

Iowa Department of Natural Resources
Natural Resource Commission

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DECISION

TOPIC

Parks Commercial Concession Contract

Pursuant to 571 IAC 14.3(2)f, persons selling only firewood may do so with a letter/permit from the director provided the park or recreation area has not other concessionaire or provided the concessionaire has declined the opportunity to sell firewood. Staff received requests from two state park friends groups to sell firewood since no other vendor is selling firewood in those two parks.

Firewood Concession Contract – Walnut Woods State Park – Friends of Walnut Woods State Park.

Commission approval is requested for a one year-service contract with Friends of Walnut Woods, Inc. The contract will terminate on December 31, 2009. All proceeds from the sale of firewood by the friends group will be spent on repair, replacement or enhancement of facilities within the park.

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