

# NH-ALSF TRACT 3-19 Mud Creek Pine & Aspen

### Vilas County

#### Town 40 North, Range 7 East

Section 23 – NE1/4; E1/2NW; SW1/4; W1/2SE

No bid bond required.

15% of the total sale bid value will be required as performance bond.

The cutting area is approximately 67 acres.

The contract period is 3 years.

All trees that will yield one or more 100-inch sticks to the minimum top diameter chosen by the bidder will be cut and utilized.

### ESTIMATED VOLUME (TONS)

#### MINIMUM TOP DIAMETER

<u>SPECIES</u>	<u>4"</u>	Advertised Price <u>Per Unit</u>
White Pine <sup>1</sup>	855	\$ 14.00
Red Pine <sup>2</sup>	475	\$ 18.90
Aspen	300	\$ 12.30
Red Oak	65	\$ 10.50
Mx. Hardwood <sup>3</sup>	240	\$ 13.30

## Total Minimum Bid Value \$28,512.00

#### **Special Conditions:**

- 1. Harvesting within filter strips will only be allowed during frozen ground conditions to prevent rutting. All other low ground areas to be operated in during dry or frozen ground conditions. Do not cut within 15 feet of any ephemeral pond. Cutting must be concurrent for all species to be harvested.
- 2. Biomass harvesting is not allowed. Do not cut, knock down, or utilize dead trees unless the tree poses a safety issue during harvesting operations.
- 3. No tops or slash allowed across any red line or within any wetland. All slash must be lopped and scattered within 2 feet of the ground and pulled back into the sale area at least 10 feet away from the snowmobile trails.
- 4. Snowmobile trail must be kept free of debris, snow covered in winter, and left in good condition for vehicle traffic at all times. All trails must be repaired to pre-harvest conditions before the start of each snow season. All landings and any new woods roads must be approved prior to sale start up.
- 5. All pine products cut between May 1 and September 1 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 prior to May 1 of each year.
- 6. If the contract is to be worked on during multiple time periods a mid-contract "pull-off" inspection meeting will be required. One-week notice shall be given by the contractor prior to moving equipment off-site. During the "pull-off" inspection, provisions needing attention will be documented. The contractor at that time can decide to remedy them before pulling equipment off or rectify them when moving back onto the site. If the latter is chosen, documented items shall be addressed before harvesting can continue.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Volume includes 74% white pine, 16% balsam fir and 10% jack pine. It also includes 14 MBF of potential white pine logs (Wt. conv. 2.107 tons/cord) <sup>2</sup>Volume includes 35 MBF of potential red pine logs.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>Volume includes 74% white birch, 22% red maple and 4% hard maple. It also includes 3 MBF of birch log material (Wt. conv. 2.3785 tons/cord). The total sale volume equates to approximately 28.9 tons/acre or 13 cords/acre.