

South Carolina Department of Natural Resources



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Forest Products Sale Notice

Angelus WMA
Chesterfield County, South Carolina

The South Carolina Department of Natural Resources (SCDNR) will accept sealed, **blended, per ton bids (IE one per ton price)** for the sale of approximately 1,250 tons of fuel chips to be selectively thinned from approximately 54 acres of planted longleaf pine, planted in 2001. Removals will include all trees from every third row and operator-selected smaller and poorly formed trees from side rows. Approximately 2/3 of the pine stems will need to be removed to produce an open-pine habitat suitable for bird dog training/put-and-take quail hunting. Additionally, 2-3 areas of 1-2 acres in size will be designated on the ground by pink flagging tape and will be clearcut of all trees greater than 1" in DBH. While some removals from this sale may potentially be considered of pine pulpwood-sized material, the volume of pre-commercial pine and hardwood material and a further requirement to remove all logging debris, tops, slash, etc. will limit the acceptable harvesting methods to fuel chipping only. SCDNR does not guarantee these advertised volumes or acreages, and bidders are encouraged to make their own determinations.

The sale area is part of, and located on SCDNR's Angelus Wildlife Management Area in western Chesterfield County, approximately 5 miles southwest of the town of Chesterfield. The Angelus Tract is located on the northwestern corner of the Carolina Sandhills National Wildlife Refuge in the fork of Sycamore Road (S-13-360) and Macedonia-Angelus Road (S-13-33). This property is associated with, but separate from, the Campbell's Crossroad WMA (see the attached location map, and link <https://www2.dnr.sc.gov/ManagedLands/ManagedLand/MapsDirect/674>) which is located about 4 miles to the east of the Angelus WMA tract. The attached sale map is believed to be reliable and accurate, but is not absolutely guaranteed.

Bids will be accepted until **11:00 a.m. on March 21, 2018** at SCDNR Headquarters, 1000 Assembly Street, Columbia, SC – Room 202, at which time the bids will be publicly opened. Bids may be delivered to the opening; mailed to Gary Burger, Statewide Forester, P.O. Box 167, Columbia, SC 29202; or e-mailed to burgerg@dnr.sc.gov. All bids should be signed by the bidder and clearly marked "Angelus WMA 2018 Timber Sale". **NO VERBAL or FAX BIDS will be ACCEPTED.** Mailed bids must be received by 4:00 p.m. on March 20, 2018. SCDNR reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

The successful bidder will have **4 months** to remove the timber and a \$5,000 performance bond in the form of a cashier's check or company check will be required within 10 days of notification of award. The performance bond will be held by SCDNR in a non-interest bearing account until satisfactory completion of the harvesting operation. Payments for timber removed, mill tickets, and settlement accountings will be mailed to SCDNR Headquarters in Columbia or delivered to Gary Burger on a weekly basis.

A pre-harvest conference between the successful bidder and SCDNR will be held prior to the commencement of harvest, and BMP compliance will be required. SCDNR advises bidders of their interest in protecting the plants, wildlife, educational, cultural, and aesthetic values that exist on the tract. All logging decks, equipment, felled trees, and debris will be confined to the sale area. Damage to adjoining areas and/or excessive damage to residual trees may incur assessment of damages to the buyer. No logging will be allowed when the ground is subject to rutting, but wet weather extensions may be granted for

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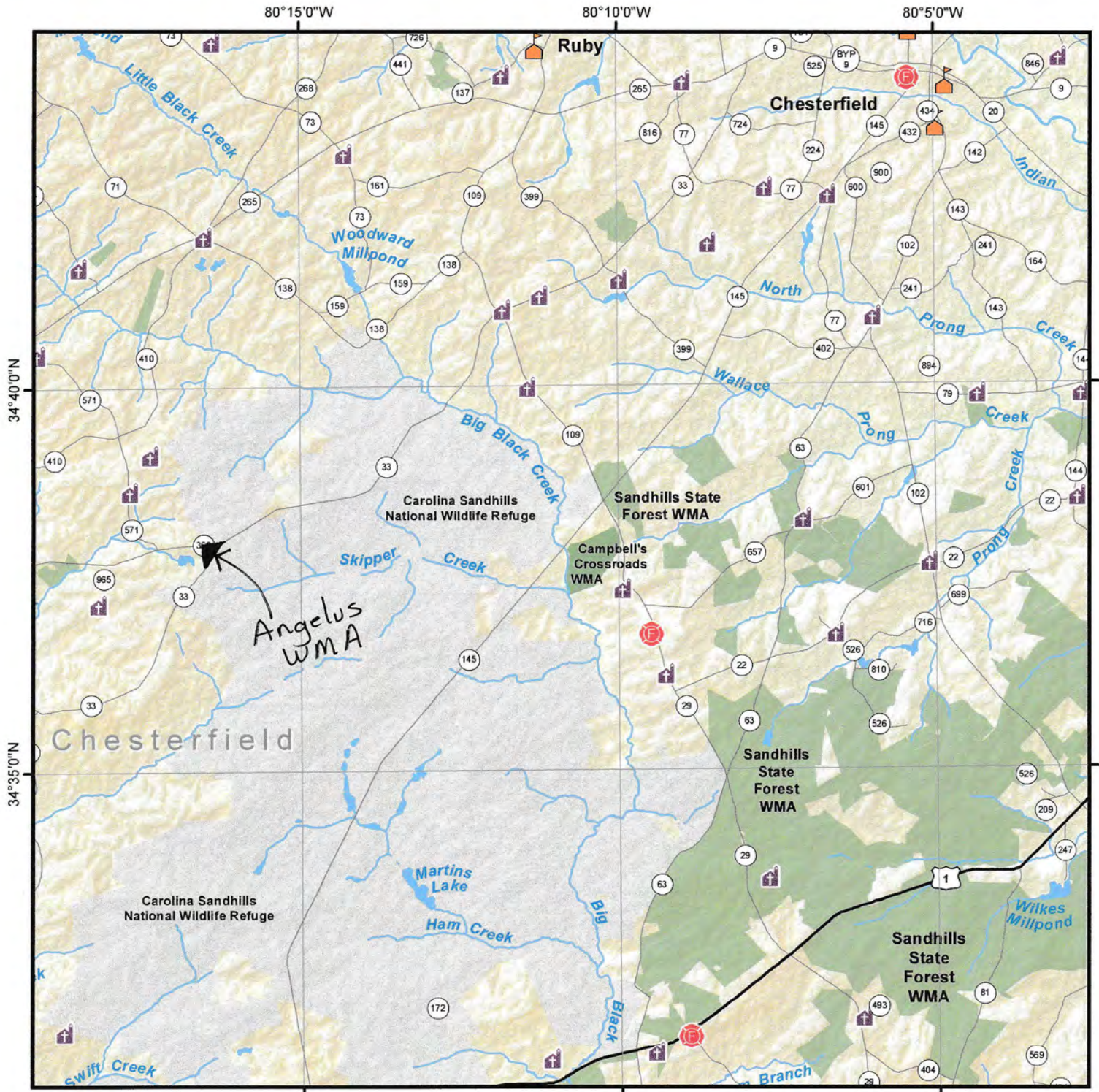
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extensive delays. Existing internal roads will be utilized but must be left free of logging debris and in good condition. The return of the performance bond will be contingent on SCDNR's inspection of these conditions.

For further information contact **Gary Burger at (803) 429-3900** or at the e-mail address above.

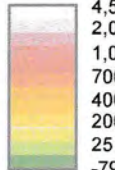


DNR Managed Lands

- DNR Managed Land
- Misc. Public Properties
- State Boat Ramps
- Kiosk

- Fire Station
- Hospital
- Church
- School
- College/University

Elevation



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Campbell's Crossroads and Angelus Tracts WMA Chesterfield County



Game Zone

Angelus WMA - Timber Sale 2018



Sycamore Road (S-13-360)

@ 54 Acres

Macedonia-Angelus Road (S-13-33)

Chesterfield Co. 2015 NAIP

Angelus_Boundary