Covid 19 Timber Sale Showing and Bid Opening Procedures

Dear Bidders:

As you are already aware, the forest products industry has been deemed essential under the Governor’s Stay at Home Order. As such, we plan to move forward with the sale of timber from state lands this spring. However, we will be making a few changes to the showing and bid opening processes to help ensure your safety during the Covid 19 Pandemic.

Showings

1. If you wish to attend a showing, you must pre-register by contacting the Concord office directly. If you do not pre-register, you will not be on the attendee list, and you will be turned away at the showing.
2. Pre-registration will be open from the time a notice goes out until 24 hours prior to the showing date, no exceptions.
3. Pre-registration will be capped at 8 individuals, one person per company or business, no exceptions.*
4. Please practice social distancing while inspecting timber. We are outdoors and have ample room to exceed the six-foot guideline.
5. As always, you may request a prospectus and review the sale area on your own at any time after the showing date.

Bid Openings

1. All bids must be mailed to the Concord office, no exceptions.
2. Bid openings will no longer be open to the public.
3. As always, bid results will be available shortly after the opening via email.

For questions about timber sales - Will Guinn - Administrator, Forest Management Bureau, NH Division of Forests and Lands, 172 Pembroke Road, Concord, NH 03301. Tel. 271-2645, e-mail William.Guinn@dncr.nh.gov.

To pre-register - Robin Trombley - Administrative Assistant, Forest Management Bureau, NH Division of Forests and Lands, 172 Pembroke Road, Concord, NH 03301. Tel. 271-2214, e-mail Robin.Trombley@dncr.nh.gov.

*Due to the limited space, we request that you only pre-register if you plan to attend and are seriously considering bidding on the project. Anyone who pre-registers and does not attend without providing a valid explanation in advance will not be allowed to pre-register for the next sale, no exceptions.

These are difficult times and we are trying to be fair to everyone under the circumstances. We thank you in advance for your understanding and cooperation.