

MANDATORY SITE VIEWING
2008 TREE PLANTING CONTRACTS

The Province of Manitoba, Forestry Branch is inviting tenders for the 2008 tree planting contracts on Crown Lands. Viewing of the sites is **mandatory in order to submit a bid**. All transportation, including the use of off road vehicles is the responsibility of the prospective bidders.

Prospective bidders must meet contract level requirements and must supply all equipment, tools, labour, transportation and operating supplies.

Please register with Gord Falk at (204) 945-7159 if you will be attending the viewing(s) by Sept. 14, 2007.

Inclement weather may force cancellations or alternate viewing dates.
Contact: Gord Falk at office (204) - 945-7159 or cell (204) - 782-6512 for updates.

NOTE: A four wheel drive vehicle and an all terrain vehicle (ATV) will be required to view the planting sites.

All numbers are approximate and subject to change depending on availability.

Fall VIEWING SCHEDULE:

Region	Meeting Location	Time	Date
Eastern (FOR 321)	Falcon Lake District Office Viewing planting contract level 2	8:30 a.m.	September 17, 2007
Southeast (FOR 322)	Marchand Resources yard (PTH 210 & 404) Viewing planting contract level 4	2:00 p.m.	September 17, 2007
Eastern (FOR 323)	Traverse Bay Corner (PTH 59 & PTH 11) Viewing planting contract level 3	8:30 a.m.	September 19, 2007
Interlake (FOR 324)	Dancing point Road and PTH 6 Viewing planting contract level 4	11:00 a.m.	September 20, 2007
Northwest (FOR 325)	Dancing Point Road and PTH 6. Viewing planting contract level 4	1:00 p.m.	September 20, 2007
Northwest (FOR 326)	The Pas - Tim Hortons Viewing planting contract level 2	7:00 a.m.	September 21, 2007
Northwest (FOR 327)	Bakers Narrow Lodge Viewing planting contract level 2	1:00 p.m.	September 21, 2007
Western (FOR 328)	Mafeking District Office Viewing planting contract level 2	8:00 a.m.	September 22, 2007

**Tenders are invited for the following contracts:
FALL VIEWING**

LEVEL 2 (150,001 – 300,000 trees)

Region	Contract	No. of Seedlings	Stock Type	Site Prep
Eastern*	FOR-321-08/09	283,500	o/w container	unprepared and prepared
Northwest	FOR- 326-08/09	225,000	o/w container	unprepared

Northwest	FOR-327-08/09	157,000	o/w container	unprepared
Western	FOR- 328-08/09	169,600	o/w container	unprepared and prepared

* Contract FOR 321-07/08 may have a fall and a winter viewing

LEVEL 3 (300,001 - 600,000 trees)

Region	Contract	No. of Seedlings	Stock Type	Site Prep
Eastern	FOR-323-08/09	506,500	o/w container	prepared and unprepared

LEVEL 4 (601,000+)

Region	Contract	No. of Seedlings	Stock Type	Site Prep
Southeast	FOR -322-08/09	800,000	o/w container	prepared and unprepared
Interlake	FOR -324-08/09	1,100,000	o/w container	unprepared
Northwest	FOR-325-08/09	750,000	o/w container	unprepared

WINTER VIEWING

Date to be announced (if required)

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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