Forest Resources Stewardship Plan Update (2020-2030) Timeline

The County anticipates the following general timeline for receiving and evaluating responses and completing project work phases:

April 28th, 2020- Benton County Natural Areas & Parks Staff/Director Complete RFP document and release per county contract policy and county attorney approval

May 28th, 2020- Deadline for RFP submittals; Start of Evaluation Committee review

and scoring

July 7th- 2020 Evaluation Committee Scoring Completed; Director selects Contractor Notice of Intent to Award Contract

July 15th- 2020 Protest Period Ends

July 16th- Start Forest Stewardship Plan Updates

July 16th-November 16th, 2020- Contractor completes Plan Updates with input and review support from staff

November 2020- Advisory Committee input and 2 Public Meetings on 90% ready Draft Plan <u>with</u> <u>selected Contractor present at these meetings</u>

January 31st- Final Plan Update ready for adoption by Board of Commissioners