be no higher than the stump diameter, or 10 inches, whichever is less.
4. Do not cut or knock down any dead or hollow trees. These are important wildlife habitat. Any that must be cut shall be left in big pieces on the forest floor.
5. Utilization: cut and use all designated trees with one or more 100” sticks to a 4” top diameter.
6. Notify the DNR forester before you start the job, and each time you pull out or return to the job.
7. Any new roads and all landings must be approved by a DNR forester before operations begin.
8. Any berms removed during harvesting operations must be put back to the satisfaction of the DNR Forester.
9. Any trees cut or pushed over for new roads or landings must be utilized or cleaned up to the DNR Forester’s satisfaction.
10. Wisconsin’s Best Management Practices for Invasive Species applies – contractor must clean equipment before entering and leaving the sale area! This involves brushing away all dirt and cleaning air intakes of debris.



# Popple Paradise Sale 1-18

South Beaver Creek Wildlife Area  
T19N R06W S5,8  
Jackson County, WI  
62 Acres



## Legend

0 0.075 0.15 0.3 0.45 0.6 Miles

- Roads
- Streams
- Blue Line (Private Lands)
- Harvest Boundary
- State Property



Tract 1 - Cut all trees >2" except for trees marked in green  
Tract 2 - Cut all Trees >2" except for trees marked in green  
Tract 3 - Cut all Trees >2" except for Oak trees



**BRSF Tract 9-18**  
Morrison's Back 40  
T21N-R2W Sec 12

Sale size: 37 Acres  
Contract Period: 2 years

**Estimated Volume**

<b><u>Species</u></b>	<b><u>Cord Equivalent</u></b>	<b><u>Tons</u></b>	<b><u>Advertised Value/Unit</u></b>
White Pine*	(140)	290	\$ 9.20
Oak <sup>+</sup>	( 90)	250	\$ 6.90
Red Maple**	(50)	120	\$ 7.10
Jack Pine	(40)	90	\$ 9.20
Aspen	(25)	60	\$ 5.40

\* includes approx. 31 MBF sawlog volume and 15 tons of red pine pulp

<sup>+</sup> includes approx. 12 MBF sawlog volume

<sup>\*\*</sup> includes approx. 4 MBF sawlog volume and 15 tons of white birch pulp

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**Estimated Price for Entire Sale = \$ 6,397.00**

**Purpose of Sale:** To thin the white pine and remove mature short-lived species.

**Special Operating Requirements and Slash Disposal:**

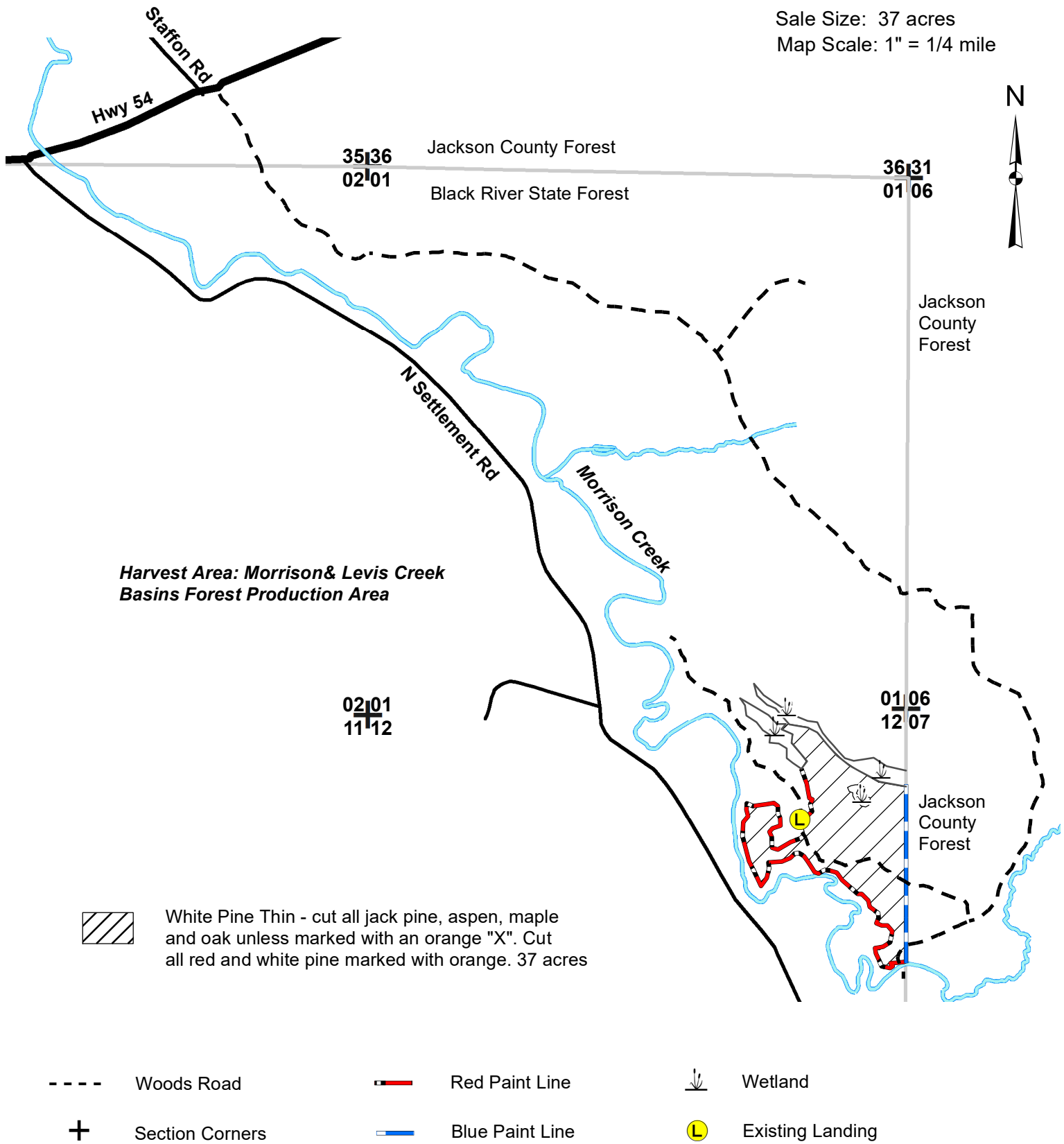
1. This sale has no seasonal restrictions, but has several low drainages. These areas will need to be avoided unless the ground is frozen. Most of these areas can be worked around except during very wet conditions.
2. Access to the sale is over a woods road, part of which is a Jackson County Forest Rd. Generally this road is not allowed to be used during spring break up for hauling. Permission from both the State Forest and Jackson County Forestry would be required to use this road during wet conditions.
3. The sale boundaries are red and blue paint lines, and an open keg. Do not cut painted boundary trees. Do not fell trees across blue paint line.
4. All pine products cut between March 1st and August 30 must be removed from the sale area within three weeks from time of cutting. Pine products cut during the remainder of the year must be removed before March 15<sup>th</sup>.
5. Slash must be evenly lopped/scattered within the sale boundary and shall be deposited a minimum of 10 feet from the mowed right-of-way of any highway, town road, or recreational trail. Slash within 50 feet of all town roads and recreational trails must lie within 2 feet of the ground. Do not bury seedlings or saplings with slash.

**General Requirements:**

1. All designated tree species must be cut and forwarded concurrently with the sale.
2. All stumps shall be no higher than the stump diameter, or 10 inches, whichever is less.
3. Do not cut or knock down any dead or hollow trees. These are important wildlife habitat. Any that must be cut shall be left in big pieces on the forest floor.
4. Utilization: cut and use all designated trees with one or more 100" sticks to a 4" top diameter.
5. Any new roads and all landings must be approved by a DNR forester before operations begin.
6. Any berms removed during harvesting operations must be put back to the satisfaction of the DNR Forester.
7. Notify the DNR forester before you start the job, and each time you pull out or return to the job.
8. Any trees cut or pushed over for new roads or landings must be utilized or cleaned up to the DNR Forester's satisfaction.
9. **Wisconsin's Best Management Practices for Invasive Species applies – contractor must clean equipment before entering and leaving the sale area! This involves brushing away all dirt and cleaning air intakes of debris.**

BLACK RIVER STATE FOREST  
TIMBER SALE MAP  
T21N-R2W Sec 12  
TRACT #9-18 Morrison's Back 40

Sale Size: 37 acres  
Map Scale: 1" = 1/4 mile



This map is not a survey of the actual boundary of any property the map depicts.

Mapped & Cruised by  
Boice & Wyss

**Notice:** Completion of this form is mandatory. The Department will not recognize your bid unless you complete and submit this form. Personal information collected will be used for program administration and may be provided to requesters as required by Wisconsin's Open Records law [ss. 19.31-19.39, Wis. Stats.].

Date

Bidder Name

Street Address

City

State

ZIP Code

Property Name (if any)

Black River State Forest

Tract Number

9-18

Date and Hour of Bid Opening

April 26, 2018 9 a.m.

Minimum Acceptable Bid (optional)

\$ 6,397.00

Species-All bids including Lump Sum bids must be by species	Utilization Specifications	Advertised Value Per Unit (optional)	Estimated Volume	Volume Units	Price Bid Per Unit	Total Bid Value on Estimated Volume
White Pine	4" top	\$9.20	290	tons		
Oak	4" top	\$6.90	250	tons		
Maple	4" top	\$7.10	120	tons		
Jack Pine	4" top	\$9.20	90	tons		
Aspen	4" top	\$5.40	60	tons		

The award shall be based on this TOTAL BID AMOUNT:

**Performance Bond**

Will be in the form of: (select one)

☐ Cash

☐ Personal Check

☐ Certified Check/Money Order

☐ Irrevocable Letter of Credit

☐ Assurance Bond

☐ Certificate of Deposit

☐ Assignment of Savings Account

I understand that any or all bids may be rejected and that consideration and awarding of a contract will be based upon my past performance and ability to complete contracts. **I also understand that if I am the winning bidder, I have 6 weeks from the date of the bid opening to submit an acceptable performance bond. I also understand that if I am awarded the contract and fail to execute it or work under it, I will be required to forfeit to the Department an amount equal to 10% of my total bid amount.** Failure to forfeit the 10% penalty will result in being considered ineligible to bid on any state timber sales for a two-year duration. In the event the highest bidder can not or will not sign the contract, the award will be made to the next highest qualified bid.

**Notice:** I understand:

Utilization specifications and estimated volumes are listed in the prospectus which is available upon request from the Department.

A copy of the standard timber sales contract which must be entered into is available upon request from the Department.

Signature of Bidder

Bidder's Name (Please Print or Type)

Phone Number (include area code)

Email Address (optional)

**BRSF Tract 10-18****Koranda Pines**

T22N-R3W Sec 34, 35

Sale size: 163 Acres  
Contract Period: 2 years**Estimated Volume**

<b><u>Species</u></b>	<b><u>Cord Equivalent</u></b>	<b><u>Tons</u></b>	<b><u>Advertised Value/Ton</u></b>
Red Maple*	(660)	1500	\$11.40
Jack Pine	(550)	1175	\$13.90
Oak <sup>+</sup>	(380)	1050	\$ 9.20
White Pine**	(320)	675	\$12.50
Red Pine <sup>++</sup>	(80)	175	\$18.90
Aspen	(55)	125	\$ 8.10

\* Includes approx. 8 MBF sawlog volume and 50 tons of white birch pulp

<sup>+</sup> Includes approx. 75 MBF sawlog volume<sup>\*\*</sup> Includes approx. 33 MBF sawlog volume.<sup>++</sup> Includes approx. 28 MBF sawlog volume.**Estimated Price for Entire Sale = \$ 55,850.00****Purpose of Sale:** To thin a white pine stand and harvest mature red maple, oak, jack pine and aspen.**Special Operating Requirements and Slash Disposal:**

1. The sale boundaries are open keg, red paint lines, woods trail and the town or state road.
2. Parts of the sale are on wet ground and will need dry or frozen conditions and extra care or brushing to prevent rutting.
3. Any open wet areas in the sale should be avoided by equipment unless the ground is frozen.
4. No biomass harvesting is allowed on this sale due to the need to use slash to armor the forest floor.
5. All pine products cut between March 1st and August 30 must be removed from the sale area within three weeks from time of cutting. Pine products cut during the remainder of the year must be removed before March 15<sup>th</sup>.
6. Slash must be evenly lopped/scattered within the sale boundary and shall be deposited a minimum of 10 feet from the mowed right-of-way of any highway, town road, or recreational trail. Slash within 50 feet of all town roads and recreational trails must lie within 2 feet of the ground. Do not bury seedlings or saplings with slash.

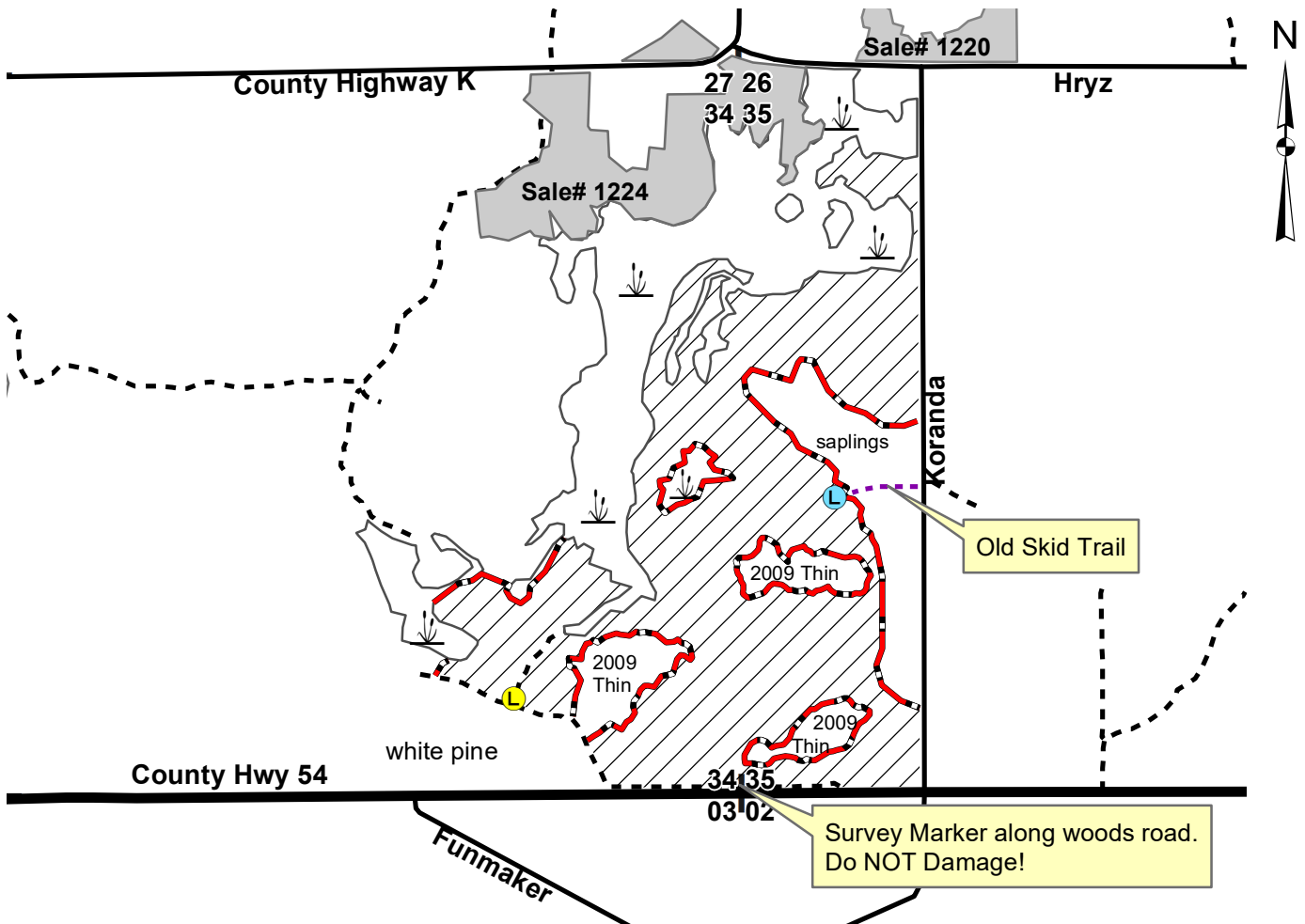
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5. Notify the DNR forester before you start the job, and each time you pull out or return to the job.
6. Any new roads and all landings must be approved by a DNR forester before operations begin.
7. Any berms removed during harvesting operations must be put back to the satisfaction of the DNR Forester.
8. Any trees cut or pushed over for new roads or landings must be utilized or cleaned up to the DNR Forester's satisfaction.
9. Contact the Town of Komensky at 715-299-0093 prior to using Koranda Road or creating a landing on the east side of the sale.
10. **Wisconsin's Best Management Practices for Invasive Species applies – contractor must clean equipment before entering and leaving the sale area! This involves brushing away all dirt and cleaning air intakes of debris.**



BLACK RIVER STATE FOREST  
TIMBER SALE MAP  
T22N-R3W Sec 34, 35  
TRACT #10-18 Koranda Pines

Sale Size: 163 acres  
Map Scale: 1" = 1/4 mile



**Harvest Area: Morrison and Levis Creek Basins Forest Production Area**



Jack Pine/White Pine Harvest - Cut all trees > 5" dbh except red and white pine and those trees marked with an orange X. Cut all red and white pine marked with orange.

**Parts of the sale are located on or accessed via wet ground.  
Dry or frozen conditions will be needed for portions of this sale.**

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| Red Paint Line   | Section Corners | Sold Timber Sale |
| Existing Landing | Woods Road      |                  |
| Proposed Landing | Wetland         |                  |

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Date

Bidder Name

Street Address

City

State

ZIP Code

Property Name (if any)

Black River State Forest

Tract Number

10-18

Date and Hour of Bid Opening

April 26, 2018 9 a.m.

Minimum Acceptable Bid (optional)

\$ \$55,850.00

Species-All bids including Lump Sum bids must be by species	Utilization Specifications	Advertised Value Per Unit (optional)	Estimated Volume	Volume Units	Price Bid Per Unit	Total Bid Value on Estimated Volume
Maple	4" top	\$11.40	1,500	tons		
Jack Pine	4" top	\$13.90	1,175	tons		
Oak	4" top	\$9.20	1,050	tons		
White Pine	4" top	\$12.50	675	tons		
Red Pine	4" top	\$18.90	175	tons		
Aspen	4" top	\$8.10	125	tons		

The award shall be based on this TOTAL BID AMOUNT:

**Performance Bond**

Will be in the form of: (select one)

☐ Cash

☐ Personal Check

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Signature of Bidder

Bidder's Name (Please Print or Type)

Phone Number (include area code)

Email Address (optional)

**BRSF Tract 11-18****Wildcat Vista**

T21N-R2W Sec 34

Sale size: 75 Acres  
Contract Period: 2 years**Estimated Volume**

<b><u>Species</u></b>	<b><u>Cord Equivalent</u></b>	<b><u>Tons</u></b>	<b><u>Advertised Value/Ton</u></b>
Oak <sup>+</sup>	(635)	1750	\$ 6.60
White Pine <sup>*</sup>	(540)	1125	\$15.40
Jack Pine	(470)	1000	\$11.90

<sup>+</sup> Includes approx. 30 MBF sawlog volume<sup>\*</sup> Includes approx. 110 MBF sawlog volume and less than 40 tons of red pine pulp

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**Estimated Price for Entire Sale = \$ 40,775.00****Purpose of Sale:** To regenerate a mixed oak and jack pine stand.**Special Operating Requirements and Slash Disposal:**

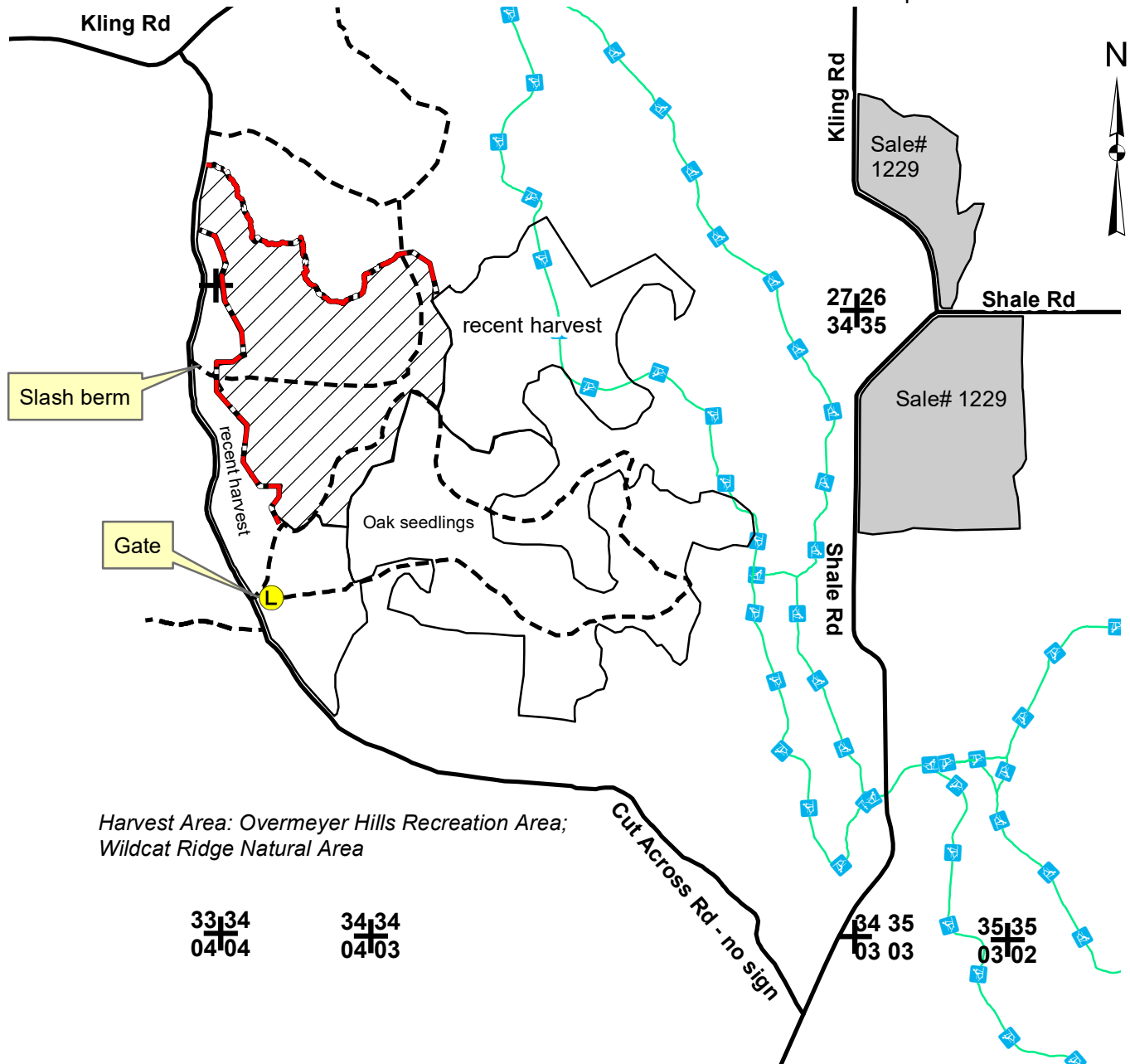
1. The sale boundaries are red paint lines, a woods road and recent harvests.
2. The north edge of the sale has some steep slopes that include some small areas that may not be accessible with all types of equipment. Care should be taken to limit damage to these slopes by equipment.
3. Oaks kept for reserve trees (8-10/acre) should be a mix of those that would make good den trees (visible hollows) and those with large crowns that will produce acorns. These can be kept in small groups or individually.
4. No biomass harvesting is allowed on this sale due to poor soil fertility.
5. All pine products cut between March 1st and August 30 must be removed from the sale area within three weeks from time of cutting. Pine products cut during the remainder of the year must be removed before March 15<sup>th</sup>.
6. Slash must be evenly lopped/scattered within the sale boundary and shall be deposited a minimum of 10 feet from the mowed right-of-way of any highway, town road, or recreational trail. Slash within 50 feet of all town roads and recreational trails must lie within 2 feet of the ground. Do not bury seedlings or saplings with slash.

**General Requirements:**

1. All designated tree species must be cut and forwarded concurrently with the sale.
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4. Utilization: cut and use all designated trees with one or more 100" sticks to a 4" top diameter.
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8. Any trees cut or pushed over for new roads or landings must be utilized or cleaned up to the DNR Forester's satisfaction.
9. The Township of Millston (phone # 715-284-0913) must be notified prior to sale start-up. The sale is accessed on a State Forest Road, but a (free) permit is required by the town to haul equipment and wood on their roads year-round.
10. **Wisconsin's Best Management Practices for Invasive Species applies – contractor must clean equipment before entering and leaving the sale area! This involves brushing away all dirt and cleaning air intakes of debris.**

BLACK RIVER STATE FOREST  
TIMBER SALE MAP  
T21N-R2W Sec 34  
TRACT # 11-18 Wildcat Vista

Sale Size: 75 acres  
Map Scale: 1" = 1/4 mile



Oak/pine harvest area: Cut all trees except red pine and 8-10 oaks per acre. Do not cut snags and den trees. Cut any red pine marked with orange paint.

Oaks to be left uncut should be a mix of hollow trees and those with large crowns. They may be left individually or in small patches across the sale area.

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| --- | Woods Road      |  | Existing Landing |  | Ski Trail |
| +   | Section Corners |  | Existing Sale    |  |           |



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Street Address

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Property Name (if any)

Black River State Forest

Tract Number

11-18

Date and Hour of Bid Opening

April 26, 2018 9 a.m.

Minimum Acceptable Bid (optional)

\$ 40,775.00

Species-All bids including Lump Sum bids must be by species	Utilization Specifications	Advertised Value Per Unit (optional)	Estimated Volume	Volume Units	Price Bid Per Unit	Total Bid Value on Estimated Volume
Oak	4" top	\$6.60	1,750	tons		
White Pine	4" top	\$15.40	1,125	tons		
Jack Pine	4" top	\$11.90	1,000	tons		

The award shall be based on this TOTAL BID AMOUNT:

**Performance Bond**

Will be in the form of: (select one)

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Phone Number (include area code)

Email Address (optional)

**BRSF Tract 12-18****Schoolyard Pine**

T22N-R2W Sec 6

Sale size: 118 Acres  
Contract Period: 2 years**Estimated Volume**

<b><u>Species</u></b>	<b><u>Cord Equivalent</u></b>	<b><u>Tons</u></b>	<b><u>Advertised Value/Ton</u></b>
White Pine*	(480)	1010	\$11.60
Red Pine <sup>+</sup>	(415)	935	\$16.80
Maple**	(275)	620	\$ 8.00
Oak	(60)	160	\$ 8.00

\* Includes approx. 55 MBF sawlog volume and less than 40 tons of red pine pulp

<sup>+</sup> Includes approx. 75 MBF sawlog volume<sup>\*\*</sup> Includes approx. 30 tons aspen and white birch pulpwood

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**Estimated Price for Entire Sale = \$ 33,664.00****Purpose of Sale:** To thin red and white pine stands.**Special Operating Requirements and Slash Disposal:**

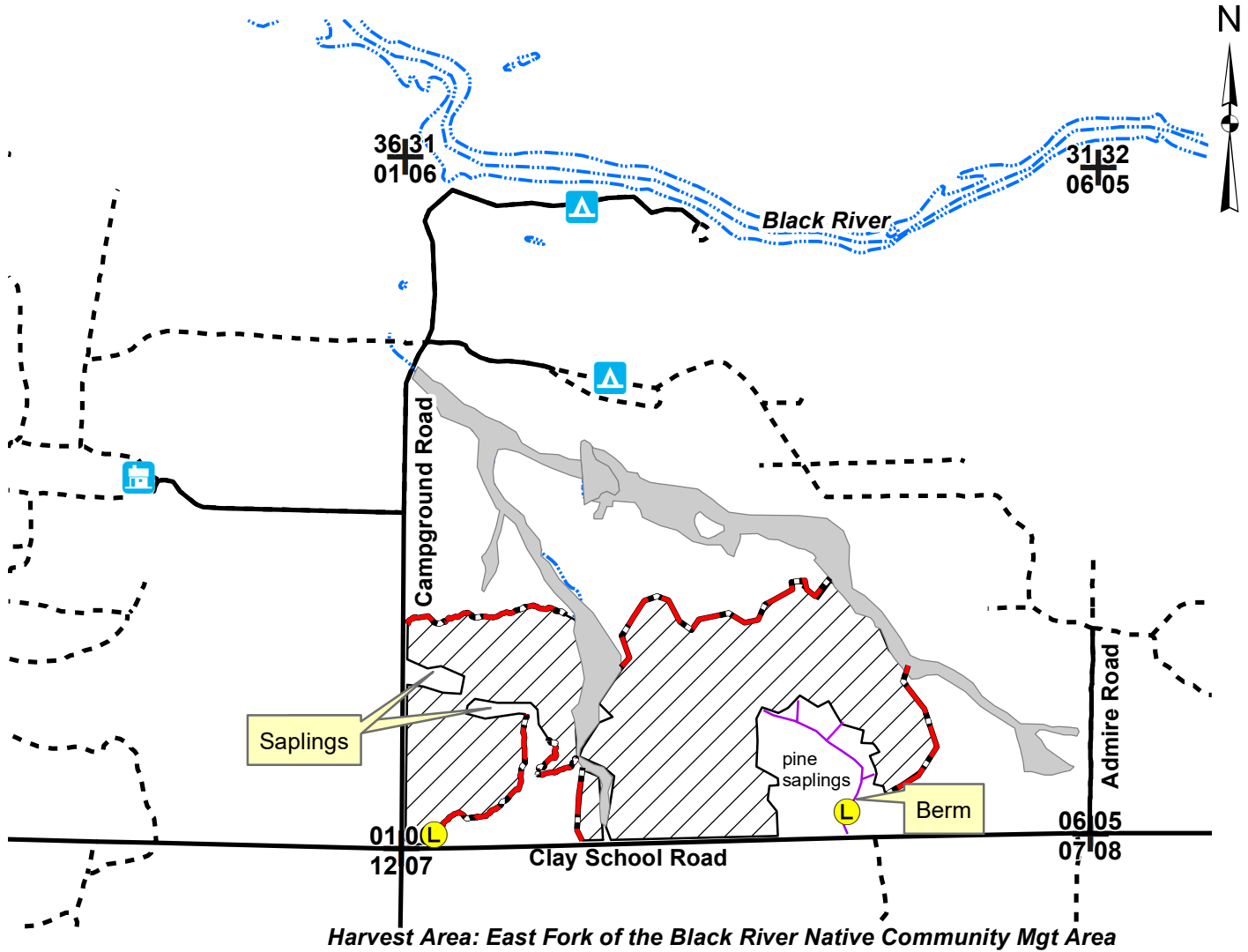
1. The sale boundaries are red paint lines, town roads, open wetlands, saplings and recent harvests.
2. Areas of low ground and wet drainages are present in the sale area (approx. 15% of sale). Dry or frozen conditions and extra care by operators will be needed to work in these areas.
3. An existing skid trail is located on the east end for access into the sale area. No additional skid trails through the adjacent stand will be permitted. This route is not intended to be for hauling. The landing is located at the roadside.
4. No biomass harvesting is allowed on this sale due to poor soil fertility.
5. All pine products cut between March 1st and August 30 must be removed from the sale area within three weeks from time of cutting. Pine products cut during the remainder of the year must be removed before March 15<sup>th</sup>.
6. Slash must be evenly lopped/scattered within the sale boundary and shall be deposited a minimum of 10 feet from the mowed right-of-way of any highway, town road, or recreational trail. Slash within 50 feet of all town roads and recreational trails must lie within 2 feet of the ground. Do not bury seedlings or saplings with slash.

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BLACK RIVER STATE FOREST  
TIMBER SALE MAP  
T22N-R2W Sec 6  
TRACT #12-18 Schoolyard Pine

Sale Size: 118 acres  
Map Scale: 1" = 1/4 mile



Harvest Area: Cut all trees  $\geq 5"$  dbh except red and white pine and those marked with an "X". Cut all red and white pines marked with orange. 118 Acres

Some areas of the sale are located on wet ground and will require dry or frozen conditions.



Woods Road



Open Wetland



Outdoor Campground



Section Corners



Existing Skid Trail



Indoor Group Camp



Existing Landing



Red Paint Line

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Date

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Street Address

City

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ZIP Code

Property Name (if any)

Black River State Forest

Tract Number

12-18

Date and Hour of Bid Opening

April 26, 2018 9 a.m.

Minimum Acceptable Bid (optional)

\$ 33,664.00

Species-All bids including Lump Sum bids must be by species	Utilization Specifications	Advertised Value Per Unit (optional)	Estimated Volume	Volume Units	Price Bid Per Unit	Total Bid Value on Estimated Volume
White Pine	4" top	\$11.60	1,010	tons		
Red Pine	4" top	\$16.80	935	tons		
Maple	4" top	\$8.00	620	tons		
Oak	4" top	\$8.00	160	tons		

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Will be in the form of: (select one)

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**BRSF Tract 13-18**  
**Sand Pillow First Thin**  
T22N-R3W Sec 32, 33

Sale size: 51 Acres  
Contract Period: 2 years

**Estimated Volume**

<b><u>Species</u></b>	<b><u>Cord Equivalent</u></b>	<b><u>Tons</u></b>	<b><u>Advertised Value/Ton</u></b>
Red Pine*	(350)	780	\$17.60
Jack Pine	(40)	80	\$15.40

\* Includes approx. 80 MBF sawlog volume

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**Estimated Price for Entire Sale = \$ 14,960.00**

**Purpose of Sale:** To thin a red pine plantation for the first time and to convert some small pine areas to barrens habitat.

**Special Operating Requirements and Slash Disposal:**

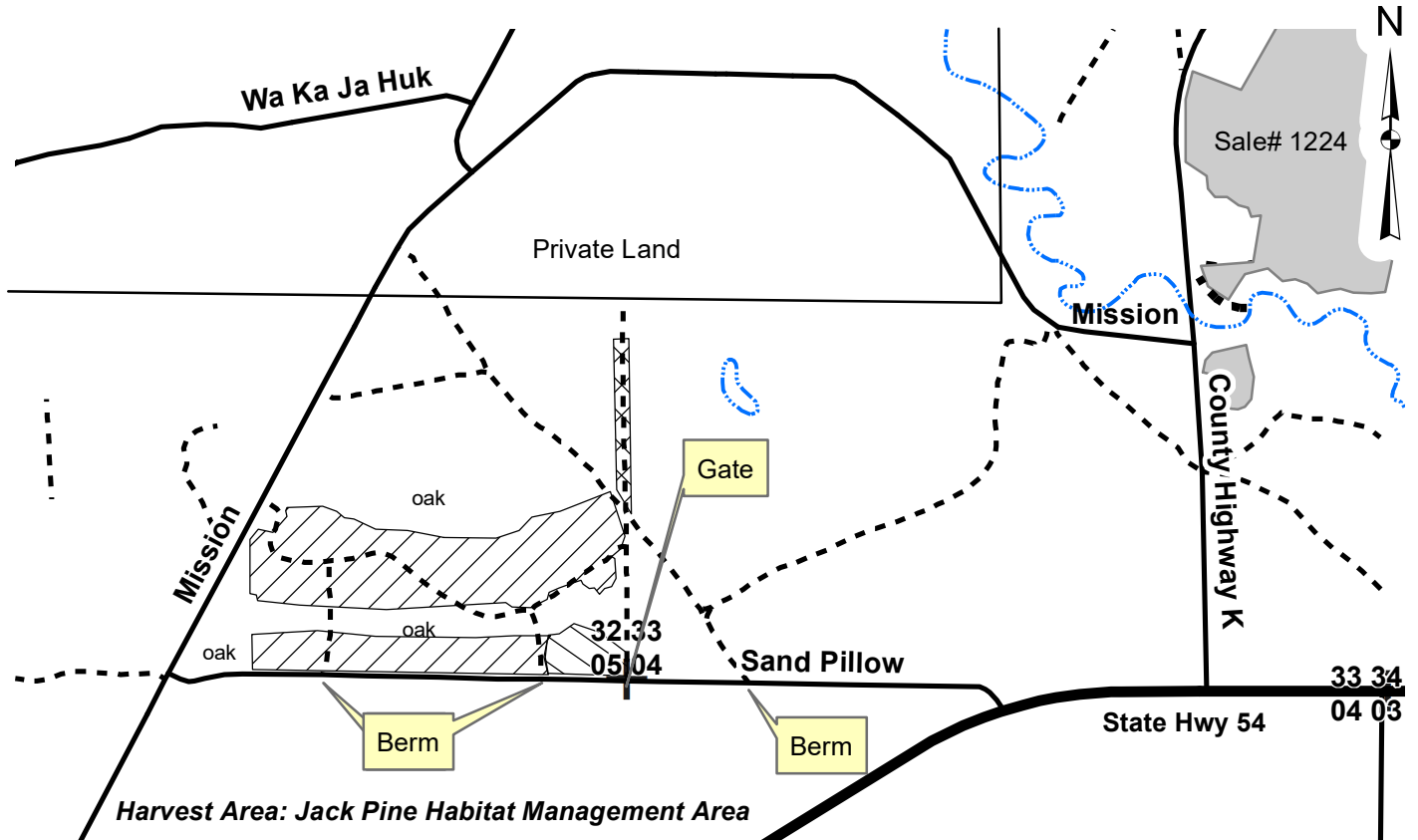
1. The sale boundaries are the edges of the pine plantation, an oak stand, woods trails and Sand Pillow Road.
2. The rows to be cut are not marked. Two outside rows on the north and south sides, and every third row (and all other trees within the space between the adjacent rows) shall be cut. If the logging equipment will not fit in this space without damage to residual trees, contact the DNR Forester for sale modifications.
3. No biomass harvesting is allowed on this sale due to poor soil fertility.
4. All pine products cut between March 1st and August 30 must be removed from the sale area within three weeks from time of cutting. Pine products cut during the remainder of the year must be removed before March 15<sup>th</sup>.
5. Slash must be evenly lopped/scattered within the sale boundary and shall be deposited a minimum of 10 feet from the mowed right-of-way of any highway, town road, or recreational trail. Slash within 50 feet of all town roads and recreational trails must lie within 2 feet of the ground. Do not bury seedlings or saplings with slash.

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8. Any trees cut or pushed over for new roads or landings must be utilized or cleaned up to the DNR Forester's satisfaction.
9. New road approaches must be approved by the Ho Chunk Nation. Contact Ted Walzak at 608-387-9728 prior to hauling on Sand Pillow or Mission Roads.
10. **Wisconsin's Best Management Practices for Invasive Species applies – contractor must clean equipment before entering and leaving the sale area! This involves brushing away all dirt and cleaning air intakes of debris.**

BLACK RIVER STATE FOREST  
TIMBER SALE MAP  
T22N-R3W Sec 32  
TRACT #13-18 Sand Pillow First Thin

Sale Size: 51 acres  
Map Scale: 1" = 1/4 mile



Red pine first thin: Cut the two outside rows of each piece of the plantation. Cut every third row in between. Rows run east and west. 45 acres



Jack pine clearcut: Cut all trees  $\geq 5"$  dbh except 8-12 large crowned oaks. 3.5 acres



Red pine removal: Cut all red pine  $> 5"$  dbh along W side of woods trail inside burn area. Cut all red pine within 20 feet east of the woods trail. 2.5 acres

**Any landings shall be placed in areas that are brushy to prevent damage to endangered species habitat.**

**Any new driveway approaches that need to be installed on Sand Pillow or Mission Road, must be approved through the Ho-Chunk Nation. Contact Ted Walzak at 608-387-9728 prior to hauling on Sand Pillow or Mission Roads.**

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Woods Road



Existing timber sale



Section Corners

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Street Address

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Property Name (if any)

Black River State Forest

Tract Number

13-18

Date and Hour of Bid Opening

April 26, 2018 9 a.m.

Minimum Acceptable Bid (optional)

\$ 14,960.00

Species-All bids including Lump Sum bids must be by species	Utilization Specifications	Advertised Value Per Unit (optional)	Estimated Volume	Volume Units	Price Bid Per Unit	Total Bid Value on Estimated Volume
Red Pine	4" top	\$17.60	780	tons		
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Signature of Bidder

Bidder's Name (Please Print or Type)

Phone Number (include area code)

Email Address (optional)

**BRSF Tract 14-18**  
**Long Finger Pine**  
T20N-R2W Sec 2; T21N-R2W Sec 36

Sale size: 54 Acres  
Contract Period: 2 years

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**Estimated Volume**

<b><u>Species</u></b>	<b><u>Cord Equivalent</u></b>	<b><u>Tons</u></b>	<b><u>Advertised Value/Ton</u></b>
Red Pine*	(575)	1300	\$25.20

\* Includes approx. 113 MBF sawlog volume and less than 10 cords of jack and white pine pulp.

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**Estimated Price for Entire Sale = \$ 32,760.00**

**Purpose of Sale:** To thin three red pine plantations for the third time, and to convert 4 acres of red pine to white pine and oak.

**Special Operating Requirements and Slash Disposal:**

1. The sale boundaries are the edges of pine plantations and the road or trail.
2. **No use of, or crossing the ski trails with equipment during times when the trail is groomed for skiing.**
3. Any slash or debris dropped onto the ski trails must be promptly removed for safety of recreational users. These trails are open for hiking and biking whenever not groomed for skiing.
4. No biomass harvesting is allowed on this sale due to poor soil fertility.
5. All pine products cut between March 1st and August 30 must be removed from the sale area within three weeks from time of cutting. Pine products cut during the remainder of the year must be removed before March 15<sup>th</sup>.
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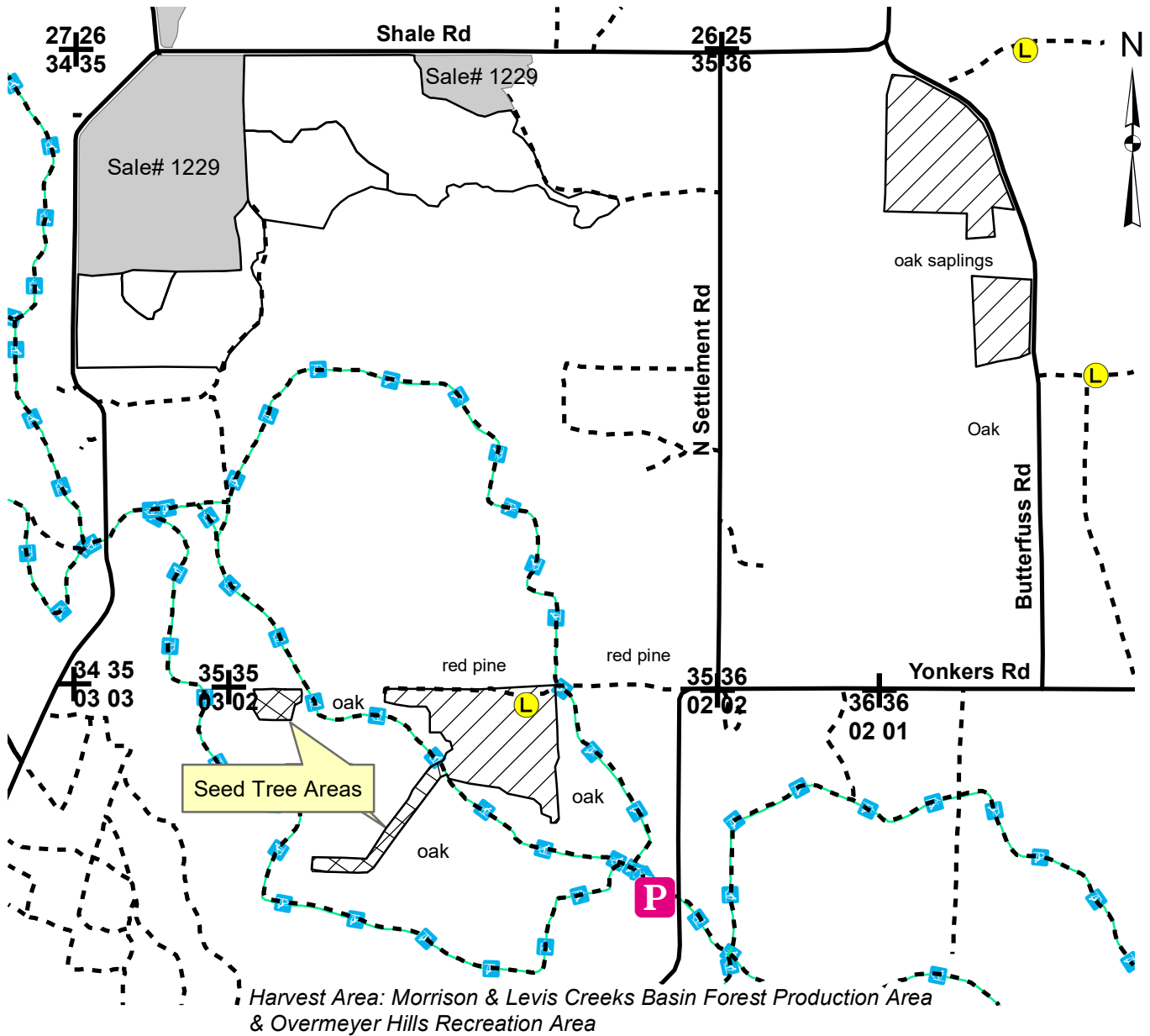
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BLACK RIVER STATE FOREST  
TIMBER SALE MAP  
T20N-R2W Sec 2; T21N-R2W Sec 36  
TRACT # 14-18 Long Finger Pine

Sale Size: 54 acres  
Map Scale: 1" = 1/4 mile



Pine thinning - Cut all trees marked with orange paint. 49 acres.



Red Pine Seed Tree - Leave the first 5 trees in each red pine row that is next to the ski trail. Leave every third red pine in the rest of the harvest area. 5 acres



Woods Road



Existing Landing



Ski Trail



Section Corners



Trailhead Parking

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Black River State Forest

Tract Number

14-18

Date and Hour of Bid Opening

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Minimum Acceptable Bid (optional)

\$ 32,760.00

Species-All bids including Lump Sum bids must be by species	Utilization Specifications	Advertised Value Per Unit (optional)	Estimated Volume	Volume Units	Price Bid Per Unit	Total Bid Value on Estimated Volume
Red Pine	4" top	\$25.20	1,300	tons		

The award shall be based on this TOTAL BID AMOUNT:

**Performance Bond**

Will be in the form of: (select one)

☐ Cash

☐ Personal Check

☐ Certified Check/Money Order

☐ Irrevocable Letter of Credit

☐ Assurance Bond

☐ Certificate of Deposit

☐ Assignment of Savings Account

I understand that any or all bids may be rejected and that consideration and awarding of a contract will be based upon my past performance and ability to complete contracts. **I also understand that if I am the winning bidder, I have 6 weeks from the date of the bid opening to submit an acceptable performance bond. I also understand that if I am awarded the contract and fail to execute it or work under it, I will be required to forfeit to the Department an amount equal to 10% of my total bid amount.** Failure to forfeit the 10% penalty will result in being considered ineligible to bid on any state timber sales for a two-year duration. In the event the highest bidder can not or will not sign the contract, the award will be made to the next highest qualified bid.

**Notice:** I understand:

Utilization specifications and estimated volumes are listed in the prospectus which is available upon request from the Department.

A copy of the standard timber sales contract which must be entered into is available upon request from the Department.

Signature of Bidder

Bidder's Name (Please Print or Type)

Phone Number (include area code)

Email Address (optional)