

# DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES STATE OF MICHIGAN

### **TIMBER SALE PROSPECTUS #4683**

SCHEDULED SALE DATE AND TIME: 3:00 p.m. (local time) on July 30, 2012. LOCATION: GWINN MGMT UNIT, 410 WEST M-35, GWINN, MI 49841.

PROSPECTUS NOTE: The bidder is advised to inspect the sale area and review the location, estimated volumes, operating costs and contract terms of proposed sales. Please be aware that some landowners may request 60 days or more notice for access across their land.

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

4 PT HARDWOODS (32-001-12-01) / T44N, R21W, SEC. 24, SW1/4.

Alger County, Advertised Price \$16,251.15, 60.0 Acres

SALE NOTE: No designated recreation site such as a trail, pathway, or campground is within the sale area or the vicinity. Access may be through state forest land.

SOOTH CYR (32-009-12-01) / T44N, R25W, SEC. 03, SWSW.

T44N, R25W, SEC. 04, SE1/4.

T44N, R25W, SEC. 10, NW1/4.

Marquette County, Advertised Price \$25,654.95, 47.0 Acres

SALE NOTE: No designated recreation site such as a trail, pathway, or campground is within the sale area or the vicinity. Access may be through state forest land.

DOWNUNDER JACK PINE (32-115-11-01) / T44N, R27W, SEC. 01, N1/2NW.

T45N, R27W, SEC. 35, E1/2SE.

T45N, R27W, SEC. 36, W1/2SW.

Marquette County, Advertised Price \$77,373.80, 77.0 Acres

SALE NOTE: No designated recreation site such as a trail, pathway, or campground is within the sale area or the vicinity. Access may be through private or state forest land.

### BID INSTRUCTIONS (VER. 02/13/2012):

### 1. Scheduled Bid Location, Date, and Time (2/11)

Bids must be received by the Unit Manager, GWINN OFFICE, 410 WEST M-35, GWINN, MI 49841, no later than 3:00 p.m. (local time) on July 30, 2012. For further information concerning this sale, contact Jim Ferris at 906-346-9201.

### 2. Bidder's Qualifications (2/12)

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/FRD 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 (1/11)

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 (6/11)

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) the sale name or number and (b) 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 (1/11)

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 (1/11)

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 (1/11)

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 (1/11)

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 (1/11)

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 (1/11)

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 (10/11)

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-00090N and the Sustainable Forestry Initiative (SFI) - Certificate # NSF-SFIS-5Y031-S1. Forest products from this sale may be delivered to the mill as "FSC Pure 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.

RODNEY STOKES
Director

### TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

### 4 PT HARDWOODS (32-001-12-01)

T44N, R21W, SEC. 24.

Alger County (Advertised Price \$16,251.15)

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A timber sale contract for this lump sum, sealed bid timber sale will be awarded to the responsible bidder offering the highest sealed bid price. Bids must be at or above the following advertised price for each species:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES ESTIMATED UNITS*		ADVERTISED PRICE		
Sawlogs				
Sugar Maple	18.70 MBF	\$	426.00 / MBF	
Pulpwood				
Mixed Hardwood	335.00 Cords	\$	21.95 / Cord	

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$931.70:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	AD\	ADVERTISED PRICE		
Sawlogs					
Basswood	3.00 MBF	\$	127.00 / MBF		
Black Cherry	0.80 MBF	\$	119.00 / MBF		
Red Maple	4.70 MBF	\$	93.00 / MBF		
Yellow Birch	0.20 MBF	\$	92.00 / MBF		

<sup>\*</sup> The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 22.70 percent. The estimated units 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 **\$815.00** 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 must 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:

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PAYMENT UNIT NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALE VALUE
01	26%
02	61%
03	13%

- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 05/31/2015.

### **Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements**

Sale Name: 4 Pt Hardwoods Sale Number: 32-001-12-01

### 1 - Sale Area

### 1.2 - Boundaries

### 1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (12/08)

The sale boundary is 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 2-track roads as shown on the sale map. Do not cut painted boundary line trees unless they are marked with orange paint.

### 2 - Timber Specifications

### 2.1 - Included Timber

### 2.1.3 - Cut tree marked unit(s) (12/08)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1-3, all trees are designated for cutting when marked with orange paint above and below stump height, regardless of merchantability. No other trees are to be cut.

### 2.2 - Utilization

### 2.2.4 - Skidding length (2/11)

In all units, skidding of unlimbed tops or lengths over 17 feet is not permissible unless approved by the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

### 2.2.9 - No chipping permitted (12/08)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1-3, all wood must be removed by tree segment, or roundwood. No chipping is permitted.

### 3 - Payments

### 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 5% 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 \$100 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, or at a rate of \$100 per sawtimber tree and \$5 per pole sized tree, whichever is greater.

### 4 - Transportation

### 4.1 - Construction

### 4.1.3 - Slash and earthen piles (8/04)

Piles or windrows of earth along roads and landings that have been widened or constructed shall be leveled. Slash from road maintenance or construction, including stumps, shall be dispersed throughout the sale.

### 4.1.6 - Road construction (1/09)

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 not left in windrows 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.

### 4.1.12 - No new roads (6/10)

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

### 4.2 - Maintenance

### 4.2.1 - Hauling restriction (12/08)

Hauling may be restricted on forest roads by the Unit Manager or his/her representative. The restriction may occur during wet weather conditions.

### 5 - Operations

### 5.2 - Conduct of Operations

### 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.

### 5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

### 5.2.3.3 - Bark slippage restriction (3/09)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1-3, unless changed by written agreement, cutting and skidding are not permitted during the period of April 15 to July 15. This restriction is because of the high potential for bark slippage and root damage during the spring season.

### 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 (1/09)

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

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Michigan Department of Natural Resources & Environment - Forest Management Division

TIMBER SALE MAP

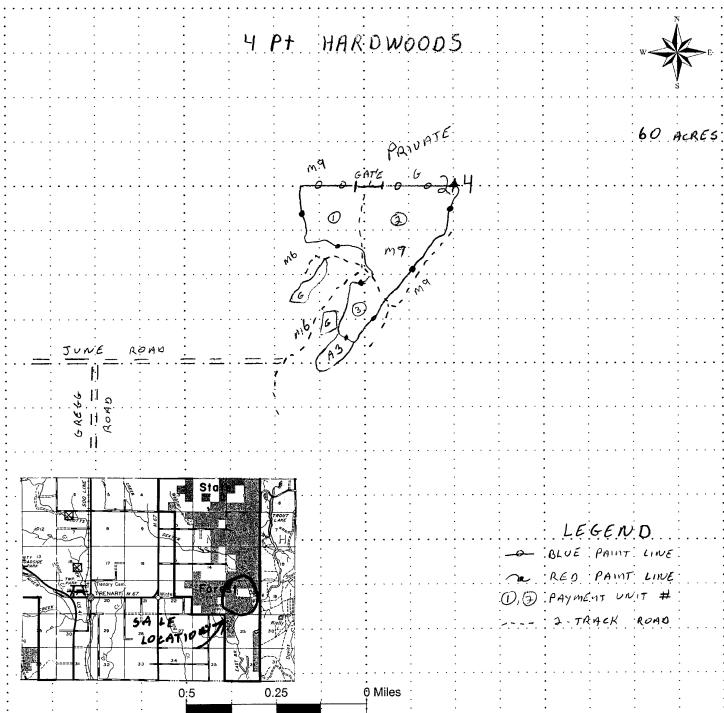
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Township Range Section(s) and Subdivision(s) 44N 21W Sec. 24 SW1/4

Cover Type		De	nsity			
A = Aspen B = Paper Birch C = Cedar D = Treed Bog E = Swamp Hdwoods F = Spruce Fir	G = Grass H = Hemlock J = Jack Pine L = Lowland Brush M = Mpl, Bch, Brch N = Marsh	O = Oak P = Lowland Poplar Q = Mixed Swamp Cnfr R = Red Pine S = Black Spruce T = Tamarack	U = Upland Brush V = Bog or Marsh W = White Pine X = Non Stocked Z = Water	0 = Non Stocked 1 = Seedling Sapling Poor 2 = Seedling Sapling Medium 3 = Seedling Sapling Well 4 = Pole Timber Poor	5 = Pole Timber Medium 6 = Pole Timber Well 7 = Saw Timber Poor 8 = Saw Timber Medium 9 = Saw Timber Well	



### TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

### SOOTH CYR (32-009-12-01)

T44N, R25W, SEC. 03; T44N, R25W, SEC. 04; T44N, R25W, SEC. 10.

Marquette County (Advertised Price \$25,654.95)

SALE NOTE: No designated recreation site such as a trail, pathway, or campground is within the sale area or the vicinity. Access may be through state forest land.

A timber sale contract for this lump sum, sealed bid timber sale will be awarded to the responsible bidder offering the highest sealed bid price. Bids must be at or above the following advertised price for each species:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	ADV	ADVERTISED PRICE	
Pulpwood				
Black Spruce	325.00 Cords	\$	31.55 / Cord	
Jack Pine	316.00 Cords	\$	39.65 / Cord	

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$2,871.80:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*		/ERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs Red Pine	8.20 MBF	\$	132.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
Balsam Fir	28.00 Cords	\$	25.60 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	4.00 Cords	\$	23.40 / Cord
Red Pine	4.00 Cords	\$	40.70 / Cord
Tamarack	53.00 Cords	\$	15.40 / Cord

<sup>\*</sup> The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 18.66 percent. The estimated units 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 **\$1,285.00** 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 must 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:

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PAYMENT UNIT NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALE VALUE
01	24%
02	34%
03	42%

- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 05/31/2015.

### Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Sooth Cyr Sale Number: 32-009-12-01

### 1 - Sale Area

### 1.2 - Boundaries

### 1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (12/08)

The sale boundary and Payment Unit boundaries are marked and identified by red paint.

### 2 - Timber Specifications

### 2.1 - Included Timber

### 2.1.2 - Clearcut unit(s) w/o unmerchantable trees (8/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1-3, cut all trees which meet minimum piece specifications in 2.2 Utilization except red pine, white pine, cedar if present, and those seed trees marked with green paint. In addition, those red pine in unit 1 which are marked with orange paint are designated for cutting.

### 2.2 - Utilization

### 2.2.3 - Stump heights (4/07)

Stump heights within the Sale Area shall not exceed 8 inches for trees greater than 10 inches DBH and 4 inches for trees smaller than 10 inches DBH. This is in order to facilitate scarification operations.

### 4 - Transportation

### 4.1 - Construction

### 4.1.3 - Slash and earthen piles (8/04)

Piles or windrows of earth along roads and landings that have been widened or constructed shall be leveled. Slash from road maintenance or construction, including stumps, shall be dispersed throughout the sale.

### 4.1.6 - Road construction (1/09)

Construction of the new road 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 not left in windrows. Stumps shall be set upright, not left on edge, and be moved at least 5 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 (10/11)

All new roads built into the sale must be blocked to vehicle traffic upon completion of the sale. In general, this will require constructing a four (4') foot high berm of stumps and logs covered with earth. Contact the sale administrator for specific details of design and placement.

### 5 - Operations

### 5.1 - Notification

### 5.1.1 - Pre-sale conference (10/11)

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 his/her representative must be contacted at least 10 days in advance to schedule the conference.

### 5.2 - Conduct of Operations

### 5.2.1 - Slash

### 5.2.1.11 - Slash for reforestation (5/07)

To facilitate reforestation, the sale area shall be left with slash evenly distributed. Bunched tops within the cutting area shall be broken up and scattered. Stumps shall be cut low to the ground. Processing sites shall not be left with a compacted layer of slash; tops from these sites shall be hauled back into the cut area and scattered.

### 5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

### 5.2.3.1 - Operating restrictions (9/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1-3, unless changed by written agreement, cutting, skidding, and hauling are limited to the period

of 12/1 to 03/31 or as temperatures permit. This restriction is required as the access is limited to frozen conditions.

### 5.2.17 - Crane Mats/Timber Mats (9/11)

Approximately 20- 4' wide Crane Mats /Timber Mats or similarly constructed items will be required to access the sale at 3-4 locations. If available, Crane Mats/Timber Mats may be borrowed from the DNR and are located at the Marquette OSC and the Grayling Field Office. Contact the sale administrator for specific details. A timber Sale Contract Supplement will be used to document the Purchaser's use of the DNR's Crane Mats/Timber Mats. It is the responsibility of the Purchaser to contact the sale administrator to schedule pick up and drop off. In addition, all mats must be cleaned prior to drop off. A charge of \$125.00 will be assessed for all damaged or non-returned mats. Damage is defined as misuse resulting in three or more broken cants.

### 5.4 - Soil Protection

### 5.4.1 - Rutting restriction, general (1/09)

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TIMBER SALE MAP This information provided by authority of Part 525, 1994 PA 451, as amended.

County Marquette

Cover Type

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Township 44N

Forest Management Unit

Range 25W

Section(s) and Subdivision(s)

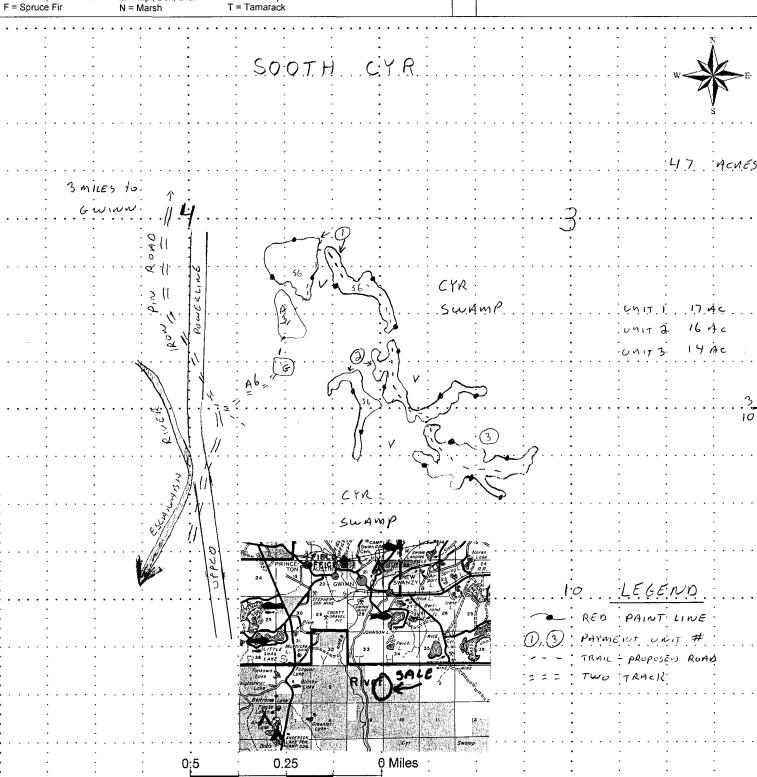
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### Density

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

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- 6 = Pole Timber Well
- 7 = Saw Timber Poor 8 = Saw Timber Medium
- 9 = Saw Timber Well



### TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

### DOWNUNDER JACK PINE (32-115-11-01)

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PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	ADV	ADVERTISED PRICE		
Pulpwood					
Jack Pine	1,666.00 Cords	\$	39.80 / Cord		
Q. Aspen	178.00 Cords	\$	28.40 / Cord		

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$6,011.80:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	<u>ADV</u>	ERTISED PRICE
Pulpwood			
Balsam Fir	52.00 Cords	\$	25.90 / Cord
Black Spruce	103.00 Cords	\$	31.25 / Cord
Tamarack	65.00 Cords	\$	22.25 / Cord

<sup>\*</sup> The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 9.80 percent. The estimated units 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 \$3,869.00 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 must 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
01	13%
02	22%
03	19%
04	19%
05	27%

- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 11/30/2014.

### **Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements**

Sale Name: Downunder Jack Pine Sale Number: 32-115-11-01

### 1 - Sale Area

### 1.2 - Boundaries

### 1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (12/08)

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 double red paint. Do not cut painted exterior boundary line trees. Trees designating an interior payment unit boundary are only to be cut when all surrounding payment units have been paid.

### 2 - Timber Specifications

### 2.1 - Included Timber

### 2.1.4 - Species designation unit(s) (12/08)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, all jack pine, aspen, red maple, tamarack, fir and spruce are designated for cutting which meet minimum piece specifications in 2.2 - Utilization. DO NOT CUT cherry, white pine, red pine, oak, cedar and hemlock.

### 2.1.11 - Description of timber note (2/04)

Note that jack pine are overmature and declining and should be harvested as soon as feasible.

### 2.2 - Utilization

### 2.2.3 - Stump heights (4/07)

Stump heights within the Sale Area shall not exceed 6 inches for all trees. This is in order to facilitate forest regeneration operations.

### 2.2.10 - No chipping tops and limbs (12/08)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, chipping of the bole, 2-inches in diameter or greater, is allowed. Chipping of limbs or portions of the tree less than 2-inches in diameter is not permitted. Limbs and the remaining top must be left on site and scattered.

### 4 - Transportation

### 4.1 - Construction

### 4.1.3 - Slash and earthen piles (8/04)

Piles or windrows of earth along roads and landings that have been widened or constructed shall be leveled. Slash from road maintenance or construction, including stumps, shall be dispersed throughout the sale.

### 4.1.4 - Timber removed for construction (12/09)

Trees cut or damaged in the process of pre-approved road, landing or skid trail construction will be decked in an area separate from other designated timber and not removed until measured by the sale administrator. Payment will be made at the specified Purchase Unit Price. This specification applies to widening of Camp 10 Road and any other access roads.

### 4.1.7 - Road closure (4/07)

All new roads built into the sale must be blocked to vehicle traffic within 30 days of completion of hauling. Overgrown roads that are reopened shall be considered new roads. In general, this will require constructing double earthen berms at strategic locations. Enough 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 positioned 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

### 4.2.1 - Hauling restriction (12/08)

Hauling may be restricted on forest roads by the Unit Manager or his/her representative. The restriction may occur during spring breakup or during wet weather conditions. All trucking and timber sale operations must use Camp 10 Road down to Kate's Grade. No log truck traffic or logging equipment traffic will be allowed on roads north of the center of Section 36, T45N, R27W.

### 4.2.3 - Road maintenance (9/08)

The following road maintenance will be required once all hauling of products is completed: grading of Camp 10 Road and any associated forest roads used during logging operations. This would also include any private roads used during logging and/or hauling operations.

### 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 (3/11)

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 will be required by the DNR.

### 5 - Operations

### 5.1 - Notification

### 5.1.1 - Pre-sale conference (12/08)

A pre-sale conference on site between the Purchaser and sale administrator is required prior to beginning any operations. The Unit Manager or his/her representative must be contacted at least 5 days in advance to schedule the conference.

### 5.1.4 - Post-sale conference (6/11)

A post-sale conference on site between the Purchaser and sale administrator is required 2 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.

### 5.2.1.2 - Slash Removal

### 5.2.1.2.1 - Slash removal, right-of-way (12/04)

All slash must be removed at least 10 feet from the cleared right-of-way of all forest roads.

### 5.2.1.8 - Slash height (12/08)

No slash or tree tops may exceed 36 inches in height.

### 5.2.1.13 - Dispose of slash as directed (12/05)

Slash is to be disposed of as directed by the sale administrator. In general, slash is to be dispersed throughout the sale.

### 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.

### 5.2.32 - Decking/landing restoration (9/11)

All decking and landing areas must have the surface area restored to a condition equal to or better than before. This is to ensure the proper regeneration of the stand. Any piles of chips must be hauled away and remaining chip residue must not inhibit regeneration of trees.

### 5.2.41 - Snowmobile trail protection (8/09)

A segment of Camp 10 Road, north of Kate's Grade and Kate's Grade to Co Rd 438 are part of a snowmobile trail. Do not cut or damage posts with orange trail markers or traffic control signs. If the trail is used, it must be maintained and restored to a condition equal to or better than before the sale. The road maintenance/restoration must be done prior to December 1. If the trail is used for hauling, it must be graded to the satisfaction of the Unit Manager or his/her representative prior to December 1st. If the trail road is to be used for hauling during the snowmobile season, then a snow covered base must be left on the trail. No decking of forest products will be permitted along the snowmobile trail.

### 6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

### 6.2 - Signing

### 6.2.1 - Road posting (9/09)

The purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on Camp 10 Road prior to beginning operations. The road must be posted at locations designated by the sale administrator in the field to warn of logging activity and truck traffic. Signs must be removed when harvest operations are suspended or completed. The Purchaser will provide these signs.

### 6.2.2 - Snowmobile trail posting (8/09)

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on both ends of the snowmobile trail prior to beginning operations during the snowmobile season (approximately December 1 to March 31). The trail must be posted at locations which will be designated in the field by the sale administrator to warn of logging activity and truck traffic. Signs must be removed when harvest operations are suspended or completed. The Purchaser will provide these signs.

### 7 - Other Conditions

### 7.5 - Loss

### 7.5.1 - Deteriorating timber (7/09)

The sale area has received damage from windthrow and advanced tree age. The purchaser should harvest the wood as soon as possible. The Department of Natural Resources is held free of responsibility of any further damage or deterioration due to delay in harvesting.

Section Name: Sale Specific Current as of 4/19/2012 8:56:05AM



## Michigan Department of Natural Resources - Forest, Mineral & Fire Management

TIMBER SALE MAP

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

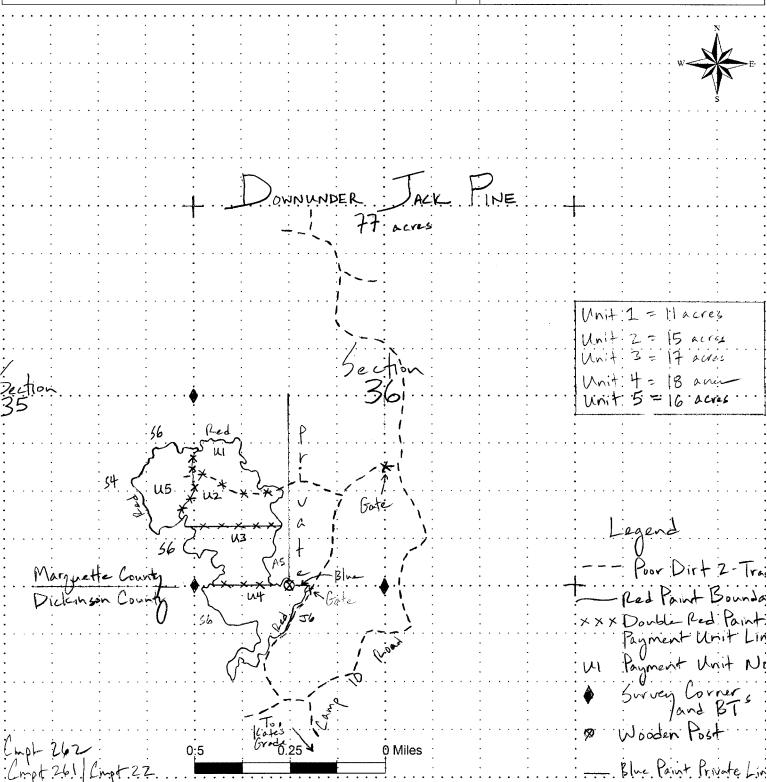
Sale Number

Year

32-115-01

2011

Forest Management Unit County DICKINSON Mapped By Page of 5-18-2011 MARQUETTE Cruised By TWINN Section(s) and Subdivision(s) 36-W/25W; 35-E/25E Township Range 27 W 45N 44N 27W -- N/2NW **Cover Type** Density U = Upland Brush A = Aspen O = Oak 0 = Non Stocked 5 = Pole Timber Medium G = Grass B = Paper Birch V = Bog or Marsh 1 = Seedling Sapling Poor P = Lowland Poplar 6 = Pole Timber Well H = Hemlock W = White Pine C = Cedar Q = Mixed Swamp Cnfr J = Jack Pine 2 = Seedling Sapling Medium 7 = Saw Timber Poor X = Non Stocked D = Treed Bog R = Red Pine 3 = Seedling Sapling Well L = Lowland Brush 8 = Saw Timber Medium Z = Water S = Black Spruce 4 = Pole Timber Poor E = Swamp Hdwoods M = Mpl, Bch, Brch 9 = Saw Timber Well F = Spruce Fir T = Tamarack N = Marsh



### **BID FORM**

4 PT HARDWOODS (32-001-12-01) T44N, R21W, SEC. 24, Alger County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 3:00 p.m. (local time) on July 30, 2012, I am hereby submitting my sealed bid (firm offer) for the following forest products to be cut. Bids for individual species must be at or above the advertised price. All non-responsive bid forms may be rejected.

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	<b>ESTIMATED</b>	UNITS*	AD\	/ERTISED PRICE	BID PF	RICE	
Sawlogs Sugar Maple	18.70	MDE	Ф	426.00 / MPE	<b>c</b>	/ MBF	
Sugar Maple	18.70	MBL	\$	426.00 / MBF	Φ	/ IVIBF	
Pulpwood Mixed Hardwood	335.00	Cords	\$	21.95 / Cord	\$	/ Cord	
In addition, the successful bidder ag	grees to purchase t	he following sp	ecies at t	he indicated advertise	ed price for a to	tal value of \$931.70 :	
PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED	UNITS*	AD\	/ERTISED PRICE			
Sawlogs							
Basswood	3.00		\$	127.00 / MBF			
Black Cherry	0.80		\$	119.00 / MBF			
Red Maple	4.70		\$	93.00 / MBF			
Yellow Birch	0.20	MBF	\$	92.00 / MBF			
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Company representative	's name:						
Address:							
City:	State:		Zip:				
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sale contract.

Name of Business

Address

Michigan Department of Natural Resources & Environment Forest Management Division

# 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.

FOR DEPARTMENT USE ONLY				
Sale Number (XX – XXX – XX – XX)				
Forest Management Unit:				

•	In addition, if boxes 2B or 2C are checked, then Notice of Exclusion or Certificate of Insurance must be submitted within 21 days of the contract award and prior to the issuance of the timber sale contract.
•	All Information must be typed or printed except for written signatures.
Ple	ase Check Appropriate Categories:
1.	My business is organized as (you <b>must</b> check <u>one</u> of the boxes below):
	A. Sole Proprietorship (individual)
	B. Partnership
	C. Corporation
2.	You <b>must</b> check <u>one</u> of the boxes below:
	A.   I certify that my business is a sole proprietorship and it has no employees but the sole proprietor. I am not subject to the Worker's Compensation Laws.
	B.  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).
	C.  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.

3. If you have checked item 2(A) or 2(B), you must indicate the number of both full-time and part-time employees, other

Federal ID (or) Social Security No.

than yourself, including family members and active partners (if none, you must enter "0").

Full-time Employees

VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE

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		( )
City	State	ZIP
I hereby certify that the above information is occur in factors affecting my coverage during Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative		I agree to notify the Michigan DNRE of any changes that ent and future operations.  Date
riue		Date

Telephone

Part-time Employees

### **BID FORM**

### SOOTH CYR (32-009-12-01)

T44N, R25W, SEC. 03; T44N, R25W, SEC. 04; T44N, R25W, SEC. 10, Marquette County

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PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	AD\	/ERTISED PRICE	BID P	RICE	
Pulpwood						
Black Spruce	325.00 Cords	\$	31.55 / Cord	\$	/ Cord	
Jack Pine	316.00 Cords	\$	39.65 / Cord	\$	/ Cord	
n addition, the successful bidder a	grees to purchase the following spe	cies at t	he indicated advertise	d price for a t	otal value of \$2,871.8	0 :
PRODUCTS & SPECIES Sawlogs	ESTIMATED UNITS*	<u>AD\</u>	/ERTISED PRICE			

I understand that any or all bids may be rejected. 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 staffing subject to my control.

	FEDERAL ID:	or SOCIAL SEC	URITY NUMBER:	
	Company or individual bidding:			
	Company representative's name:			
	Address:			
	City:	State:	Zip:	
F AVAILABLE, PLEASE PLACE THE PERSONALIZED LABEL FROM YOUR PROSPECTUS IN THE ABOVE BOX.				
ndividual	or company representative's signatu	re:		Date:

Red Pine 8.20 MBF 132.00 / MBF Pulpwood Balsam Fir 28.00 Cords 25.60 / Cord \$ Mixed Hardwood 4.00 Cords 23.40 / Cord \$ Red Pine 4.00 Cords \$ 40.70 / Cord Tamarack 53.00 Cords 15.40 / Cord \$

<sup>\*</sup> The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 18.66 percent. The estimated units 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.



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1.	My business is organized as (you <b>must</b> check <u>one</u> of the A.   Sole Proprietorship (individual)  B.   Partnership  C.   Corporation	boxes below):			
<ul> <li>You must check one of the boxes below:</li> <li>A.    I certify that my business is a sole proprietorship and it has no employees but the sole proprietor. I am not subject to the Worker's Compensation Laws.</li> <li>B.    I certify that my business has satisfied its obligation to the Worker's Compensation Act through the use of an approve Notice of Exclusion (BWC-337, Rev. 5/96). I will provide a copy of the Notice of Exclusion within 21 days of the contral award. (For questions or a copy of the BWC-337, please call the Worker's Compensation Bureau at 517-322-1195).</li> <li>C.    I certify that my business has a Worker's Compensation Policy. I will provide an original Certificate of Insurance within 2 days of the contract award.</li> </ul>					
3.	If you have checked item 2(A) or 2(B), you <b>must</b> indicate than yourself, including family members and active partners. Full-time Employees	the number of <b>both</b> full-time and part-time employees, other ers (if none, you must enter "0").  Part-time Employees			
Name of Business		Federal ID (or) Social Security No.			
Address		Telephone ( )			
City	State	ZIP			
occ _	hereby certify that the above information is true and correct. I agree to notify the Michigan DNRE of any changes that occur in factors affecting my coverage during any of my present and future operations.  Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative				
T	Title	Date			

PRODUCTS & SPECIES

Jack Pine

Q. Aspen

Pulpwood

### **BID FORM**

GWINN MANAGEMENT UNIT GWINN OFFICE

**BID PRICE** 

### DOWNUNDER JACK PINE (32-115-11-01)

T44N, R27W, SEC. 01; T45N, R27W, SEC. 35; T45N, R27W, SEC. 36, Marquette County

ADVERTISED PRICE

39.80 / Cord

28.40 / Cord

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ESTIMATED UNITS\*

1,666.00 Cords

178.00 Cords

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In addition, the successful bidder	agrees to purchase the following s	pecies at the indicated	d advertised price for a total value of \$6,011.80 :
PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	ADVERTISED	<u>PRICE</u>
Pulpwood	50.00		
Balsam Fir	52.00 Cords	\$ 25.90 / 0	
Black Spruce Tamarack	103.00 Cords	\$ 31.25 / 0	
Tamarack	65.00 Cords	\$ 22.25 / 0	Joid
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Individual or company representa	ative's signature:		Date:
Phone number :	Ema	il (optional):	



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	Full-time Employees Part-time Employees					
Nam	me of Business Federal ID (or) Social Security No.					
Add	dress Telephone ( )					
City	y State ZIP					
	nereby certify that the above information is true and correct. I agree to notify the Michigan DNRE of any changes that ocur in factors affecting my coverage during any of my present and future operations.					
-	Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative					
-	Title Date					