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MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH
PUBLIC NOTICE

Type: Timber Salvage (MSB006573)

Tax ID: 26N05W08A001
26N05W08B001

In 2021 the Matanuska-Susitna Borough (Borough) Land & Resource Management Division began soliciting bids to sell the timber on Borough-owned parcels Tax ID 26N05W08A001 and 26N05W08B001. The public comment period listing the original 54-acres was open from October 1 through October 31, 2021. Given the time that has elapsed, this notice is being provided as a courtesy to inform the public that the timber sale remains available and has been expanded. The expanded harvest area encompasses 114 acres on the 358-acres that are owned by the Borough. This timber sale is intended to remove over-mature birch to promote forest regeneration and reduce wildfire fuel loading. The sale includes all beetle damaged and killed spruce as well as all over-mature cottonwood and aspen greater than seven inches in diameter at chest height. The timber sale will be presented to the Borough Assembly for approval at the February 20, 2024 Assembly meeting.

Supporting material is available for public inspection during normal business hours on the 2nd floor of the Borough Building in the Land & Resource Management office or visit the Public Notice Section on the Borough's web page, www.matsugov.us. Public comment is invited on this request. If you have any comments please mail or deliver them to the Borough offices at the address indicated above, no later than **February 16, 2024**. If you have questions about this request call Emerson Krueger at 907-861-7867 between 8 am-5 pm or you can send an e-mail to: LMB@matsugov.us (please refer MSB006573, STH 24-002 when submitting comments).

Comments: _____

Signature: _____

(If you need more space for comments please attach a separate sheet of paper.)
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