

**DEPARTMENT OF FORESTRY AND FIRE PROTECTION**

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**PROSPECTIVE TIMBER PURCHASER:**

The California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection's Jackson Demonstration State Forest will be offering the following timber sale: Walton - Tunnel 2016 Timber Sale (184 acres), approximately 3,316 MBF (net), on April 28, 2016. The Walton - Tunnel 2016 Timber Sale is located in Sections 23, 25, 26, 27 and 36, Township 18 North, Range 17 West; Section 31, Township 18 North, Range 16 West, MDB&M.

Enclosed are copies of the NOTICE OF TIMBER SALE, BID FORM and General Location Map. This information as well as the SAMPLE TIMBER SALE AGREEMENT and SUMMARY OF SALE INFORMATION are available via the internet:

[http://www.fire.ca.gov/resource\\_mgt/resource\\_mgt\\_stateforests\\_jackson.php](http://www.fire.ca.gov/resource_mgt/resource_mgt_stateforests_jackson.php)

Please note that the Timber Sale Agreements are in draft form as CAL FIRE is reviewing them and the existing language may be modified.

*Walton - Tunnel 2016*

The minimum bid rate per thousand board feet for redwood is \$540. The price has been fixed at \$40.00 per thousand board feet for Douglas-fir and all other whitewoods (grand fir/western hemlock). Selection, shelterwood seed step and variable retention harvests will be implemented. Timber volume within the sale area has been estimated by 100 percent tally of trees. Sale acreage has been determined from the map and trees selected for harvest have been marked with blue and yellow paint in areas of selection and variable retention. An orange paint retention tree mark was used within the shelterwood seed step. WLPZs and ELZs within the shelterwood seed step have been marked for harvest with yellow paint.

A copy of the THPs is available via the internet:

[ftp://thp.fire.ca.gov/THPLibrary/North\\_Coast\\_Region/THPs/THPs2014/1-14-130MEN/](ftp://thp.fire.ca.gov/THPLibrary/North_Coast_Region/THPs/THPs2014/1-14-130MEN/)

Walton Gulch #2 THP (1-14-130 MEN)

[ftp://thp.fire.ca.gov/THPLibrary/North\\_Coast\\_Region/THPs/THPs2015/1-15-146MEN/](ftp://thp.fire.ca.gov/THPLibrary/North_Coast_Region/THPs/THPs2015/1-15-146MEN/)

Tunnel #2 THP (1-15-146 MEN)

We are planning on holding a field tour on April 14, 2016. The meeting time and location are: 8:30 a.m. at ~ mile post 5.49, Highway 20 (JDSF Road 440/Hwy 20 intersection). ATV's will be necessary.

If you would like more information and/or are planning on attending the field tour, please contact Chief Sales Officer, Jason Serna at 707-964-5674, ext. 113.

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