

NH-ALSF TRACT NO. 7-20 Sparkling Creek

Vilas County

Town 41 North, Range 6 East

Section 15 – NESW, SWSW, SESW Section 21 – NENE, NWNE, SESE Section 22 – NWNE, SWNE, SENE, NWNW, NESE, SWSW Section 27 – SWNE, SENE, NWNW, GL 1, NESE

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

The cutting area is approximately <u>75</u> acres.

The contract period is $\underline{3}$ years.

All trees that will yield one or more 100-inch sticks to the minimum top diameter will be cut and utilized. Whole Tree harvest is not allowed.

ESTIMATED VOLUME (TONS)

MINIMUM TOP DIAMETER

SPECIES	<u>4"</u>
White Pine ¹	1,125
Jack Pine	170
Balsam Fir ²	360
Aspen	330
Red Oak	480
Mixed Hardwoods ³	600

ESTIMATED VOLUME (MBF)

Red Oak	100

TOTAL MINIMUM BID VALUE: \$51,381.00

1 White Pine consists of 58% white pine and 42% red pine. Included is an estimated 78 MBF of white pine and 67 MBF red pine. Wt. Avg. is 2.162 tons/cord.

2 Balsam Fir consists of 74% balsam fir and 26% white spruce. Included is an estimated 11 MBF of white spruce. Wt. Avg. is 2.093 tons/cord.

3 Mixed Hardwood consists of 44% red maple, 43% hard maple and 13% white birch. Included is an estimated 11 MBF of sawlog material. Wt. Avg. is 2.410 tons/cord.

Note: Total sale volume equates to 49 tons/acre or 21 cords/acre.

Special Conditions:

- 1. Cutting must be concurrent for all species to be harvested. Do not cut, knock down or utilize any dead trees.
- 2. No harvesting, skidding or road construction from April 15th to July 15th due to the risk of oak wilt. Applies to entire sale except for the Pine Clearcut stands.
- 3. Camp Lake Road is a State Forest Road and must be repaired to pre-harvest conditions when timber sale is completed.
- 4. Snowmobile trails must be kept free of debris and left in good condition for vehicle traffic at all times.
- 5. Slash within 50 feet of Camp Lake road must be lopped and/or scattered to lie within two feet of the ground and pulled back at least ten feet behind tree line concurrently with cutting.
- 6. 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.