## REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS Four-Year Forest Thinning, Replanting, and Timber Sales Program

RFP# 2018-02

Baker County, Florida is seeking a qualified forest management, timber, or harvesting company to manage the replanting, thinning, and sale of timber located in St. Marys Shoals Park, off Otis Yarborough Road in Baker County, Florida. St. Marys Shoals Park is 2,400+ acres with large amounts of harvestable timber. The complete bid package is available on the County's website at <a href="https://www.bakercountyfl.org/purchasing.php">www.bakercountyfl.org/purchasing.php</a>

Proposals will be received until **3:00 p.m. March 8, 2018** in the Office of the County Manager, Baker County Board of Commissioners, 55 N. 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Macclenny FL 32063. **Bid MUST** have the respondent's name and mailing address clearly shown on the outside of the envelope or package when submitted. Submit two (2) copies of your bid in a sealed envelope or similar package marked "Forest Management" on the front of the envelope.

The deadline to submit questions is **March 5, 2018, at 10:00 AM.** Questions shall be submitted in writing to Kennie Downing, County Manager at <a href="mailto:kennie.downing@bakercountyfl.org">kennie.downing@bakercountyfl.org</a>. All answers will be issued in writing via addendum on the County's website.

Proposals will be opened and respondents announced at 3:00 P.M. local time, or as soon thereafter as practical, on March 8, 2018, in the Baker County Administrative offices, 55 N. 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Macclenny FL 32063. The bid opening is open to the public.

The County reserves the right, in its sole and absolute discretion, to reject any or all Bids, to cancel or withdraw this solicitation at any time and waive any irregularities in the Solicitation process. **No faxed Proposals will be accepted.** 

Additional information may be obtained from:

Baker County Board of County Commissioners 55 N. 3<sup>rd</sup> St. Macclenny, FL 32063 (904) 259-3613

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