

VILAS COUNTY MISCELLANEOUS STATE LANDS TRACT 973-15

Crescent Wrench

Vilas County

Town 42 North, Range 10 East

Section 13 – NESW, NWSW

No bid bond is required.

15% of the total sale bid value or \$1,000.00, whichever is greater, will be required for performance bond.

The sale area is approximately 28 acres – 26 acres are harvestable, 2 acres are reserve tree pockets.

*The contract period is 1 year (one frozen-ground season).

All trees that yield one or more 100-inch sticks to the minimum 4” top diameter will be cut and utilized.

ESTIMATED VOLUME (TONS)

MINIMUM TOP DIAMETER

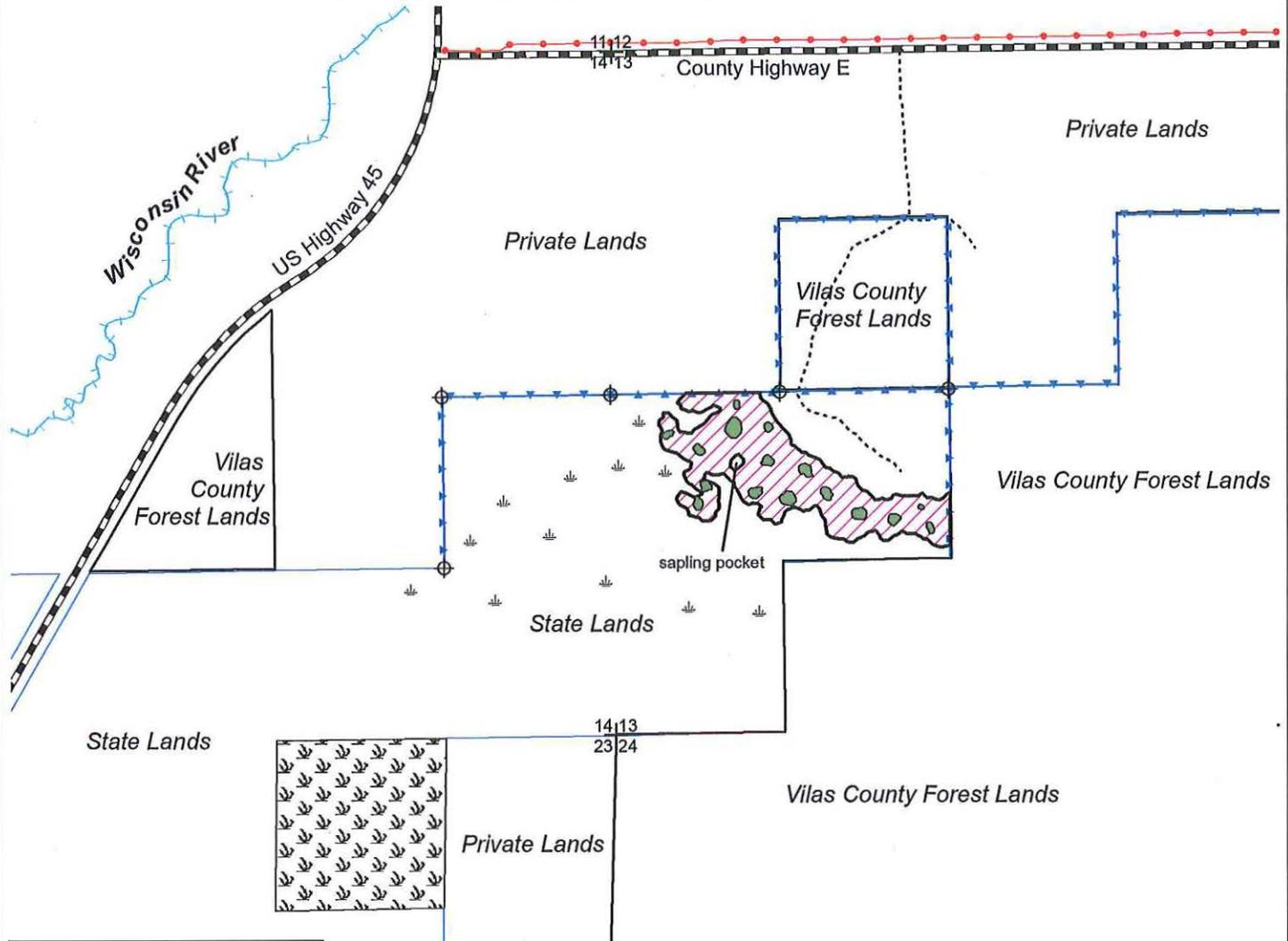
<u>SPECIES</u>	<u>4”</u>	<u>Whole Tree</u>	<u>Advertised Price Per Unit</u>
Black Spruce	775		\$ 13.20
Tamarack	550		\$ 8.50
Jack Pine	75		\$ 11.60
		Total Minimum Bid Value	\$ 15,775.00

Special Conditions:

1. All stems greater than 2” DBH must be harvested. Cutting must be concurrent for all species to be harvested. Biomass harvesting is NOT allowed on this sale.
2. Special care must be taken to avoid damaging pockets of advanced regeneration within the sale.
3. All dead snags are to be left uncut unless they pose a hazard to the harvesting operation.
4. Harvesting activities must be conducted between December 1 and March 1. Harvesting during this time must be under frozen-ground conditions and operator must utilize top-wood as travel mats while harvesting and forwarding to minimize rutting and soil compaction.
5. All slash must be lopped to within two feet of the ground and pulled back at least ten feet from the blue line concurrently with cutting. Trees felled across the blue line or into open wetland or keg areas must be pulled back into the sale area before being limbed and topped.
6. Access to the sale will be from County Highway E across private and Vilas County Forest lands. Roads, trails, and landings must be approved by a State Forester prior to construction, and must be cleared of debris and leveled upon completion of forest operations. All the roadwork will be the responsibility of the contractor and will be administered and monitored by a State Forester.

**The parcel of land where this sale lies is currently being reviewed for potential sale to the public or other government agencies. Approved parcels may be offered for sale as early as Spring 2016.*

**WISCONSIN
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
TIMBER SALE
TRACT 973-15 CRESCENT WRENCH
T42N R10E SECTION 13
HARVEST ACRES - 28**



Legend

- Red Line
- Blue Line
- Woods Roads
- Highways and Town Roads
- Snowmobile Trails
- Rivers and Streams
- Section Corner
- Survey Marker
- Keg/Swamp
- State Lands
- Spruce Grouse SNA
- Vilas County Forest Boundary

- Black Spruce/Tamarack Regeneration Harvest (26 Acres): Cut all stems greater than 2" DBH within red paint line EXCEPT unmarked red and white pine or trees marked with green paint. Cut all red and white pine marked with orange paint.
- Reserve Tree Areas (2 Acres): DO NOT CUT pockets of trees designated with green paint.

Note: Harvest must be conducted under frozen-ground conditions, and operator must utilize top-wood as travel mats while harvesting and forwarding to minimize rutting and soil compaction. Do NOT damage pockets of advanced regeneration.

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Scale: 4" = 1 Mile
1:15,840

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