

All referrals are active for 2 weeks, unless noted in the referral.

When a landowner has chosen a contractor to hire, the referral will be updated with the words:

“Decision has been made, and contractor has been hired”

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PROJECT **ALG # 2021-008**

Location – **Limestone Township, Section 22, T44N R22W**

Acres – **80**

Forest Type(s) – **mixed hardwood, riparian area with lowland mix also**

Work Needed – **EQIP Forest Management Plan development (Technical Service Provider Certification required). Customer had acquired 40 acres last year, then acquired the neighboring 40 recently. Interested in good forest health, productivity, Qualified Forest Program and future Farm Bill programs.**

Date Message Sent: **October 19, 2020**
Deadline for responses: **November 2, 2020**

Map of north 40 is attached.

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PROJECT lg #2021-008 is closed to responses.

Landowner decision is pending

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PROJECT **MQT # 2021-001**

Location – **Chocolay Township, Section 16 T47N R23W**

Acres – **40**

Forest Type(s) – **Younger mixed hardwoods with pine overstory, fruit tree orchard, patch of lowland mix**

Work Needed – **EQIP Forest Management Plan development (Technical Service Provider certification required) for family parcel. Goals include wildlife habitat and forest health, additions and maintenance for fruit tree orchard. Interest in Tree Farm and future Farm Bill programs.**

Date Message Sent: **October 2, 2020**
Deadline for responses: **October 16, 2020**

Maps are attached

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