MARKET REPORT FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 7/19 (REVISED JANUARY 3/19)

ARBEC – NOW OPEN must deliver two (2) loads of hardwood or poplar to send one (1) load of softwood.

AV NACKAWIC – Buying Poplar, Birch and Hardwood. Starting September 10th AV will start to purchase **MIXED TREE LENGTH HARDWOOD** with a price of \$48.90/mt approx. \$111.00/cord. This can contain Mixed Hardwoods, Poplar and ONLY 10% Birch. Tree Length accepted from 6 am to 10 pm. This is on a trial basis and subject to change. Please note that AV will not accept full loads of 8' HWD, 15% per load only. Full loads of short wood will be returned. AV is now buying **Biomass** any species accepted must be min length 22'and can have up to a 24" maxi butt size for a price of \$24.45/mt = \$49.88/cord. PRICE INCREASE POPLAR EFFECTIVE NOV 5TH \$53.79/MT = \$122.10/CORD. In mid-November the Birch price increased to \$46.94/mt = \$106.55/cord

CHESTER FOREST PRODUCTS – HOULTON LOCATION – Purchasing Random Length Hardwood as well and Spruce/Fir Pulpwood **CHESTER LOCATION –** Purchasing Hemlock Tree Length Studwood as well as 8' 100 " studwood, also Tree Length Hemlock Pulpwood. Please call either office for specs and prices.

COLUMBIA FOREST PRODUCTS – VENEER SAWLOGS – save out your larger hardwood sawlogs from the firewood pile. Columbia will send a scaler to your woodlot to scale logs on your site. Prices vary by length and size. Please contact either office to find out more on these logs. They are always looks for bird's eye or curly maple sawlogs as well.

CRABBE LUMBER –THE PRICE OF SPRUCE & FIR SAWLOGS HAVE TAKEN A SIGNIFICANT JUMP IN PRICE SPRUCE SAWLOGS NOW \$70.42/MT AND FIR SAWLOGS NOW \$62.59/MT

DEVON LUMBER – Buying 8' studwood and TL Cedar Please watch your specs on all products. Devon is now purchasing 10'6 Cedar Rails. Small loads (1/2 ton trucks, utility trailers) are only accepted between 7:30am – noon.

E M CUMMINGS – are now purchasing Hardwood and Poplar as well as Tree Length Studwood and Sawlogs through YSC. Cummings have new scaling hours effective Oct 16th Mon to Thurs 6 – 4:30 pm Friday 6 till 3pm

FILLION FORESTRY YARD (*Richmond Corner*) — HWD TL, TL Poplar and 9' Poplar. Scaling hours Monday to Friday 7:00 am to 5:00 pm New Maxi Butt size on Hardwood now 28"

GARANT - Woodstock, NB - Hardwood Sawlogs have increased in price. Garant is purchasing Ash, Hard Maple, Soft Maple and Yellow Birch. **Prices range from \$376/1000 Board feet to \$572/1000 board feet**.

JD IRVING – GRAND LAKE & SUSSEX – OPEN EXTENDED HOURS GRAND LAKE TILL SATURDAY JAN 5TH AT 6 AM AND SUSSEX JAN 5TH UNTIL 5 PM RUN AN ALL NIGHT SHIFT. Effective Oct 7th JDI Sussex will start to purchase Tree Length Studwood Zone 1 price \$60.64/mt Zone 2 through Zone 5 is \$63.57/mt Deliveries are at two places Fillion Forestry Yard or JDI Sussex yard. Tree Length going into JDi Sussex yard is by appointment only as there is no loader readily available. Effective Sept 16th the price of Pulpwood increases from \$1/mt to \$7/mt depending on the zones. Increase on Sawlogs & Studwood effective August 19th Sawlogs are now the same price in either Grade 1 or Grade 2. Studwood also increased at JDI Grand Lake as well as Sawlogs and Studwood both increased at JDI Sussex and both Grade 1 and Grade 2 are the same price. Please call the office or check the website for zones and prices. Please watch your specs when cutting logs for this market.

JD IRVING – Richmond Corner – Purchasing tree length studwood on a trial basis. Increase in price effective August 19th Min Length 21' min top 4" min butt 7" maxi butt 18" NO ROT under 10" Spruce/Fir. When they reach 1000 mt the trial is over.

JD IRVING DOAKTOWN – WHITE PINE SAWLOGS NOW OPEN FOR DELIVERIES. THIS MARKET USUALLY STAYS OPEN TILL FEBRUARY OR MARCH 2019.

J & J CEDAR – HAVE REDUCED THE 8' CEDAR PRICE TO \$112.47/CORD

JOLLY FARMER – Purchasing BIOMASS up to a maximum of 300 loads. All species from 8' to 24' maxi butt is 24" price is \$24.45/mt = \$49.88/cord

LOUISIANA PACIFIC (Houlton, ME – US FUNDS) 9' Poplar York Co \$46.94/ton\$117.35 us funds. New price effective Jan 1st Sunbury & Charlotte County Poplar \$49.88/ton =\$124.70/cord us funds Now accepting Tree Length Poplar all counties Price Increase to \$46.45/ton \$116.15 us funds. 9' Hardwood price is \$46.94/ton \$117.35/cord us funds Now accepting 9' Red Pine \$37.16/ton\$92.90 us funds

LP CARSON YARD —Purchasing 9' Poplar the price dropped June 18th now paying 34.23/ton = \$85.60 US funds = \$109/cord.

MARWOOD LUMBER / LITTLE'S LUMBER (*Harvey*, *NB*) –This market is only purchasing Red Pine Sawlogs now. Price is \$278.73/1000 board feet. Effective Dec 10th Marwood is once again taking Hemlock Sawlogs \$293/1000 for 12'14 and 16' sawlogs and \$313 for 18' sawlogs. Red Pine Studwood 6' is now being accepted at Devon Lumber yard location for a price of \$88.02/cord.

MCMILLIAN LUMBER (*Belleisle Creek*, *NB*) – **HEMLOCK SAWLOGS \$322.74/MFBM**. These Sawlogs are in demand right now as they have quite a few orders. They will pay up to \$342.30/MFBM for HEMLOCK depending on distance from mill, decided by the scaler. **CEDAR SAWLOGS 8'** = \$146.70/CD, 10' = \$166.26/CD, 12' = 215.16/CD, depending on the quality.

PLEASANT RIVER LUMBER – WOODLAND PULP YARD LOCATION – Starting June 4th they will be purchasing Spruce Sawlogs, Fir Sawlogs and Tree Length Spruce Studwood. Scaling hours are Monday to Friday 7 am to 4 pm CDN time. Price decrease effective Nov 5th Spruce Sawlogs are \$58.68/ton us funds \$132.03/cord \$174/cord CDN Fir Sawlogs are \$48.90/ton us funds \$110.03/cord \$145/cord CDN and Tree Length Spruce is \$53.79/ton us funds \$121.05/cord. \$160/cord CDN. Specifications can be found on the website or contact either office. Currently not accepting Fir Sawlogs.

Dover Foxcroft Yard location Spruce Sawlogs \$70.42/ton \$158/cord us funds \$208/cord CDN funds spruce Tree Length is \$65.53/ton \$148/cord us funds\$195/cord CDN funds.

RIDGE CEDAR LTD. (Keswick Ridge) Purchasing 12' and 8' Cedar.

TIMBER RESOURCE GROUP (*Passadumkeag*, *ME – US FUNDS*) – NEW SCALING HOURS 7 AM TO 5 PM MONDAY THROUGH THURSDAY NO FRIDAY DELIVERIES Price decrease effective Dec 31st SPRUCE LOGS & STUDS. SPRUCE SAWLOGS = \$69.44/ton US = \$156.24/CD US= \$206/CD CDN FUNDS FIR SAWLOGS = \$55.75/ton US =\$125.46/CD US = \$165/CD CDN FUNDS SPRUCE STUD = \$64.55/ton US = \$145.26/CD US = \$192CD CDN FUNDS. FIR STUDWOOD = \$50.86/ton US = \$114/CD US \$151/CD CDN FUNDS. Recent change to specs: now allowing 4.5" min top on TL STUD (was 5"), and allowing approx. 5 pieces to have up to 25% rot on trees over 10" diameter. PLEASE WATCH THE SPECS CLOSELY FOR THIS MARKET. NO LOADS CONTAINING 5 STICKS MORE OF SPRUCE OR FIR.

TWIN RIVERS (*Plaster Rock, NB*) – SPRUCE/FIR STUDWOOD \$61.61/MT = \$125.68/CD, no TL. SPRUCE/FIR SAWLOGS GRADE 1 \$77.26/MT = \$347.67/MFBM, SPRUCE/FIR SAWLOGS GRADE 2 \$63.08/MT = \$283.86/MFBM. Starting Oct 2nd, they will not be accepting loads of ROUNDWOOD after 6pm. They re-open again at 6am.

W. F. TOMPKINS – Bath, NB are now purchasing Rock Maple, Soft Maple and Yellow and White Birch as well as Ash, specs and prices can be found in the YSC price list as well as you can contact either office.

WOODLAND PULP (Woodland, ME) – NO MORE 8' HARDWOOD ACCEPTED.HWD PULP Zone 2 (Charlotte County) = \$50.12/TON = \$125.30/CD. HWD PULP Zone 45 (York/Sunbury counties) PRICE INCREASE EFFECTIVE DEC 13^{TH} \$56.72/TON = \$62.52/MT CDN FUNDS.WE HAVE A BONUS INCENTIVE IN PLACE TILL THE END OF MARCH/19 IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO GET IN ON MORE MONEY PER TON PLEASE CONTACT EITHER OFFICE. THIS APPLIES TO THE FREDERICTON AREA ONLY.

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