NOTICE OF TIMBER SALE
NATIONAL FORESTS IN ALABAMA
TUSKEGEE DISTRICT
TIMBER SALE #22-11

GENERAL INFORMATION
Acting as agent for the USFS, the Alabama Forestry Commission (AFC) offers for sale approximately 684 tons of pine sawtimber, 740 tons of pine chip-n-saw, 4,147 tons of pine pulpwood, 255 tons of mixed hardwood sawtimber, and 1,746 tons of hardwood pulpwood on approximately 215+- acres. No representation is being made concerning the actual amount of timber which could be harvested from this tract. Bidders are expected to satisfy themselves as to both quantity and value of the timber before submitting a bid. By nature of this announcement, you are invited to bid on the timber described herein.

LOCATION
The sale area is located in the Tuskegee National Forest on the east edge of Tuskegee on County Road 26 in portions of Sections 28 & 33, Township 17 North, Range 24 East, Macon County, AL, as shown on attached map.

DESCRIPTION OF TIMBER
This sale contains 97 acres of first thinning, 74 acres of intermediate thinning, and 44 acres of clearcut with reserves (see attached map). Leave trees have been marked in orange paint in all three areas. Only unmarked trees may be cut. Orange-painted trees are not to be cut. Sale boundaries are marked with 3 stripes of orange paint. No trees are to be cut outside of these marked boundaries. Penalties will be assessed for cutting of orange-marked trees or trees outside of the sale areas. All roads are to be maintained and restored to original or better condition upon completion of logging. Upon completion of logging, water bars are to be installed where needed on roads and skid trails to minimize soil displacement. BMP’s as described in the publication “Alabama’s Best Management Practices for Forestry” are to be followed at all times.

BIDDING
Per-unit bids will be received until 10:00 AM on August 31, 2022 at the AFC state office at 513 Madison Ave. in downtown Montgomery. Please use the attached bid form. Mailed bids should be clearly addressed to “National Forest Timber Sale #22-11, c/o David Kelley, P.O. Box 302550, Montgomery, AL 36130-2550”. Bids will also be accepted by e-mail at: david.kelley@forestry.alabama.gov. Bids received after 10:00 AM on August 31, 2022 will not be considered. The AFC reserves the right to reject any and all bids. All bidders will be duly notified of the bid results.

CONTRACT
A contract form similar to the one to be executed for this timber sale may be obtained by calling David Kelley at the phone number below. The length of the cutting contract will be for 18 months. The successful bidder will be required to post a performance bond for the sale area at the time of closing in the amount of $2,500.

HOW TO SEE TIMBER
Interested bidders may inspect the sale area at any time. The combination to the locked gate on the access road on County Road 26 is 2022. This gate is to be kept closed and locked at all times. For additional information call David Kelley at 334-850-3069 (cell).

Dated this 2nd day of August 2022

State of Alabama
Alabama Forestry Commission
David M. Kelley, RF #1847
State Lands Forester
BID FORM

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DATE _____________________

NAME OF FIRM ____________________________________________________________

ADDRESS ________________________________________________________________

CITY, STATE, ZIP __________________________________________________________

TELEPHONE ______________________________________________________________

PER-UNIT BIDS ON NATIONAL FORESTS IN ALABAMA TIMBER SALE #22-11:

PINE SAWTIMBER $__________ PER TON

PINE CHIP-N-SAW $__________ PER TON

PINE PULPWOOD $__________ PER TON

HDWD SAWTIMBER $__________ PER TON

HDWD PULPWOOD $__________ PER TON

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