

**PUBLIC NOTICE
OF INVITATION FOR BIDS
FOR HUNTING AND FISHING RIGHTS**

Notice is hereby given by the Board of Education of Stone County School District that sealed bids will be received by said Board until 1:00 O'clock P. M. on the 3rd day of November, 2023, in the Office of the Superintendent of Education of Stone County School District, at 214 Critz Street, Wiggins, Mississippi, for a lease of hunting and fishing rights on the following described Sixteenth Section Public School Trust Lands situated in Stone County, Mississippi, to-wit:

SECTION 16, TOWNSHIP 3 South, RANGE 13 West 640 acres

The lease shall be for a term of approximately five (5) years beginning November 7, 2023. The form of the lease has been prescribed by the Board of Education and is now on file in the Office of the Superintendent of Education, and interested parties may inspect the same during regular office hours.

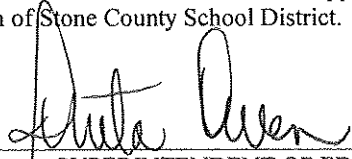
Bid proposal forms may be obtained from the Office of the Superintendent of Education. Bids shall be submitted for the entire parcel. Only the annual rental shall be subject to bid. Bids shall be submitted in sealed envelopes, addressed to the Board of Education of Stone County School District and plainly marked on the outside of the envelope as described below.

**Bidder's name, and "BID FOR HUNTING AND FISHING LEASE on approximately ____ acres in
Section 16, Township __, Range __."**

The Board of Education of Stone County School District will meet at the Professional Development Center located at Stone Middle School, 532 East Central Avenue, Wiggins, Mississippi, on the 6th day of November, 2023, at 6:00 O'clock P. M. and sealed bids received pursuant to this public notice will then and there be opened and read aloud.

The Board of Education of Stone County School District reserves the right to reject any and all bids submitted. The minimum price per acre for Hunting and Fishing land that will be accepted is **\$6.00 per acre**.

The aforesaid land is being offered for lease under the provisions of Section 29-3-41 of the Mississippi Code Annotated (1972) as amended. Published by order of the Board of Education of Stone County School District.



SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION
STONE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT

PUBLISH THREE TIMES:

Oct. 18, 2023, Oct. 25, 2023 & November 1, 2023

BID

TO: Board of Education of _____ School District

FROM: Name _____
Address _____

Telephone () _____ - _____ (Home)
() _____ - _____ (Office)

PROPERTY DESCRIPTION:

Township _____, Range _____
Section 16: _____

I hereby bid the **sum** of \$ _____ as annual rental for a lease of the hunting and fishing rights on the above described Sixteenth Section Public School Trust Lands. I understand that such lease will be for a term of approximately five (5) years. I accept the terms and provisions contained in the form of such lease prescribed by the Board of Education and now on file in the Office of the Superintendent of Education.

By _____

Date _____

NOTICE

This bid must be submitted in a sealed envelope addressed to the Board of Education of Stone County School District and the sealed envelope must be plainly marked on the outside **bidder's name, "BID FOR HUNTING AND FISHING LEASE on approximately ___ acres in Section 16, Township 3 South, Range 13 West."** This bid must be received by November 3, 2023, 1:00 p.m. at the Superintendent's Office, 214 Critz Street, Wiggins, MS. 39577. Bids will be opened at the School Board meeting on November 6, 2023 at 6:00 PM at the Professional Development Center located at Stone Middle School, 532 East Central Avenue, Wiggins, MS. **Minimum bid accepted: \$6.00 per acre.**