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INVITATION TO QUOTE 2018 Tree Planting Project - ALGONQUIN PARK

The Algonquin Forestry Authority (AFA) requires tree planting of approximately 505 hectares (580,000 trees) of container seedlings. Contractors are invited to submit a written quotation on a tree basis, per treatment type, as displayed below. Access is by forest access road requiring four-wheel drive vehicles with some ATV access anticipated. Maps for all areas are available on request. Areas are estimates based on preliminary field work. Final areas, laid out and measured with use of GPS units, will be provided before commencing the work.

Block	Size (ha)	Estimate of trees	road system	site prep method	rate (\$/'000 trees)
Charles Lk	21.2	25440	Bissett	skidders and chains	\$
Crow River	48	57600	Bissett	skidders and chains	\$
Crooked Chute Rd	67	80400	Travers	skidders and chains	\$
Crooked Chute fill plant	75	42000	Travers	skidders and chains and no SIP in sections	\$
W. Partridge	23.9	31070	Travers	skidders and chains	\$
W. Partridge straight plant	7.9	8000	Travers	no SIP	\$
Black Bass East	52.5	60500	Bissett	skidders and chains	\$
Black Bass West	35.4	42480	Bissett	skidders and chains	\$
Eustache	8.4	10920	Travers	skidders and chains	\$
John Jefferies	114.9	137880	Basin	skidders and chains	\$
Km21 Bissett	15	19500	Bissett	skidders and chains	\$
Odenback	7.4	8880	Bissett	skidders and chains	\$
North Branch	44	52800	Basin	bull dozer	\$
Total	505.6	577470			
Reefer rate					\$



Requirements:

The contractor must be an established forest management contractor with a formed company. The contractor will supply all labour, supervision, equipment and supplies. A brief contract proposal is to be submitted with the quote, outlining relevant experience and company track record, with references. The contractor will be required to enter into a contract, requiring coverage from the Workplace Safety and Insurance Board, public liability and damage insurance coverage of \$2,000,000 per occurrence and commit to meeting the requirements of AFA's Environmental Management System.

Additional requirements may be included in the final contract.

Quotes:

Quotes will be accepted on a rate per thousand trees by treatment basis. The lowest, or any price, is not necessarily accepted. Please specify the specific jobs you are quoting on.

Forward quotations to: tenders@algonquinforestry.on.ca

Quotes must include:

- Rates for planting as requested in the above table
- Rate for supplying a refrigerated truck for the duration of the contract
- Expected timeline for completion of project
- Number of staff and planters to be utilized, including number of camps
- Equipment to be available for the duration of the contract

PLEASE NOTE:

- For any questions or to see maps or a sample contract please contact Tom Dolan in Pembroke at tom.dolan@algonquinforestry.on.ca.
- If no reply to this invitation is received, AFA will assume the contractor wishes their name be removed from the contractors list.
- A formal site viewing will take place on November 28, 2017. If you plan to attend please reserve a place with Tom Dolan.
- Quotes may be used to award contracts in future years.
- Only quotations received prior to the closing date and time will be accepted.
- Quotes must be e-mailed to tenders@algonquinforestry.on.ca, E-mails to other addresses, as well as faxes and verbal quotations will **NOT** be accepted.
- The closing time and date for submitting quotes is 4:00 p.m. on Friday, December 1, 2017.