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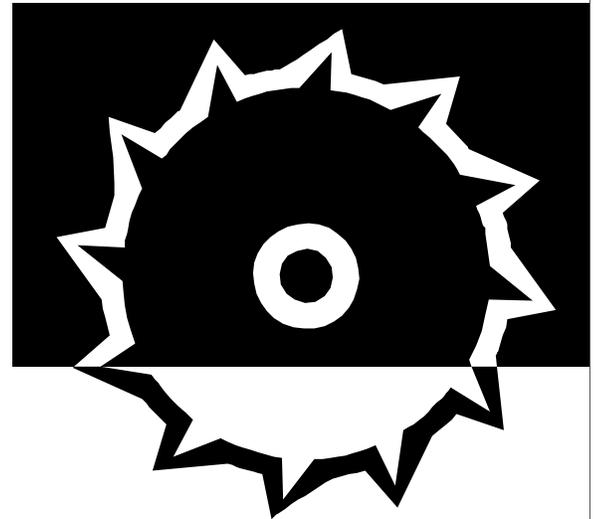
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The September 2017 issue of Wooden Dollars contains the latest Illinois Timber Prices publication for the winter period 2016-2017. The Summer 2017 survey of timber prices paid to Illinois landowners is being mailed this week.

This October 2017 issue also contains two (2) private landowner timber sales from Illinois foresters and one (1) ad.



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Wooden Dollars Monthly

is published on the first of each month by Illinois Division of Forest Resources to provide woodland owners market outlets for forest products, to protect and sustain the woodland resources of Illinois, and help supply industry with information and raw materials—all for the benefit of society. This document is a PDF available electronically and posted on the IDNR Forest Resources website.

“There is no Wi-Fi in the forest; but you will find a better connection!”

- Kentucky State Parks

Policy Statements:

Illinois forests and woodlands are critical to the citizens of Illinois and globally far beyond the singular value of wood and fiber production. The Division of Forest Resources integrates and requires on state land and cooperating private lands that important other concerns of soil, water, wildlife, habitats, recreation, aesthetics and cultural resources are addressed while growing, harvesting and regenerating forests. We advocate and outreach forest management principles to all Illinois forest owners.

Demands on Illinois forest resource for all goods and services the forest can provide continue to increase while nearly 90% of Illinois forests remain privately owned. To conserve, enhance and expand the benefits and critical function of Illinois forests it is necessary that forest landowners, government agencies, forest industry and citizens at large work together.

Equal opportunity to participate in programs of the Illinois Department of Natural Resources and those funded by the U.S. D.A. and other agencies is available to every individual regardless of race, sex, national origin, disability, age, religion, or other non-merit factors. If you believe you have been discriminated against contact civil rights office and/or the Equal Opportunity Officer, IDNR, One Natural Resources Way, Springfield, IL 62702-1271; 217-785-0067; TTY 217-782-9175.

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Marked Timber: Stumpage For Sale

This newsletter is posted on the IDNR Forest Resources website monthly. Deadline for each monthly issue is the third Thursday of the month prior. All submissions of marked timber for sale by consulting foresters, procurement foresters or others must be submitted by the second Thursday. Submissions by consulting foresters working with IFDA cooperators must adhere to the timber recommendations approved in the landowner’s written management plan. Foresters working with landowners at-large must adhere to recommended silviculture for Illinois forest types. Submissions may be sent US Mail to “ORC-Forestry” at our Springfield office or by email to paul.deizman@illinois.gov.

The following two (2) sales were marked for cutting by a forester of the Illinois Division of Forest Resources or by a consulting forester or and reviewed by the Illinois Division of Forest Resources. Volumes have been estimated using the Doyle Rule unless otherwise indicated. Deductions have been made for defects. No volume is tallied for culls. Any interested buyers should contact the landowner or their representative directly. The Illinois Division of Forest Resources does not establish the selling price of timber. Buyers must show proof they are currently licensed.



SALE #1:**Marked Timber for Sale****Jim Kerr****NE ¼ Sect 16. T1N – R1W****65Ac Schuyler Co**

Only those trees marked by District Forester with Pink on the stump and approx 5 feet up on the main stem are for sale. **Sealed bids will be accepted through 5:00 PM CDT, October, 27th, 2017** and will be opened at 550 Orchard Lake Drive, Rushville, IL. Successful bidder will be notified by seller or their representative.

Species	# of Trees	Doyle Board Feet Estimate.
Red oak	49	11,700
Hard maple	64	10,700
Walnut	43	8,025
Cottonwood	48	24,100
Black oak	20	4,225
Basswood	29	4,800
Shingle oak	19	3,775
Sycamore	10	4,250
Elm	16	2,675
Hickory	10	1,900
Misc*	28	4,500
Culls	7	
Total	342	80,650

*Misc includes: 3 Bur, 1 White, 1 Chinquapin oak, 5 Ash, 7 Cherry, 1 Box elder, 1 Buckeye, 9 Hackberry

Any questions about this sale and all sealed bids should be directed to Jim Kerr, 550 Orchard Lake Dr. Rushville, IL. 62681, 217-490-0006, jbkerr@casscomm.com

Bid/Offer Details :

*Timber Sale Requirements: Illinois Best Management Practices (BMP's) are required for this sale and shall be stated in the landowner's timber sale contract.

*Sealed bids, email bids and phone bids will be accepted by the owner until 5:00 PM CDT, October 27th, 2017. All bids will be opened at that time. Location of the bid opening is 550 Orchard Lake Drive, Rushville, IL.

*342 trees are marked with pink paint on the trunk and at the base.

*Doyle Rule was used as a basis for volume estimate: Allowances were made for cull and defect.

*In addition there were 7 cull trees marked with an X, of which no volume was tallied for these trees, but they must be cut or killed.

*Buyers must satisfy themselves as to the quality and quantity of the timber offered.

*The right to reject any or all offers is retained by the sellers.

*Timber removal cannot begin before December 1st, 2017 and must be completed by March 1st, 2018

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SALE#2:

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Invitation For Bids**Timber Sale**

Two properties, totaling 88.6 woodland acres, owned by Lee Rife and Bryan Keller, has been marked for timber harvest by Mike Long of Long Forestry Consultation. The properties consist of multiple cutting unit, all accessible by agricultural fields. Harvesting will have to be done from October through March, while crops are not in the field. Landing areas are indicated on the enclosed map. Logs will have to be skidded along the field edges and tree lines to prevent compaction in the fields. Individual bids are required for each individual landowner. Both properties will be sold to the highest lump sum bidder for the combined properties.

Silvicultural Objectives

All cutting units were marked to remove mature to overmature trees and to remove undesirable growing stock.

All trees were marked with orange paint at breast height and at the stump.

All marked trees, including "X" trees, were recorded with a Garmin 76CSx GPS unit to record tree locations. "X" trees were not included in the stocking tables and can be harvested at the loggers discretion. Species specific diameter distributions, waypoints, and GIS shapefiles of the property are available upon request. Please email any request to mike@longforestry.com.

Volumes were calculated using the Doyle scale, Form Class 78, Mesavage and Girard (1956), 2 inch DBH classes. All volumes are estimated. Long Forestry assumes no responsibility for volume totals.

Location: Sec. 15, T13S R1E, Union County, Illinois. (see attached maps and aerials). It is highly encouraged that prospective bidders look at the timber to be sold. To view the timber, call Mike Long at (618) 203-4248 to make him aware of your presence on the property.

Mail bids to: Long Forestry Consultation, 2220 Spanish Bluff Rd., Anna, IL 62906.

Email bids to: mike@longforestry.com.

Call in bids to: (618) 893-2307

Call Mike at 618-893-2307 if you have any questions. Bids will be opened on October 20, 2017 at 10AM at the offices of Long Forestry. Bidders are welcome to attend the bid opening. All bidders will be notified after the opening.

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Directions to the Sale Area:

To access the Rife/Keller property, travel to exit 24 on I-57 in Dongola, Illinois. Head east on Cypress Rd. for 3.0 miles to Moscow Rd. Turn north on Moscow Rd. for 0.6 miles to Friendship Church Rd. Turn east on Friendship Church for 0.08 miles to red barn to the north. This is Lee Rife's property to the north. The Keller property is to the east and south.

Directions to Bid Opening:

From Carbondale, take Highway 51 south from the Highway 51 and Pleasant Hill intersection for 13.7 miles to Spanish Bluff Rd. Turn west onto Spanish Bluff Rd. for 0.2 miles to the office.

From Anna, take Highway 51 north for 3.7 miles from the Highway 51/Highway 146 intersection. Turn west onto Spanish Bluff Rd. for 0.2 miles to the office.

Volume Table – Rife

Species	# of Trees	Total Bd. Ft.	Avg. Bd. Ft./Tree
American sycamore	11	3160	287.3
Black cherry	1	132	132.0
Black oak	6	1405	234.2
Black walnut	2	425	212.5
Cherrybark oak	7	2146	306.6
Cottonwood	6	3307	551.2
Elm	1	216	216.0
Green ash	46	8112	176.3
Hackberry	1	100	100.0
Honeylocust	8	1272	159.0
Pignut hickory	2	55073	202.9
Pin oak	1	225	225.0
Red maple	2	173	86.5
Shagbark hickory	6	1076	179.3
Sugar maple	9	1729	192.1
Sweetgum	18	4351	241.7
White ash	2	369	184.5
White oak	19	5521	290.6
Yellow-poplar	17	4303	253.1
Total	188	43,095	229.2

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Volume Table – Keller

Species	# of Trees	Total Bd. Ft.	Avg. Bd. Ft./Tree
American sycamore	23	7267	316
Black cherry	1	362	362
Black oak	15	5260	351
Black walnut	7	1836	262
Cherrybark oak	8	3164	396
Chinquapin oak	1	234	234
Cottonwood	18	8734	485
Elm	4	529	132
Green ash	19	6977	367
Hackberry	1	362	362
Mockernut hickory	7	1803	258
Northern red oak	4	1970	493
Pignut hickory	22	6077	276
Pin oak	2	729	365
Shagbark hickory	5	1236	247
Shumard oak	2	914	457
Silver maple	1	234	234
Sugar maple	16	3165	198
Sweetgum	40	16353	409
White ash	6	1552	259
White oak	37	14893	403
Yellow-poplar	2	556	278
Total	241	84207	

Notes on the Sale:

- Lump sum cash sale to successful bidder.
- Volume figures are net after deducting for defects.
- Written contract required.
- 25% down on contract signing, and balance due before starting the harvest.
- Harvestable trees marked with a slash or an X of orange paint on two sides of the tree at DBH and at stump height.
- Bid only on the 429 trees marked.
- Bid amounts shall include the 4% timber sale tax to be withheld and submitted to the IDNR.
- The timber will be sold to the highest bidder considered capable of completing the timber sale contract.
- Valid Illinois timber buyers license required.
- Liability insurance required (minimum coverage \$500,000) for all persons accessing the property regardless of relationship with purchaser or bidder. Bidders must have documented liability insurance during pre-bid inspections through harvest completion. Proof of Insurance shall be provided before or at the contract signing.
- The owner reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids.
- Illinois Best Management Practices for installing water bars, broad based dips, and re-seeding of trails, haul roads, and landings shall be followed according to the specifications outlined in said publication. A copy of the full publication is available upon request from Long Forestry Consultation, or it can be downloaded from http://web.extension.illinois.edu/forestry/timber_harvest/il_forestrybmps_2007.pdf
- For additional information, contact **Mike Long at (618) 893-2307**.

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FOREST PRODUCTS BUY-SELL ...

W A N T E D:

Buyers of White Pine timber in stands, plantations.
Pulpwood and sawtimber sized trees in various stands.

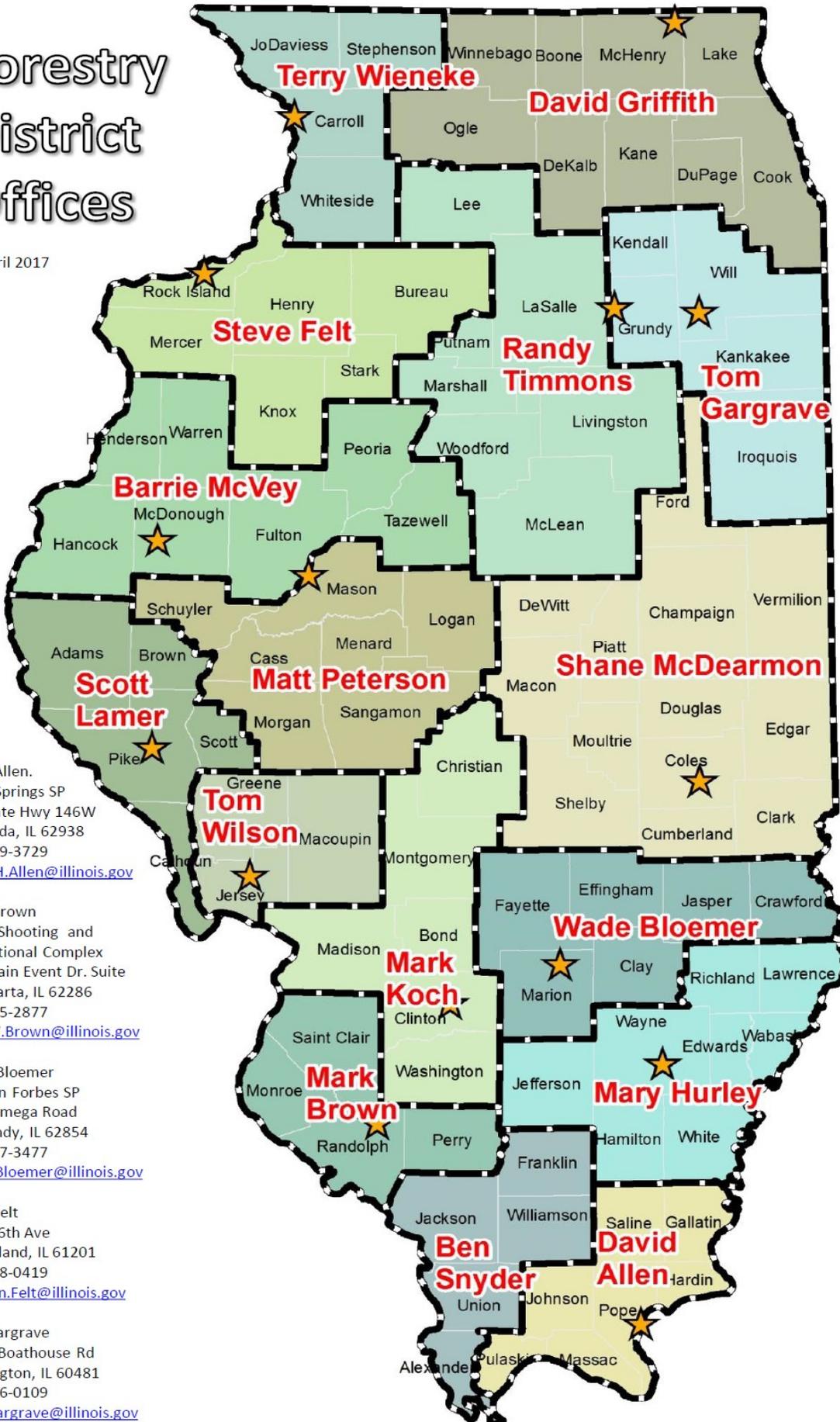
@ Northern 1/2 and Northern 1/3 of Illinois
ON private forest landowners and some county & state land sites

Contact: Paul Deizman 217-685-4306 or paul.deizman@illinois.gov

Attention: Please welcome our most recent addition to our State Forestry Division staff. Forester Jennifer Lesko is now stationed at Fairfield, IL field office formerly staffed by D. Johnson. She can be reached at 618-847-3781.

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