



DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
STATE OF MICHIGAN

TIMBER SALE PROSPECTUS

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received by the Unit Manager,
CADILLAC MANAGEMENT UNIT, MANTON OFFICE, for certain timber on the following described
lands:

COUNTY LINE COMPLEX / T24N, R08W, SEC. 04, NW.
T24N, R08W, SEC. 05, SWNE.
T25N, R08W, SEC. 32, SESE.
T25N, R08W, SEC. 33, SWSW.
MISSAUKEE COUNTY (Appr. \$27,363.32)

SPRUCE EDGE HARDWOODS / T24N, R07W, SEC. 27, NENW, SENW, NWNE, NENE.
MISSAUKEE COUNTY (Appr. \$26,548.25)

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SALE DATE AND TIME: 3:00 p.m. on May 11, 2009.

MANTON

BID INSTRUCTIONS (Ver. 06/23/2008):

1. Bid Location, Date, and Time: Bids must be received by the Unit Manager, Cadillac Management Unit, Manton Field Office, 521 N Michigan, Manton, MI 49663, no later than 3:00 p.m. on May 11, 2009. For further information concerning this sale, contact the Unit Manager at 231-824-3591.
2. Bidder's Qualifications: Purchaser shall obtain workers compensation insurance to cover claims under Michigan's Worker's Disability Compensation Act of 1969 or similar employee benefit act of any other state applicable to an employee. If all or part of a timber sale was prepared by a private contractor, that contractor and that contractor's company are not permitted to bid on the timber sale contract. Bids will not be accepted from individuals or companies appearing on the DNR/FMFM No-Bid List. This list contains the names of purchasers who previously failed to execute a contract within 21-days or who have a history of poor performance.
3. Preparation of Sealed Bids: Bids shall be manually signed in ink; bid prices must be entered for each species and product in the Bid Price column for all material subject to bidding; and all fill-in blanks must be completed. If erasures or other changes appear on the forms, each erasure or change must be initialed by the person signing the bid.
4. Submission of Sealed Bids: Bid forms may be obtained from the Unit Manager. All bids must be submitted on the bid form and in an envelope clearly identified as described in this section. NOTE: Only one bid form per bid envelope. Sealed bids must be submitted to the Unit office designated in the prospectus and must be submitted at or prior to the time established in the prospectus. The envelope should show on the outside (a) that it is a "Bid for Timber," and (b) the sale name or number, and (c) the date and time of bid opening as shown in the prospectus. Bids received after the time specified in the sale prospectus are late bids and will be rejected.
5. Public Opening of Sealed Bids: If conditions permit, the sealed bids will be publicly opened and posted at the time and place set in the prospectus.
6. Award of Contract: Award of the contract will be made to the Bidder whose bid, conforming to the prospectus, is most advantageous to the State of Michigan on the basis of total value at rates bid for the estimated quantities. The State reserves the right to reject any bid or waive any minor irregularity in bids received. A written award mailed (or otherwise furnished) to the successful Bidder shall be deemed to result in a binding contract without further action by either party.
7. Down Payment: The Bidder to whom award is made must make a down payment within 21 days of the sale award. The amount of the down payment will be calculated as shown in the Bond and Payment Schedule of this prospectus. Only cash may be used to meet this requirement.
8. Performance Security: As guarantee of faithful performance, a cash bond, certificate of deposit, surety bond or irrevocable letter of credit (LOC) is required within 21 days of the sale award. The amount of the performance security is shown in the Bond and Payment Schedule of this prospectus. If an LOC or surety is used, the coverage must extend for at least 6 months beyond the contract expiration.
9. Timber Sale Contract: Additional conditions and requirements common to all timber sales are listed on the timber sale contract (R4031) and are available on line at www.michigan.gov/dnr. Contact the Unit Manager for additional information or a sample contract. Within 21 days of the date of the award letter, the bidder must sign the contract and provide the required down payment, performance security, and verification of worker's disability compensation. The down payment and performance security shall be in accordance with the provisions of the timber sale contract, in the sums stated in this prospectus. If these actions are not taken, then the Bidder, the Bidder's corporation, and the corporation's principals may not be permitted to bid on State timber sales for a period of 1 year. In addition, the Bidder certifies that if awarded this contract, the Bidder will complete the timber sale contract in accordance with its terms and any modifications thereof including requirements to purchase, cut, and remove the included timber by the termination date.

10. Disclaimer of Estimates and Bidder's Warranty of Inspection: Before submitting this bid, the Bidder is advised and cautioned to inspect the sale area, review the requirements of the sale contract, and take other steps as may be reasonably necessary to ascertain the location, estimated volumes, construction estimates, and operating costs of the proposed sale. Failure to do so will not relieve the Bidder from responsibility for completing the contract.

The Bidder warrants that this bid is submitted solely on the basis of the Bidder's examination and inspection of the quality and quantity of the timber offered for sale and the Bidder's opinion of the value thereof and the costs of recovery. No reliance should be placed on the State of Michigan's estimates of timber quality, quantity or costs of recovery. Bidder further acknowledges that the State of Michigan: (i) expressly disclaims any warranty of fitness of timber for any purpose; (ii) offers this timber as is without any warranty of quality (merchantability) or quantity and (iii) expressly disclaims any warranty as to the quantity or quality of timber sold.

11. Certification and Chain-of-Custody: Unless otherwise indicated in the contract under section 7 - Other Conditions of the Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements, the area encompassed by this timber sale is certified to the standards of the Forest Stewardship Council (FSC) - Certificate #SCS-FM/COC-090N and the Sustainable Forestry Initiative (SFI) - Certificate # NSF-SFIS-5Y031-S1. Forest products from this sale may be delivered to the mill as "FSC and / or SFI certified" as long as the contractor hauling the forest products is chain-of-custody (COC) certified or covered under a COC certificate from the destination mill. The purchaser is responsible for maintaining COC after leaving the sale area.

REBECCA A. HUMPHRIES
Director

COUNTY LINE COMPLEX (004-08-01)

A timber sale contract for this LUMP SUM SEALED timber sale will be awarded the responsible bidder offering the highest sealed bid price. Bids must be at or above the following appraised price for each species:

<u>SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED VOLUME*</u>	<u>APPRAISED PRICE</u>
SAWLOGS		
SUG. MAPLE	3.80 MBF	\$ 304.50/MBF
RED MAPLE	42.20 MBF	\$ 58.00/MBF
RED PINE	14.00 MBF	\$ 101.50/MBF
MIX ASPEN	28.70 MBF	\$ 58.00/MBF
PULPWOOD		
RED PINE	183.00 CORDS	\$ 34.80/CORD
MIX ASPEN	668.00 CORDS	\$ 14.50/CORD
MIX HARDWD	329.00 CORDS	\$ 7.00/CORD

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated appraised price:

<u>SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED VOLUME*</u>	<u>APPRAISED PRICE</u>
SAWLOGS		
BASSWOOD	4.20 MBF	\$ 69.60/MBF
WHITE PINE	35.70 MBF	\$ 29.00/MBF
PULPWOOD		
BALSAM FIR	60.00 CORDS	\$ 5.80/CORD
WHITE PINE	160.00 CORDS	\$ 4.00/CORD

*The volumes are statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 7.06 percent. These estimated volumes are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

BOND AND PAYMENT SCHEDULE:

1. A bond in the amount of \$1,400.00 to insure faithful performance of the conditions of the contract, will be deposited by the successful bidder within 21 days of the sale award.
2. Cutting in any sale or unit without the required advance payment would be considered a trespass.
3. Total payment may be paid in advance or according to the following schedule:
 - (a) Ten percent (10%) of the sale value must be paid within 21 days of the sale award.
 - (b) The 10% down payment will be credited towards the first unit cut.
 - (c) Payment for each of the following units must be made before cutting begins in that unit:

PAYMENT UNIT NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALE VALUE
1	25%
2	25%
3	20%
4	30%
4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on June 30, 2011.

Michigan Department of Natural Resources-Forest Management Division
TIMBER SALE MAP

This information provided under authority of Part 525, Act 451 of 1994, as amended.

Sale No.	Year	Sale Type
63-004-08-01	08	01

State Forest and Forest Management Unit:
Cadillac & Traverse City

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R. Mattila

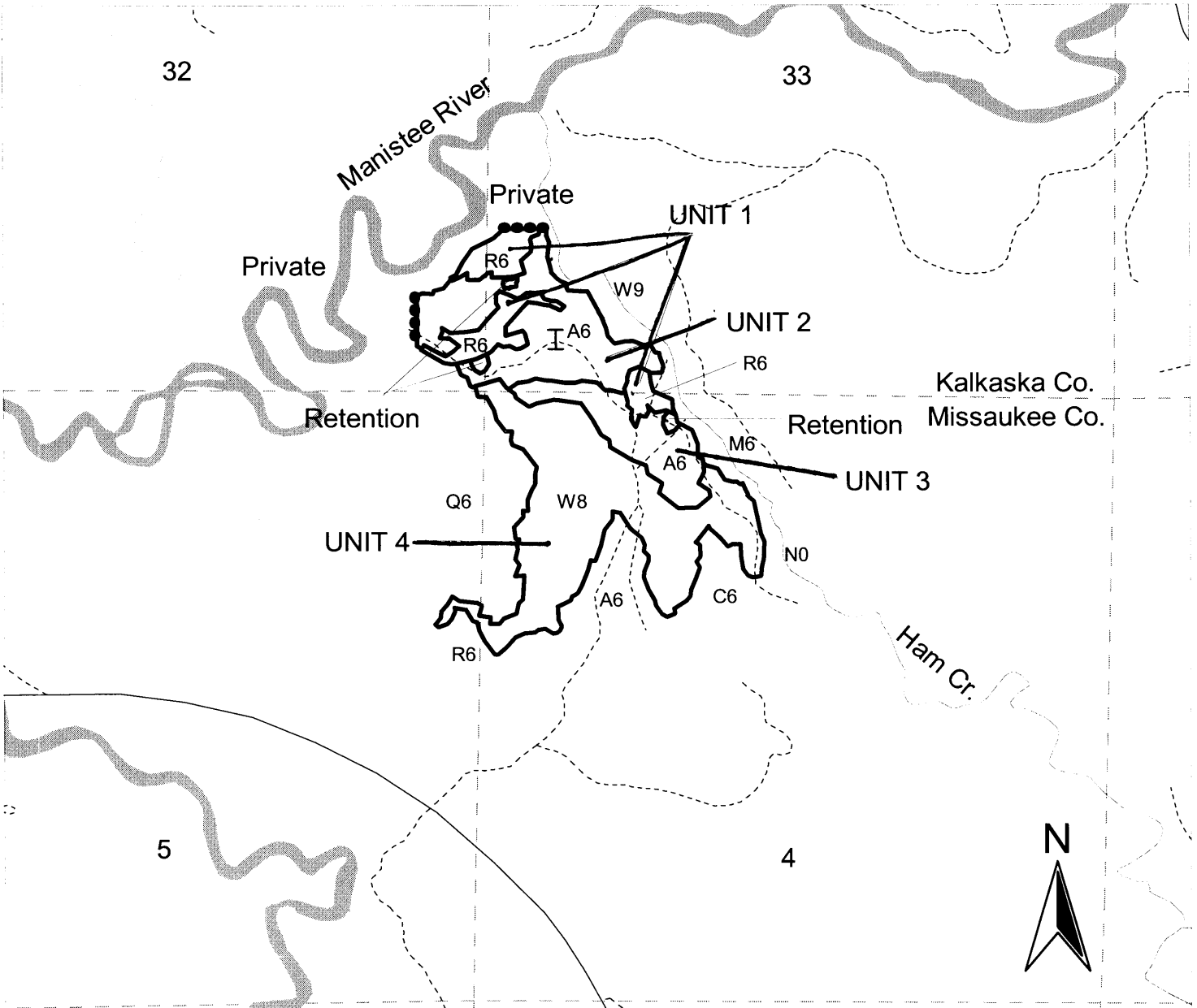
Cadillac
 Comp. 119 YEO 2007
 Stands 47, 51, 52, 53, & 54

Traverse City
 Comp. 247 YEO 2008
 Stands 112, 113, & 114

Township	Range	Section(s)	Subdivision
24 & 25 N	8W	4,5,31,32	SESE sec 32, SWSW sec 33 NW sec 4, SWNE sec 5

Scale: 1:15840

Cover Type				Density		
A=Aspen	H=Hemlock	P=Lowland Poplar	V=Bog or Marsh	1=Non Stocked	7=Saw Timber Poor	
B=Paper Birch	J=Jack Pine	Q=Mixed Swamp Cnfr	W=White Pine	2=Seedling Sapling Poor	8=Saw Timber Medium	
C=Cedar	L=Lowland Brush	R=Red Pine	X=Non Stocked	3=Seedling Sapling Well	9=Saw Timber Well	
E=Swamp Hdwoods	M=Mpl, Bch, Brch	S=Black Spruce	Z=Water	4=Pole Timber Poor		
F=Spruce Fir	N=Marsh	T=Tamarack		5=Pole Timber Medium		
G=Grass	O=Oak	U=Upland Brush		6=Pole Timber Well		



LEGEND

- Unit Boundary (Red Line)
- Private Boundary (Blue Line)
- Road
- Forest Road
- Gate

- County Line Complex
- Missaukee & Kalkaska Co. 105 ac.
- 0.5 0 0.5 Miles

UNIT 1	11 ac.
UNIT 2	28 ac.
UNIT 3	14 ac.
UNIT 4	52 ac.
TOTAL	105 ac.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: County Line Complex Sale Number: 63-004-08-01

1 - Sale Area

1.2 - Boundaries

1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (6/05)

The sale boundary and Payment Unit boundaries are marked and identified by blue and red paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against private property are marked with blue paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. Interior Payment Unit boundaries are marked with red paint. Do not cut painted boundary line trees unless also marked with orange paint.

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

2.1.1 - Clearcut unit(s) with unmerchantable trees (2/04)

Within Payment Unit(s) 2 & 3, cut all trees that are two (2) inches or more in diameter measured at a point of four and one-half (4-1/2) feet above ground level regardless of merchantability except Oak, Black Cherry, Hemlock, and Cedar. Also in unit 3 do not cut any White Pine <10" Diameter Measured at 4.5'. Reserve areas identified in accordance with 2.1.13 - Reserve areas, within clearcutting unit boundaries, are not Included Timber and are to be protected.

2.1.3 - Cut tree marked unit(s) (8/04)

Within Payment Unit(s) 4, all trees are designated for cutting when marked with orange paint above and below stump height, regardless of merchantability. Also cut all Aspen, Jack Pine, and Red Maple. Exception: Do not cut Green marked Trees.

2.1.8 - Designated plantation row unit(s) (3/07)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, all Red Pine trees which meet minimum piece specifications in 2.2 Utilization, within designated plantation rows are designated for cutting. Plantation rows designated for cutting are every third row. Begin with the third row in from the outside of the plantation, then continue every third row. Because of the variability of row direction, it shall be the responsibility of the producer to maintain the third row sequence. Cut all Red Pine regardless of row with a Diameter less than 7.5 inches measured at the stump (6 inches above ground level).

2.1.13 - Reserve areas (6/07)

The Purchaser shall protect reserve areas from damage by the Purchaser's operations. Reserve areas are marked with a red boundary line. The Purchaser shall not cut live or dead trees within reserve areas.

4 - Transportation

4.1 - Construction

4.1.12 - No new roads (5/07)

No new roads will be permitted in any Payment Unit. All operations are limited to existing roads.

5 - Operations

5.1 - Notification

5.1.1 - Pre-sale conference (6/04)

A pre-sale conference on site between the Purchaser and sale administrator is required prior to beginning any operations to determine landing size and locations. The Unit Manager or their representative must be contacted at least 5 working days in advance to schedule the conference.

5.1.4 - Post-sale conference (2/04)

A post-sale conference on site between the Purchaser and sale administrator is required 5 days prior to the completion of active logging operations to determine clean-up and repair of landings, road edges, and the fulfillment of other contract specifications.

5.2 - Conduct of Operations

5.2.1 - Slash

5.2.1.1 - Slash within sale area (2/04)

No trees are to be felled outside the sale area and all slash is to be kept at least 10 feet back from the blue paint line.

5.2.1.7 - Slash must be scattered (2/04)

Unless otherwise directed, slash and logging debris shall be uniformly scattered over the sale area and not left in piles or windrows. Slash shall not be allowed to accumulate at the landings. All slash work shall be done concurrently with harvesting.

5.2.2 - Hazard Trees/Snags

5.2.2.1 - Den trees (2/04)

Obvious hollow and/or den trees shall be protected and left standing unless they are a safety hazard.

5.2.4 - Dead and Down Creation

5.2.4.4 - Dead and down creation, grouse (9/05)

To encourage grouse use and other wildlife, in unit(s) 2, the producer is to leave 1-2 trees 12-14 in DBH cut at app. 4.5 ft, per acre these trees are not marked and are to be left for coarse woody debris and drumming logs.

These will be evenly scattered throughout the cut unit.

5.2.12 - Bark slippage restriction (3/07)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 & 4, unless changed by written agreement, cutting, skidding, and hauling are not permitted during the period of April 15 to July 15. This restriction is because of bark slippage.

5.2.15 - Bark beetle restriction (2/04)

In the event drought creates a high risk of pine bark beetle infestation, pine is not to be cut during the period March 1 through July 1, unless all portions of trees greater than two inches in diameter are removed from the sale area, reduced to chips, or treated to the satisfaction of the Unit Manager or their representative, within fifteen days of being severed from the stump. Pine logs, pulpwood piles and treetop piles for chipping that are decked in the fall or winter within a 1/4 mile of susceptible sites must be removed before March 15. Residual slash must not be placed in piles or rows and must be spread over the site for quick drying. The Department of Natural Resources will exercise this option if the risk of damage warrants.

5.2.20 - Equipment width (2/04)

Equipment used to remove designated rows must be capable of moving through cut rows without damaging residual trees.

5.2.28 - Coppice regeneration protection (2/04)

To promote better aspen regeneration, Units 2 & 3 needs to be harvested from September 1 through March 31st. Timber harvest on any Payment Unit must be completed within twelve months of beginning operations on that unit in order to minimize damage to the new regeneration. Any post harvest operations, such as chipping, must be completed before sprouting of regeneration occurs. If it is anticipated that chipping will be delayed, then tops shall be carried to one central location or left unchipped. The Unit Manager or their representative may cease such operations if sprouting occurs before the operation is complete.

5.2.29 - Shrub protection (9/07)

Do not cut or damage hawthorn, witch-hazel, dogwood or juneberry. These woody-shrub plants are highly beneficial to various wildlife species.

5.2.38 - No decking against live trees (2/04)

Cut products may not be decked against unmarked or designated leave trees.

5.4 - Soil Protection

5.4.1 - Rutting restriction, general (8/07)

Operations are to cease immediately if equipment and weather conditions result in rutting of roads which is 12 inches or greater in depth and 50 feet in length. In addition, operations are to cease immediately if equipment and weather conditions result in rutting on skid trails which is 8 inches or greater in depth and 25 feet in length. The Unit Manager or their representative may restrict hauling and/or skidding if ruts exceed the specified depth. With the Unit Manager or their representative's approval, the Purchaser may return to the area when the weather conditions have changed and/or the risk of rutting has decreased.

6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

6.2 - Signing

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6.2.1 - Road posting (5/05)

The purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on Lucas Rd. prior to beginning operations.

The road must be posted at appropriate distances from the sale area to warn of logging activity and truck traffic.

Signs must be removed when harvest operations are suspended or completed.

SPRUCE EDGE HARDWOODS (037-08-01)

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SAWLOGS		
SUG. MAPLE	37.60 MBF	\$ 301.00/MBF
PULPWOOD		
SUG. MAPLE	434.10 CORDS	\$ 6.15/CORD
B.T. ASPEN	146.50 CORDS	\$ 18.40/CORD

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated appraised price:

<u>SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED VOLUME*</u>	<u>APPRAISED PRICE</u>
SAWLOGS		
RED MAPLE	9.00 MBF	\$ 87.55/MBF
BASSWOOD	39.80 MBF	\$ 64.00/MBF
B.T. ASPEN	20.10 MBF	\$ 70.00/MBF
MIX HARDWD	22.40 MBF	\$ 97.00/MBF
PULPWOOD		
RED MAPLE	73.60 CORDS	\$ 12.45/CORD
BASSWOOD	136.70 CORDS	\$ 5.50/CORD
B. SPRUCE	10.00 CORDS	\$ 6.30/CORD
IRONWOOD	70.20 CORDS	\$ 4.75/CORD
MIX HARDWD	138.40 CORDS	\$ 6.40/CORD

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BOND AND PAYMENT SCHEDULE:

1. A bond in the amount of \$1,530.00 to insure faithful performance of the conditions of the contract, will be deposited by the successful bidder within 21 days of the sale award.
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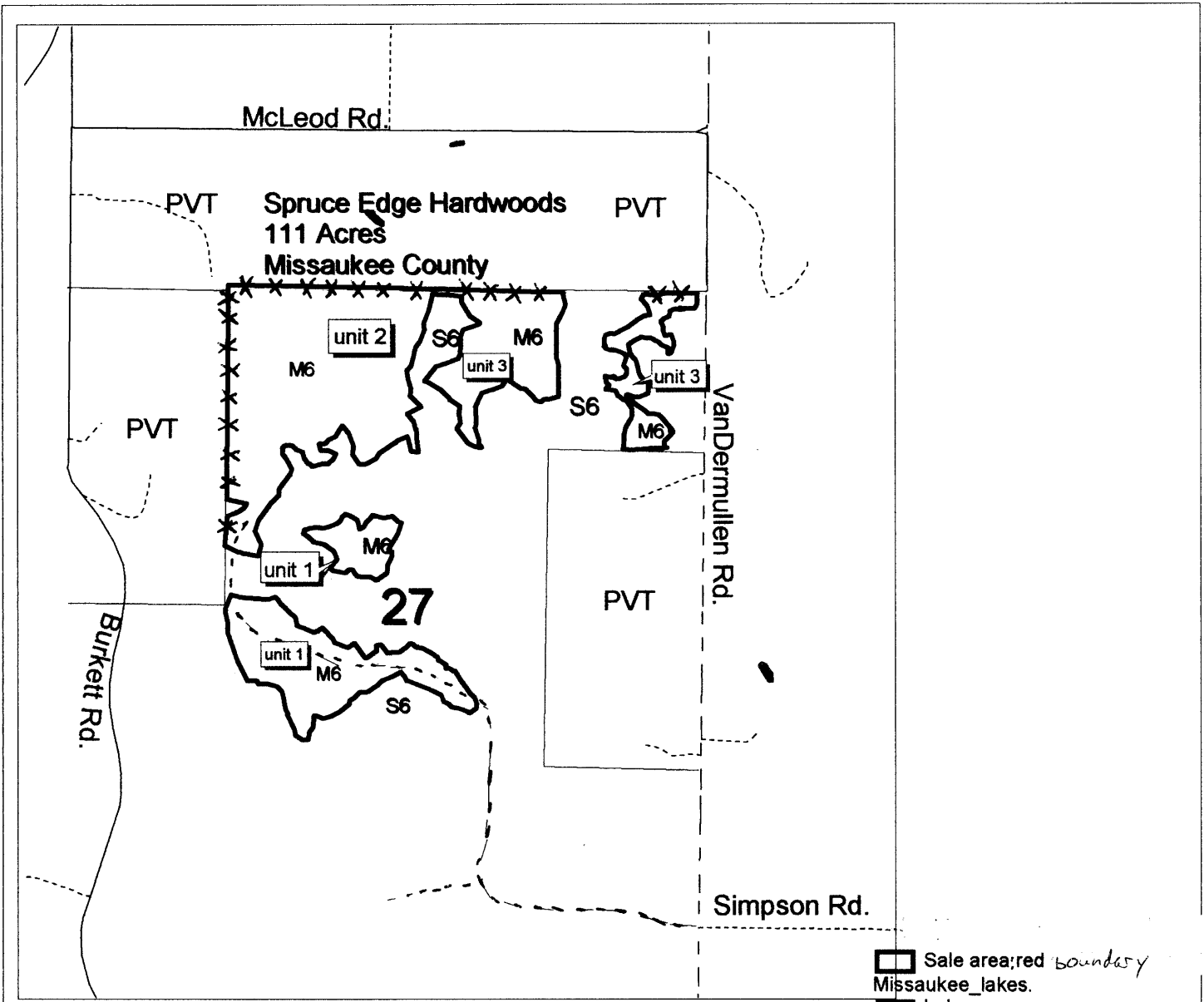
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TIMBER SALE MAP

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37	08	01

State Forest and Forest Management Unit: Cadillac		Mapped By: Eisele		Date: 09/30/08	
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G=Grass	O=Oak	U=Upland Brush		6=Pole Timber Well		



- Sale area; red boundary
- Missaukee_lakes.
- Lake
- Missaukee_stream_l
- Drains and Intermit. Streams
- △ Rivers and Streams
- Missaukee_section_
- Section Line
- Missaukee_roads.
- Two-Track/Seasonal
- Streets
- County Roads
- *** BLUE LINE

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Spruce Edge Hardwoods Sale Number: 63-037-08-01

1 - Sale Area

1.2 - Boundaries

1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (6/05)

The sale boundary and Payment Unit boundaries are marked and identified by blue and red paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against private property are marked with blue paint. Do not cut painted boundary line trees unless also marked with orange paint.

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

2.1.3 - Cut tree marked unit(s) (8/04)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, 2, 3 and 4, all trees are designated for cutting when marked with orange paint above and below stump height, regardless of merchantability. Cut all aspen, spruce and ironwood within sale area. Do not cut any trees marked with green paint.

2.2 - Utilization

2.2.6 - Roundwood operation required (5/07)

The skidding of whole trees or tree segments with limbs attached is prohibited. All products must be produced as roundwood and forwarded to existing roads or landing areas in final product length.

3 - Payments

3.3 - Pre-measured Sales

3.3.2 - One active unit (2/04)

Each Payment Unit must be completed to the satisfaction of the Unit Manager or their representative before the next unit may be opened.

3.4 - Damaged Timber

3.4.1 - Damaged timber (6/05)

General Condition and Requirement 3.4 Damaged Timber, defines liquidated damages for undesignated live merchantable trees which are cut or injured. In addition, extreme care should be taken to avoid damage to tree seedlings and saplings. Damage to residual trees (defined as breaking of the cambium layer, broken tops or bending of trees from their natural position) is not acceptable.

Within the sale area, if more than 25% of the tree seedlings or saplings (1/4" to 4.5" DBH) within a specified portion of the sale area are damaged, liquidated damages will be assessed at \$300 per acre for all acreage within that specified portion of the sale area that was damaged.

No damage is acceptable to merchantable trees. Within the sale area, if more than 5 % of trees (> 4.5" DBH) within a specified area of the sale are damaged, liquidated damages will be assessed for all trees damaged. Rates will be in accordance with General Condition and Requirement 3.4 Damaged Timber

4 - Transportation

4.1 - Construction

4.1.6 - Road construction (6/07)

Construction of new roads or improvements of existing roads shall be done in such a way as to minimize the environmental and visual impacts. Merchantable trees shall be cut and utilized unless otherwise directed. Non-merchantable trees shall be severed and laid flat on the ground. Slash shall be scattered, and kept a minimum of 10 feet back from the road edge. Stumps shall be set upright, not left on edge, and be moved at least 10 feet away from the road edge. Disturbed soil shall be feathered into the woods and not left in berms or windrows.

4.1.7 - Road closure (4/07)

All new roads built into the sale must be blocked to vehicle traffic upon completion of the sale. Overgrown roads that are reopened shall be considered new roads. In general, this will require constructing a four (4') foot high berm constructed of stumps and logs covered with earth. Stumps and brush must be placed along the remainder of the trail. These roads must be rendered impassable to cars and trucks. All stumps from road building and landing construction must be reserved to block any newly constructed roads upon completion of the sale. These stumps must be scattered along the road system to prohibit vehicular movement. Temporary berms may be required if no sale activity occurs for 30 or more consecutive days. Contact the sale administrator for specific details of design and placement.

4.2 - Maintenance

4.2.4 - Grading (5/08)

Roads must be graded after the sale is completed. In general, this will require a road grader or bull dozer to shape up the roads after forest products have been hauled off site. The grading equipment to be used must be approved by the Unit Manager or their representative.

4.2.5 - Two wheel drive condition (2/04)

All existing trail roads on and adjacent to the sale area must be passable by two-wheel drive traffic for the duration of the sale.

4.4 - Access

4.4.1 - Private property access (8/04)

Permission for access across private land is the responsibility of the purchaser. Should the purchaser desire to cross private land, a copy of the written permission from the private land-owner may be required by the DNR. A copy of the written permission from the private landowner must be given to the Unit Manager within 30 days of the bid opening and prior to the beginning of operations. Permission to cross private land must include access for DNR representatives to inspect the sale at any time.

5 - Operations

5.1 - Notification

5.1.1 - Pre-sale conference (2/08)

A pre-sale conference on site between the Purchaser and sale administrator is required prior to beginning any operations to determine landing and road locations. The Unit Manager or their representative must be contacted at least 3 days in advance to schedule the conference.

5.1.4 - Post-sale conference (2/04)

A post-sale conference on site between the Purchaser and sale administrator is required 5 days prior to the completion of active logging operations to determine clean-up and repair of landings, road edges, and the fulfillment of other contract specifications.

5.2 - Conduct of Operations

5.2.1 - Slash

5.2.1.7 - Slash must be scattered (2/04)

Unless otherwise directed, slash and logging debris shall be uniformly scattered over the sale area and not left in piles or windrows. Slash shall not be allowed to accumulate at the landings. All slash work shall be done concurrently with harvesting.

5.2.1.8 - Slash height (2/04)

No slash or tree tops may exceed 24 inches in height.

5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

5.2.3.9 - Beech hauling restriction (9/08)

American beech wood products with bark still attached, other than chips, are not to be transported from stands infested with beech bark disease to or through uninfested beech areas from July 15 to November 15. Beech scale is mobile at this time of year and can move from infested wood to live beech. (See Map of current beech scale distribution on the DNR Forest Health Website, www.michigan.gov/dnr.)

5.2.29 - Shrub protection (9/07)

Do not cut or damage hawthorn, witch-hazel, dogwood or junberry. These woody-shrub plants are highly beneficial to various wildlife species.

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5.2.38 - No decking against live trees (2/04)

Cut products may not be decked against unmarked or designated leave trees.

5.4 - Soil Protection

5.4.1 - Rutting restriction, general (5/08)

Operations are to cease immediately if equipment and weather conditions result in rutting of roads which is 12 inches or greater in depth and 50 feet in length. In addition, operations are to cease immediately if equipment and weather conditions result in rutting on skid trails which is 12 inches or greater in depth and 50 feet in length. The Unit Manager or their representative may restrict hauling and/or skidding if ruts exceed the specified depth. With the Unit Manager or their representative's approval, the Purchaser may return to the area when the weather conditions have changed and/or the risk of rutting has decreased.

5.4.4 - Slope protection (2/04)

Skid trails and roads on slopes shall be water barred with slash, stumps, and/or hay bales as soon as use is complete to prevent erosion.

COUNTY LINE COMPLEX (004-08-01)

T24N, R08W, SEC. 04, NW.
T24N, R08W, SEC. 05, SWNE.
T25N, R08W, SEC. 32, SESE.
T25N, R08W, SEC. 33, SWSW.
MISSAUKEE COUNTY

In response to the notice of sale to be held 3:00 p.m. on May 11, 2009, I am hereby submitting my sealed bid (firm offer) for the following forest products to be cut. Bids for individual species and total bid value must be at or above the appraised price. All non-responsive bid forms may be rejected.

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<u>SAWLOGS</u>				
SUG. MAPLE	\$ 304.50/MBF	\$ _____ X	3.80 MBF	= \$ _____
RED MAPLE	\$ 58.00/MBF	\$ _____ X	42.20 MBF	= \$ _____
RED PINE	\$ 101.50/MBF	\$ _____ X	14.00 MBF	= \$ _____
MIX ASPEN	\$ 58.00/MBF	\$ _____ X	28.70 MBF	= \$ _____
<u>PULPWOOD</u>				
RED PINE	\$ 34.80/CORD	\$ _____ X	183.00 CORDS	= \$ _____
MIX ASPEN	\$ 14.50/CORD	\$ _____ X	668.00 CORDS	= \$ _____
MIX HARDWD	\$ 7.00/CORD	\$ _____ X	329.00 CORDS	= \$ _____
SUBTOTAL 1				\$ _____

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the appraised price:

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<u>SAWLOGS</u>			
BASSWOOD	\$ 69.60/MBF	4.20 MBF	= \$ 292.32
WHITE PINE	\$ 29.00/MBF	35.70 MBF	= \$ 1,035.30
<u>PULPWOOD</u>			
BALSAM FIR	\$ 5.80/CORD	60.00 CORDS	= \$ 348.00
WHITE PINE	\$ 4.00/CORD	160.00 CORDS	= \$ 640.00
SUBTOTAL 2			\$ <u>2,315.62</u>
SUBTOTAL 1 + SUBTOTAL 2 = TOTAL BID VALUE \$ _____			

*These volumes are statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 7.06%. These estimated volumes are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

I understand that any or all bids may be rejected, and that the individual unit bid price will be the basis to determine total bid value. All bids must be signed and all bid items must be bid or the bid form may be rejected. I also understand that consideration and awarding a contract will be based upon my past performance and ability to complete the contract based upon equipment and manpower subject to my control.

(bidder's printed name)

(bidder's signature)

Address/Telephone _____

THE WINNING BIDDER MUST COMPLETE THE FORM ON THE REVERSE SIDE
WITHIN 21 DAYS OF SALE AWARD



FOR DEPARTMENT USE ONLY	
Sale or Permit No	
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**TIMBER SALE
VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY
COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE**

As required by Act 317, P.A. 1969 (Worker's Compensation) and Part 525 of Act 451 of 1994, as amended.

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Please Check Appropriate Categories:

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 - Corporation
- You **must** check one of the boxes below:
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 - I certify that my business has satisfied its obligation to the Worker's Compensation Act through the use of an approved Notice of Exclusion (BWC-337, Rev. 5/96). I will provide a copy of the Notice of Exclusion within 21 days of the contract award. (For questions or a copy of the BWC-337, please call the Worker's Compensation Bureau at 517-322-1195).
 - I certify that my business has a Worker's Compensation Policy. I will provide an original Certificate of Insurance within 21 days of the contract award.
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Name of Business		Federal ID (or) Social Security No.	
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I hereby certify that the above information is true and correct. I agree to notify the DNR of any changes that occur in factors affecting my coverage during any of my present and future operations.

Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative

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SPRUCE EDGE HARDWOODS (037-08-01)
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SUG. MAPLE	\$ 6.15/CORD	\$ _____ X	434.10 CORDS	= \$ _____
B.T. ASPEN	\$ 18.40/CORD	\$ _____ X	146.50 CORDS	= \$ _____
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MIX HARDWD	\$ 97.00/MBF	22.40 MBF	= \$ 2,172.80
<u>PULPWOOD</u>			
RED MAPLE	\$ 12.45/CORD	73.60 CORDS	= \$ 916.32
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B. SPRUCE	\$ 6.30/CORD	10.00 CORDS	= \$ 63.00
IRONWOOD	\$ 4.75/CORD	70.20 CORDS	= \$ 333.45
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