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To: Interested Contractors

The sale attached is available for direct purchase by a contractor.

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# GOVERNOR KNOWLES STATE FOREST

<b>Timber Sale #/Name:</b> / Curly Road Sale	<b>Town:</b> Sterling (W)	<b>Legal Description:</b> Sec. 27, 33, & 34-T36N-R20W
<b>DNR Tract #:</b> 20-24	<b>Comp:</b> 6 <b>Stand:</b> 5, 10, 15, 18, 19	<b>Acres: 29</b> Block A-3, Block B-3, Block C-1, Block D-8, Block E-9, Block F-4, Block G-1
<b>Sale Expiration Date:</b> December 31, 2027	<b>Mapped By/Date:</b> Mike Wallis 5/18/23	<b>Contractor:</b>

**MINIMUM BID: \$4,277.00**

Species/Product	4" Vol. (cords)	Price/Cd	Total
Mixed Hardwoods Cordwood*	250		
Jack Pine Cordwood**	140		

\*Approx. 85% oak, 9% aspen, 4% ash, 2% other; \*\*Approx. 78% Jack pine, 19% red pine, 3% Scotch pine

**5,355 POUNDS PER CORD WILL BE USED TO CONVERT MIXED HARDWOOD WEIGHT SCALES TO CORDS.**

**4,305 POUNDS PER CORD WILL BE USED TO CONVERT PINE WEIGHT SCALES TO CORDS.**

**Mill Scale Sale with deferred payment for eligible contractors**

**Cutting Requirements/Information**

- Thinning** (Blocks C and F) – Block C harvest all red pine that is marked with orange paint. Block F is an unmarked 1<sup>st</sup> thinning, harvest 1 row leave 2 rows.
- Clearcut with Site Maintenance** (Blocks A, B, and D) - Harvest all species with one or more merchantable sticks. Eight acres in Block D were pre-sale scarified by the Department. Site maintenance required. Cut all trees greater than 2-inch DBH.
- Clearcut with Reserves** (Block E and G) - Clearcut, harvest all trees with one or more sticks except orange marked trees in E and bur oak in Block G

1. Hardwood Utilization: 4" top DIB. **Pine Utilization: 6" top DIB.** All pine meeting the definition of a pulp stick (4" DIB at 100") shall be, at minimum, lopped at 100" and scattered as slash if not being removed from the harvest area.
2. Do not harvest paint marked boundary trees.
3. Maximum stump height shall be 10 inches.
4. Slash shall be kept within the sale boundaries and scattered with a maximum height not to exceed 3 feet. Reduce the slash in block E to 2 feet and do not pile slash near the marked leave trees.
5. Landings shall be approved by the Department prior to their construction. Progressive short wood landings are permitted along existing woods roads.
6. All existing roads and trails shall be kept open to allow for normal use throughout the harvest.
7. Harvesting shall be completed in a systematic and progressive manner. Harvest blocks shall be completely harvested prior to harvesting in another block, unless otherwise approved by the Department.
8. Leave all snags where they are not a safety risk to the operators.
9. All pine in piles between May 15 and August 15 shall be removed from the landings within 21 days.
10. Do not damage advanced regeneration or trees not designated for harvest.
11. Seasonal Restrictions - No harvesting allowed April 15-July 15 in all blocks due to oak wilt.

