

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES STATE OF MICHIGAN

TIMBER SALE PROSPECTUS #4622

SCHEDULED SALE DATE AND TIME: 3:00 p.m. (local time) on May 7, 2012. LOCATION: KALKASKA FIELD OFFICE, 2089 N BIRCH ST, KALKASKA, MI 49646.

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, TRAVERSE CITY MANAGEMENT UNIT, for certain timber on the following described lands:

8 HOUR RED PINE (61-039-11-01) / T27N, R05W, SEC. 14, SWSW.

T27N, R05W, SEC. 15, SESE.

Kalkaska County, Advertised Price \$84,742.10, 37.0 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.

SOUR GAS HARDWOOD (61-055-11-01) / T28N, R05W, SEC. 32, S1/2NE.

T28N, R05W, SEC. 33, SWNW, NWSW.

Kalkaska County, Advertised Price \$13,593.60, 66.0 Acres

SALE NOTE: A recreation site such as a trail, pathway, or campground is within the sale area or the vicinity. Certain restrictions/specifications may be applicable including time restrictions. Access may be through private or other public land.

50 MINUTES ASPEN (61-059-11-01) / T27N, R05W, SEC. 14, NWSW.

T27N, R05W, SEC. 15, S1/2NE, E1/2SE.

Kalkaska County, Advertised Price \$8,412.60, 15.0 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.

<u>LONG LINE PINE & HARDWOOD</u> (61-065-11-01) / T27N, R05W, SEC. 15, E1/2NW, W1/2NE, E1/2SW, W1/2SE.

Kalkaska County, Advertised Price \$34,876.20, 93.0 Acres

SALE NOTE: A recreation site such as a trail, pathway, or campground is within the sale area or the vicinity. Certain restrictions/specifications may be applicable including time restrictions. Access may be through state forest land.

FAR EAST RED PINE (61-066-11-01) / T27N, R05W, SEC. 14, N1/2SE.

Kalkaska County, Advertised Price \$8,716.30, 11.0 Acres

SALE NOTE: A recreation site such as a trail, pathway, or campground is within the sale area or the vicinity. Certain restrictions/specifications may be applicable including time restrictions. Access may be through state forest land.

JCC HARDWOODS (61-068-11-01) / T27N, R05W, SEC. 10, SE.

T27N, R05W, SEC. 14, NW, W1/2NE, E1/2SW, W1/2SE.

T27N, R05W, SEC. 15, E1/2NE.

Kalkaska County, Advertised Price \$65,222.20, 223.0 Acres

SALE NOTE: A recreation site such as a trail, pathway, or campground is within the sale area or the vicinity. Certain restrictions/specifications may be applicable including time restrictions. Access may be through 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, KALKASKA OFFICE, 2089 N BIRCH ST, KALKASKA, MI 49646, no later than 3:00 p.m. (local time) on May 7, 2012. For further information concerning this sale, contact Dave Lemmien at 231-922-5280 extension 6840.

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

8 HOUR RED PINE (61-039-11-01)

T27N, R05W, SEC. 14; T27N, R05W, SEC. 15.

Kalkaska County (Advertised Price \$84,742.10)

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*	<u>ADV</u>	ERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs			
Red Pine	398.70 MBF	\$	141.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
Red Pine	739.00 Cords	\$	38.60 / Cord

^{*} The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 12.33 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 **\$4,500.00** 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

49%

02

51%

- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 06/30/2014.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: 8 Hour Red Pine Sale Number: 61-039-11-01

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 red and yellow paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. Interior Payment Unit boundaries are marked with yellow paint. Yellow painted 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

2.1.1 - Clearcut unit(s) with unmerchantable trees (4/09)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 and 2, cut all trees that are two (2) inches or more in diameter measured at a point four and one-half (4-1/2) feet above ground level regardless of merchantability

2.2 - Utilization

2.2.2 - Chipping required (1/11)

The sale area must be chip harvested to facilitate subsequent planting operations. The purchaser has the option to produce sawlogs or pulpwood bolts, but the remaining portion of the trees must be chipped and hauled. The requirement to retain approximately 1/6 to 1/3 of tree tops and limbs less than four inches in diameter does not apply (G. C. & R. 2.2). This is because slash left within sale area will hinder tree planting operations.

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 planting operations.

3 - Payments

3.3 - Pre-measured Sales

3.3.4 - Dividing payment units (12/08)

Payment unit(s) 1 and 2 may be divided at the request of the purchaser and upon approval of the Unit Manager. Dividing payment units is a contract modification which requires a Timber Sale Contract Supplement.

4 - Transportation

4.1 - Construction

4.1.11 - Permits (5/07)

The Purchaser will secure any necessary permits that may be required.

4.1.12 - No new roads (6/10)

No new roads will be permitted in any Payment Unit unless authorized by sale administrator. All operations are limited to existing roads. Skid trails only will be allowed along with truck turn-arounds and improvements for landing locations. These areas along with skid trails outside of sale area must be blocked following timber sale operations.

4.2 - Maintenance

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.

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 each sale Payment Unit to determine landing and road locations. The Unit Manager or his/her representative must be contacted at least 3 days in advance to schedule the conference.

5.2 - Conduct of Operations

5.2.2 - Hazard Trees/Snags

5.2.2.1 - Den trees (2/04)

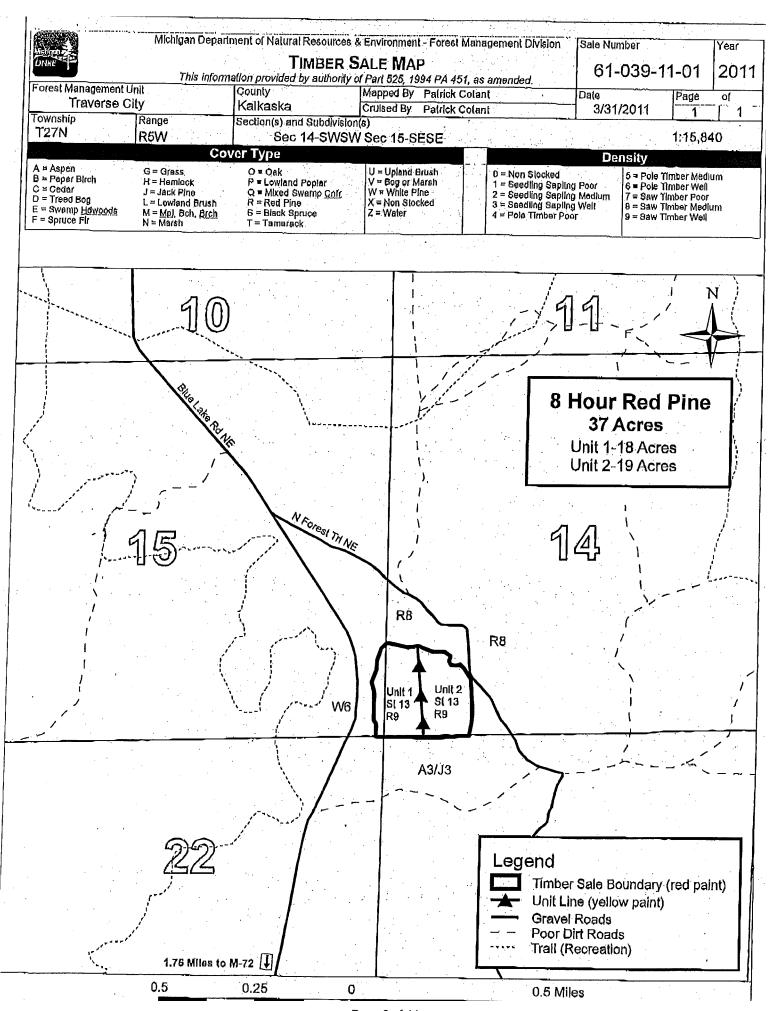
Obvious hollow and/or den trees shall be protected and left standing unless they are a safety hazard.

5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

5.2.3.6 - Bark beetle restriction (12/08)

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 his/her representative, within fifteen days of being severed from the stump. Pine log decks, pulpwood piles and treetops that are piled for chipping 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 specification if the risk of damage warrants.

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TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

SOUR GAS HARDWOOD (61-055-11-01)

T28N, R05W, SEC. 32; T28N, R05W, SEC. 33.

Kalkaska County (Advertised Price \$13,593.60)

SALE NOTE: A recreation site such as a trail, pathway, or campground is within the sale area or the vicinity. Certain restrictions/specifications may be applicable including time restrictions. Access may be through private or other public 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*	AD\	/ERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs			
Basswood	33.60 MBF	\$	85.00 / MBF
Black Cherry	14.40 MBF	\$	149.00 / MBF
Sugar Maple	6.00 MBF	\$	228.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
Mixed Hardwood	599.00 Cords	\$	10.55 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$904.55:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	<u>ADV</u>	ERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs			
Beech	2.60 MBF	\$	56.00 / MBF
Red Maple	3.20 MBF	\$	86.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
Basswood	129.00 Cords	\$	3.75 / Cord

^{*} The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 15.34 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:

- A bond in the amount of \$800.00 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	44%

02 56%

- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 06/30/2015.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Sour Gas Hardwood Sale Number: 61-055-11-01

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, red and yellow 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 yellow 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) (12/08)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 and 2, all trees are designated for cutting when marked with orange paint above and below stump height, regardless of merchantability.

2.2 - Utilization

2.2.4 - Skidding length (2/11)

Skidding of unlimbed tops or lengths over 17 feet is not permissible.

4 - Transportation

4.1 - Construction

4.1.6 - Road construction (1/09)

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 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.

4.1.7 - 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. These roads must be rendered impassable to cars and trucks. Contact the sale administrator for specific details of design and placement.

4.4 - Access

4.4.1 - Private property access (3/11)

Permission for access across private land is the responsibility of the purchaser. Contact South Lyon Motor Realestate at 248-437-7444.

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 to determine landing and road locations. The Unit Manager or his/her representative must be contacted at least 2 days in advance to schedule the conference.

5.1.3 - Well heads and natural gas pipelines (7/07)

The Purchaser is responsible for contacting the gas or pipeline company prior to operating equipment in the vicinity of well heads or natural gas pipelines. Notify Merrit Energy of harvesting operation.

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.

5.2.1.8 - Slash height (12/08)

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

5.2.1.9 - No Slash:pipe/powerline, oil/gas sites (2/04)

All pipelines, power lines, oil or gas storage sites and related access roads are to remain free of slash at all times.

5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

5.2.3.3 - Bark slippage restriction (3/09)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 and 2, unless changed by written agreement, cutting and skidding are not permitted during the period of May 1st to June 30th. This restriction is because of bark slippage.

5.2.39 - ORV trail/route protection (1/09)

The ORV trail or route and is shown on the Timber Sale Map. Do not cut trees or damage posts with orange ORV markers. Maintain a 10 foot wide slash, debris, and rut free zone daily using the ORV trail or route as the centerline. Do not run equipment down the ORV trail or route. Skidding across the trail or route may only occur in locations approved by the sale administrator.

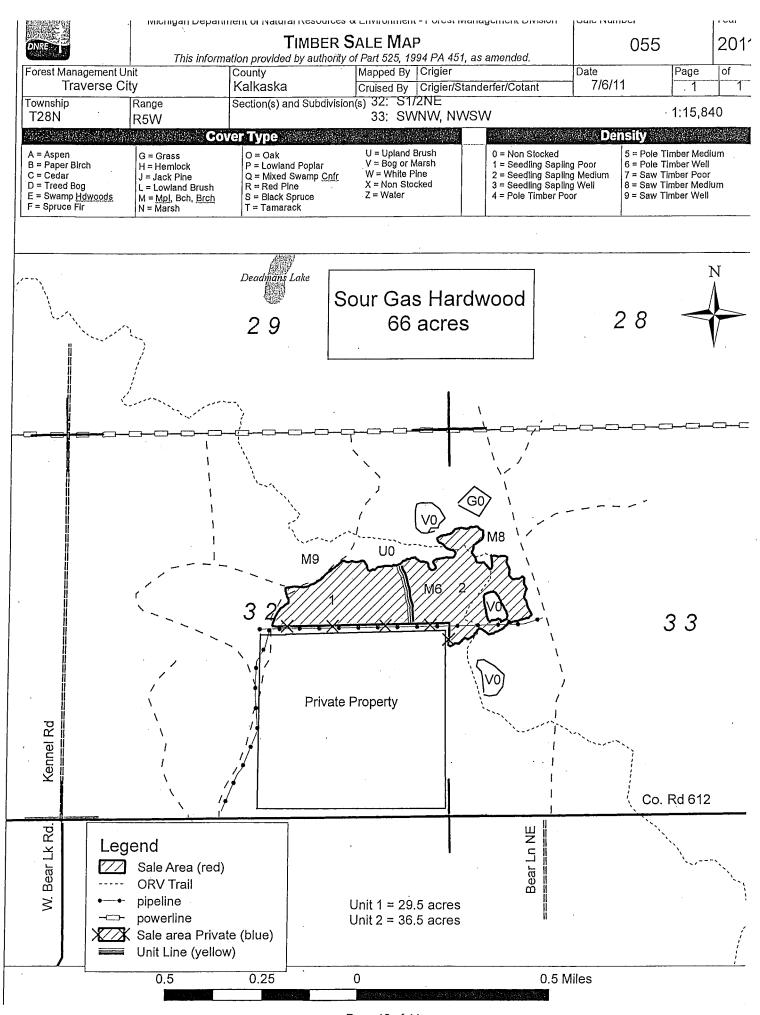
6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

6.2 - Signing

6.2.3 - Recreational trail posting (2/10)

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on the ORV trail prior to beginning operations. The trail must be posted at appropriate distances from the sale area to warn of logging activity and truck traffic at both ends of the trail. Signs must be removed when harvest operations are suspended or completed. The Purchaser will provide these signs.

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TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

50 MINUTES ASPEN (61-059-11-01)

T27N, R05W, SEC. 14; T27N, R05W, SEC. 15.

Kalkaska County (Advertised Price \$8,412.60)

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*	AD\	/ERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs			
Red Pine	16.00 MBF	\$	142.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
Jack Pine	36.00 Cords	\$	16.45 / Cord
Mixed Aspen	164.00 Cords	\$	20.25 / Cord
Red Pine	34.00 Cords	\$	49.10 / Cord
White Pine	90.00 Cords	\$	6.20 / Cord

^{*} The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 17.94 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 \$750.00 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 remainder is due before cutting begins.
- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 06/30/2014.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: 50 Minutes Aspen Sale Number: 61-059-11-01

1 - Sale Area

1.2 - Boundaries

1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (12/08)

The sale boundary is marked and identified by red and green paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. Retention areas and leave trees have been marked with green paint.

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

2.1.7 - Leave tree marked unit(s) (10/09)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, cut all trees that are two (2) inches or more in diameter measured at a point four and one-half (4-1/2) feet above ground level regardless of merchantability except oak, and trees marked with green paint above and below stump height. In addition, do not enter islands that have been delineated with green paint.

2.2 - Utilization

2.2.3 - Stump heights (4/07)

Stump heights within the Sale Area shall not exceed 6 inches for all trees.

3 - Payments

3.3 - Pre-measured Sales

3.3.4 - Dividing payment units (12/08)

Payment unit(s) 1 may be divided at the request of the purchaser and upon approval of the Unit Manager. Dividing payment units is a contract modification which requires a Timber Sale Contract Supplement.

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. 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 10% 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

4.1.3 - 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.

4.1.11 - Permits (5/07)

The Purchaser will secure any necessary permits that may be required.

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. Skid trails only will be allowed.

4.2 - Maintenance

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.

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 to determine landing and road locations. The Unit Manager or his/her representative must be contacted at least 3 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 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 red paint line.

5.2.1.8 - Slash height (12/08)

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

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

5.2.4.6 - Dead and down creation, other (9/09)

To create grouse habitat, within Payment Unit 1, one tree per acre must be cut at breast height and left next to the stump. These are for drumming logs. If a clump of trees is marked, the clump should be cut and left in a pile. The slash height requirement does not apply to these drumming logs and the tops should be left intact.

5.2.29 - Shrub protection (9/07)

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

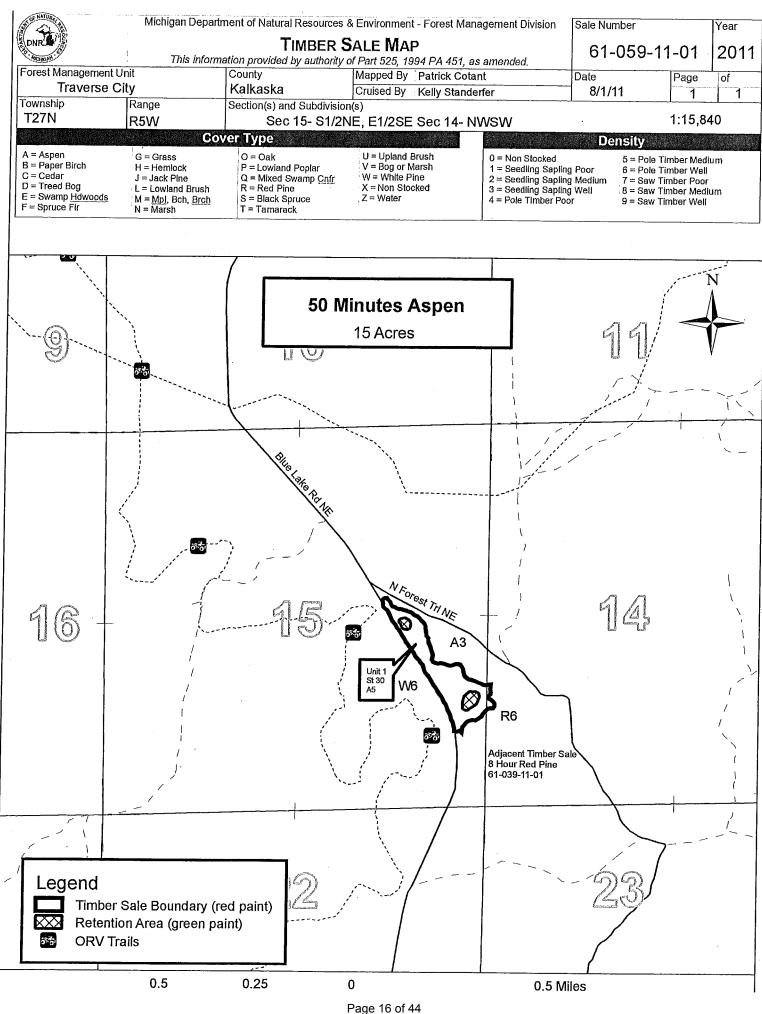
6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

6.2 - Signing

6.2.1 - Road posting (9/09)

The purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on Blue Lake 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.

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TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

LONG LINE PINE & HARDWOOD (61-065-11-01)

T27N, R05W, SEC. 15.

Kalkaska County (Advertised Price \$34,876.20)

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PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	<u>ADV</u>	ERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs			
Mixed Hardwood	44.50 MBF	\$	108.00 / MBF
Red Pine	54.40 MBF	\$	144.00 / MBF
White Pine	31.40 MBF	\$	66.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
Mixed Aspen	308.00 Cords	\$	19.50 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	556.00 Cords	\$	13.00 / Cord
Red Pine	60.00 Cords	\$	53.10 / Cord
White Pine	301.00 Cords	\$	6.65 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$1,742.55:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	AD\	/ERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs			
Mixed Aspen	13.00 MBF	\$	110.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
Jack Pine	19.00 Cords	\$	16.45 / Cord

^{*} The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 13.77 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 **\$2,000.00** 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	18%
02	39%
03	35%
04	8%

- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 06/30/2014.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Long Line Pine & Hardwood Sale Number: 61-065-11-01

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 red and yellow paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. Interior Payment Unit boundaries are marked with yellow paint. Do not cut painted boundary line trees unless also marked with orange paint. Yellow painted 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

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, 2, 3 & 4, all trees are designated for cutting when marked with orange paint above and below stump height, regardless of merchantability. All aspen trees are designated for harvest throughout the entire sale area. Also, in units 1, 2 and 3, all red maple, beech and cherry are designated for harvest. Do not cut sugar maple, yellow birch or paper birch in unit's 1, 2 and 3. In addition, do not cut green marked trees within units 2 and 3.

2.1.11 - Description of timber note (2/04)

Note that mixed hardwood pulp includes significant amounts of red maple, beech and black cherry.

2.2 - Utilization

2.2.3 - Stump heights (4/07)

Stump heights within the Sale Area shall not exceed 12 inches for trees greater than 10 inches DBH and 4 inches for trees smaller than 10 inches DBH.

3 - Payments

3.3 - Pre-measured Sales

3.3.4 - Dividing payment units (12/08)

Payment unit(s) valued over \$10,000 may be divided at the request of the purchaser and upon approval of the Unit Manager. Dividing payment units is a contract modification which requires a Timber Sale Contract Supplement.

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 \$100.00 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 10% 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 (1/09)

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 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.

4.1.7 - 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 double earthen berms at strategic locations. Stumps and brush must be placed along the remainder of the trail. These roads must be rendered impassable to cars and trucks. Contact the sale administrator for specific details of design and placement.

4.2 - Maintenance

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.

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 to determine landing and road locations. The Unit Manager or his/her representative must be contacted at least 3 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 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

5.2.1.8 - Slash height (12/08)

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

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 & 4, 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 bark slippage.

5.2.3.6 - Bark beetle restriction (12/08)

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 his/her representative, within fifteen days of being severed from the stump. Pine log decks, pulpwood piles and treetops that are piled for chipping 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 specification if the risk of damage warrants.

5.2.3.9 - Beech hauling restriction (3/11)

American beech wood products with bark still attached, other than chips, are not to be transported from stands infested with beech scale 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 or juneberry. These woody-shrub plants are highly beneficial to various wildlife species.

5.2.39 - ORV trail/route protection (1/09)

The Kalkaska-N. Route Trail is an ORV trail or route and is shown on the Timber Sale Map. Do not cut trees or damage posts with orange ORV markers. Maintain a 20 foot wide slash, debris, and rut free zone daily using the ORV trail or route as the centerline. Do not run equipment down the ORV trail or route. Skidding across the trail or route may only occur in locations approved by the sale administrator.

6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

6.2 - Signing

6.2.3 - Recreational trail posting (2/10)

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on the ORV trail prior to beginning operations. The trail must be posted at appropriate distances from the sale area to warn of logging activity and truck traffic at both ends of the trail. Signs must be removed when harvest operations are suspended or completed.

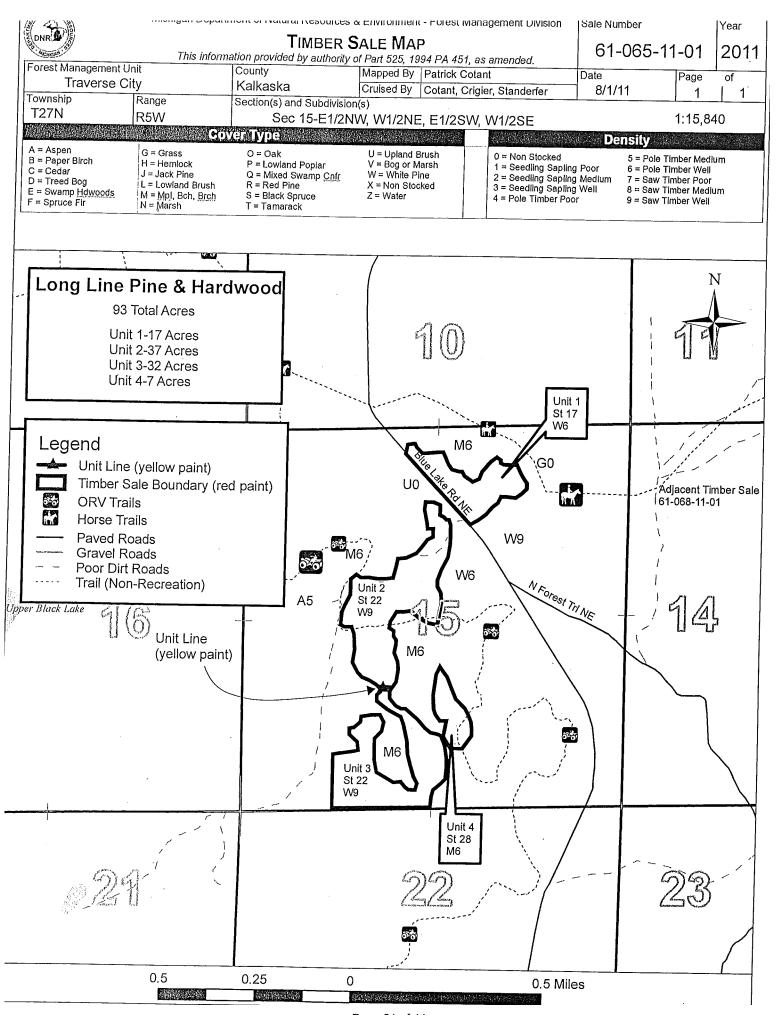
7 - Other Conditions

7.5 - Loss

7.5.1 - Deteriorating timber (7/09)

The sale area has received damage from Beech Bark Disease. 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.

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TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

FAR EAST RED PINE (61-066-11-01)

T27N, R05W, SEC. 14.

Kalkaska County (Advertised Price \$8,716.30)

SALE NOTE: A recreation site such as a trail, pathway, or campground is within the sale area or the vicinity. Certain restrictions/specifications may be applicable including time restrictions. 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*	<u>ADV</u>	ERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs			
Red Pine	14.10 MBF	\$	139.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
Red Pine	133.00 Cords	\$	50.80 / Cord

^{*} The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 20.59 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 \$500.00 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 remainder is due before cutting begins.
- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 06/30/2014.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Far East Red Pine Sale Number: 61-066-11-01

1 - Sale Area

1.2 - Boundaries

1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (12/08)

The sale boundary is marked and identified by red paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state 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

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, all trees are designated for cutting when marked with orange paint above and below stump height, regardless of merchantability.

2.2 - Utilization

2.2.3 - Stump heights (4/07)

Stump heights within the Sale Area shall not exceed 6 inches for all trees.

3 - Payments

3.3 - Pre-measured Sales

3.3.4 - Dividing payment units (12/08)

Payment unit(s) 1 may be divided at the request of the purchaser and upon approval of the Unit Manager. Dividing payment units is a contract modification which requires a Timber Sale Contract Supplement.

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 \$300.00 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 10% 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

4.1.3 - 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.

4.1.12 - No new roads (6/10)

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

4.2 - Maintenance

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.

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 to determine landing and road locations. The Unit Manager or his/her representative must be contacted at least 3 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 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 paint line.

5.2.1.8 - Slash height (12/08)

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

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, 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 bark slippage.

5.2.3.6 - Bark beetle restriction (12/08)

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 his/her representative, within fifteen days of being severed from the stump. Pine log decks, pulpwood piles and treetops that are piled for chipping 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 specification if the risk of damage warrants.

5.2.29 - Shrub protection (9/07)

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

5.2.39 - ORV trail/route protection (1/09)

The Kalkaska-N. Route is an ORV trail or route and is shown on the Timber Sale Map. The trail runs between the two separate portions of unit 1. Do not cut trees or damage posts with orange ORV markers. Maintain a 20 foot wide slash, debris, and rut free zone daily using the ORV trail or route as the centerline. Skidding across or on the trail or route may only occur in locations approved by the sale administrator.

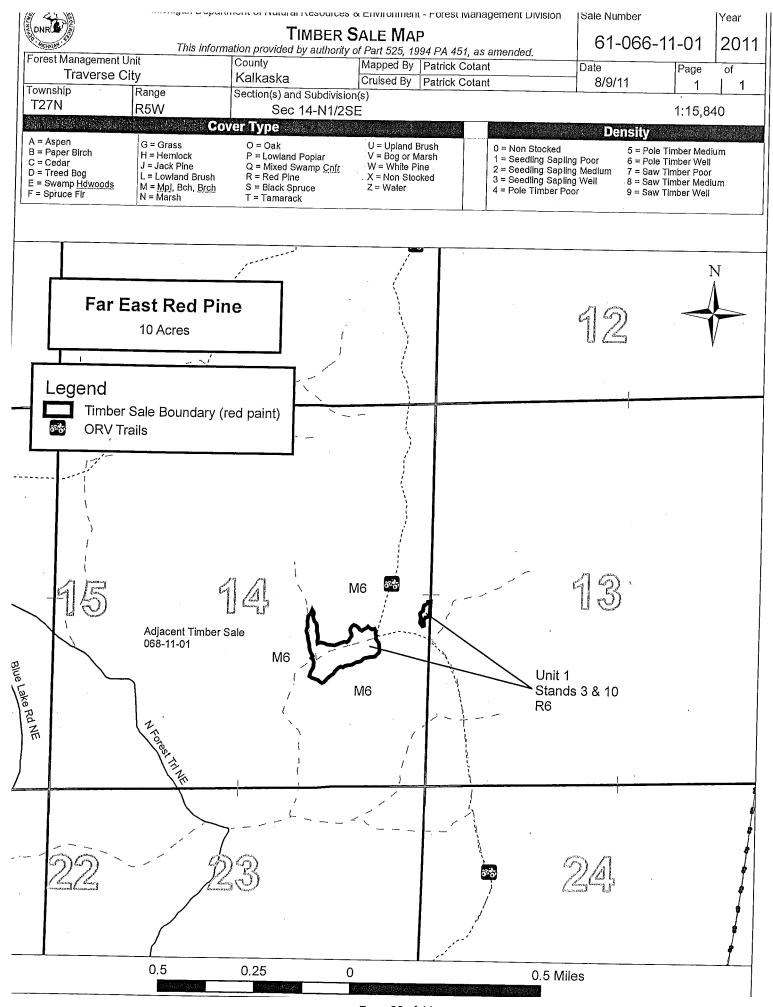
6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

6.2 - Signing

6.2.3 - Recreational trail posting (2/10)

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on the ORV trail prior to beginning operations. The trail must be posted at appropriate distances from the sale area to warn of logging activity and truck traffic at both ends of the trail. Signs must be removed when harvest operations are suspended or completed.

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TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

JCC HARDWOODS (61-068-11-01)

T27N, R05W, SEC. 10; T27N, R05W, SEC. 14; T27N, R05W, SEC. 15.

Kalkaska County (Advertised Price \$65,222.20)

SALE NOTE: A recreation site such as a trail, pathway, or campground is within the sale area or the vicinity. Certain restrictions/specifications may be applicable including time restrictions. 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*	AD\	/ERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs			
Red Maple	106.80 MBF	\$	92.00 / MBF
Sugar Maple	98.10 MBF	\$	279.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
Mixed Hardwood	1,634.00 Cords	\$	10.85 / Cord
Red Maple	478.00 Cords	\$	9.70 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$5,661.20:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	AD\	VERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs			
Beech	59.10 MBF	\$	51.00 / MBF
Red Oak	5.00 MBF	\$	231.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
Basswood	21.00 Cords	\$	3.70 / Cord
Mixed Aspen	104.00 Cords	\$	13.60 / Cord

^{*} The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 12.10 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 \$3,500.00 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 VALU
01	7%
02	18%
03	42%
04	24%
05	9%

- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 12/31/2014.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Jcc Hardwoods Sale Number: 61-068-11-01

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 red and yellow paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. Interior Payment Unit boundaries are marked with yellow paint. Please note that the boundary between payment units 4 & 5 is marked with red paint. Do not cut painted boundary line trees unless also marked with orange paint. Yellow painted 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

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, 2, 3, 4 & 5, all trees are designated for cutting when marked with orange paint above and below stump height, regardless of merchantability. In addition, all aspen are designated for harvest unless marked with an orange "X". All aspen marked with an "X" are to be left.

Also note that within unit 1, all beech are to harvested unless they are marked with green paint.

2.1.11 - Description of timber note (2/04)

Note that Mixed hardwood pulp includes the following;

983 cds Sugar Maple 462 cds American Beech 4 cds Red Oak 34 cds Ironwood 153 cds Black Cherry

In addition, mixed aspen pulp includes a small amount of mixed aspen sawlog material.

2.2 - Utilization

2.2.3 - Stump heights (4/07)

Stump heights within the Sale Area shall not exceed 12 inches for trees greater than 10 inches DBH and 4 inches for trees smaller than 10 inches DBH.

3 - Payments

3.3 - Pre-measured Sales

3.3.4 - Dividing payment units (12/08)

Payment unit(s) 1, 2, 3, 4 & 5 may be divided at the request of the purchaser and upon approval of the Unit Manager. Dividing payment units is a contract modification which requires a Timber Sale Contract Supplement.

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 \$300.00 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 10% 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

4.1.3 - 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.

4.1.8 - Road work (1) (8/07)

The following road work is required: The producer must haul and spread approximately 20 yards of gravel on forest road identified on timber sale map to the satisfaction of the sale administrator prior to sale operations if the road is used for trucking.

4.1.11 - Permits (5/07)

The Purchaser will secure any necessary permits that may be required.

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. Skid trails only will be allowed.

4.2 - Maintenance

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.

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 to determine landing locations and haul routes. The Unit Manager or his/her representative must be contacted at least 3 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 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 red paint line.

5.2.1.8 - Slash height (12/08)

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

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, 2, 3, 4 & 5, 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 bark slippage.

5.2.3.9 - Beech hauling restriction (3/11)

American beech wood products with bark still attached, other than chips, are not to be transported from stands infested with beech scale 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 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.

5.2.40 - Pathway protection (10/10)

The shore-to-shore trail is a hiking and horse riding trail and is shown on the Timber Sale Map. Do not cut trees or damage posts with blue pathway markers. Maintain a 20-foot wide slash, debris, and rut free zone daily, using the pathway as the centerline. Do not run equipment down the pathway. Skidding across the trail may only occur in locations approved by the sale administrator.

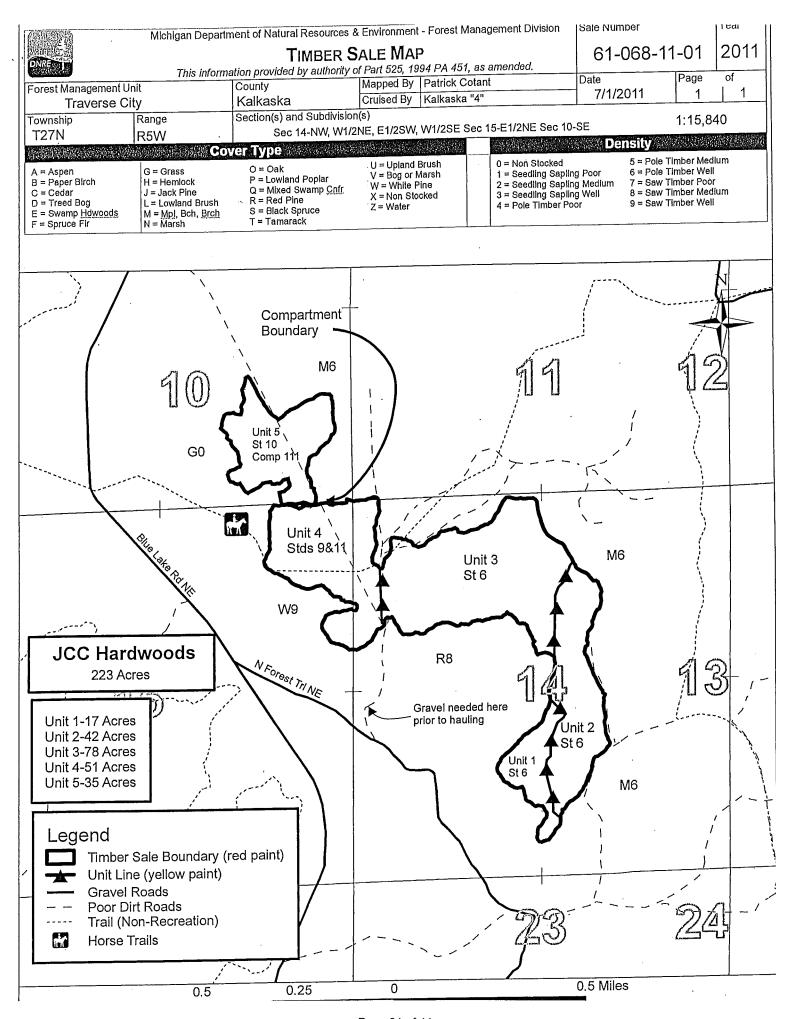
6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

6.2 - Signing

6.2.3 - Recreational trail posting (2/10)

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on the shore-to-shore trail prior to beginning operations. The trail must be posted at appropriate distances from the sale area to warn of logging activity and truck traffic at both ends of the trail. Signs must be removed when harvest operations are suspended or completed. The Purchaser will provide these signs.

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BID FORM

TRAVERSE CITY MANAGEMENT UNIT KALKASKA OFFICE

8 HOUR RED PINE (61-039-11-01) T27N, R05W, SEC. 14; T27N, R05W, SEC. 15, Kalkaska County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 3:00 p.m. (local time) on May 7, 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	ESTIMATE	O UNITS*	ADVI	ERTISED PRICE		
Sawlogs							
Red Pin	е	398.70	MBF	\$	141.00 / MBF	\$	_ / MBF
Pulpwood							
Red Pin	е	739.00	Cords	\$	38.60 / Cord	\$	_ / Cord
Prospective	The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 12.33 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. 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 t	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.						
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IF AVAILABLE, PLEASE PLACE THE PERSONALIZED LABEL FROM YOUR PROSPECTUS IN THE ABOVE BOX.							
Individual or	Individual or company representative's signature: Date:						
Phone number : Email (optional):							



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:					

VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE
This verification must be completed and submitted within 21 days of contract award and prior to the issuance of the timber
sale contract.

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	All Information must be typed or printed except for written signatures.				
Please Check Appropriate	Categories:				
·	A. Sole Proprietorship (individual) B. Partnership				
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Title		Date			

BID FORM

TRAVERSE CITY MANAGEMENT UNIT KALKASKA OFFICE

SOUR GAS HARDWOOD (61-055-11-01) T28N, R05W, SEC. 32; T28N, R05W, SEC. 33, Kalkaska County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 3:00 p.m. (local time) on May 7, 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	<u>ESTIMATE</u>	D UNITS*	AD\	VERTISED PRICE	
Sawlogs					
Basswood	33.60	MBF	\$	85.00 / MBF	\$ / MBF
Black Cherry	14.40	MBF	\$	149.00 / MBF	\$ / MBF
Sugar Maple	6.00	MBF	\$	228.00 / MBF	\$ / MBF
Pulpwood					
Mixed Hardwood	599.00	Cords	\$	10.55 / Cord	\$ / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$904.55:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	ADVERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs		
Beech	2.60 MBF	\$ 56.00 / MBF
Red Maple	3.20 MBF	\$ 86.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Basswood	129.00 Cords	\$ 3.75 / Cord

^{*} The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 15.34 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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	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.					
Individual	vidual or company representative's signature: Date:				
Phone number : Email (optional):					



Title

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:				

	VERIFICATION OF WO	RKER'S DISABIL	ITY COMPEN	ISATION ACT COMPLIANCE		
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TRAVERSE CITY MANAGEMENT UNIT KALKASKA OFFICE

50 MINUTES ASPEN (61-059-11-01) T27N, R05W, SEC. 14; T27N, R05W, SEC. 15, Kalkaska County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 3:00 p.m. (local time) on May 7, 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	<u>ESTIMATEI</u>	<u>D UNITS*</u>	AD\	<u>VERTISED PRICE</u>	
Sawlogs					
Red Pine	16.00	MBF	\$	142.00 / MBF	\$ / MBF
Pulpwood					
Jack Pine	36.00	Cords	\$	16.45 / Cord	\$ / Cord
Mixed Aspen	164.00	Cords	\$	20.25 / Cord	\$ / Cord
Red Pine	34.00	Cords	\$	49.10 / Cord	\$ / Cord
White Pine	90.00	Cords	\$	6.20 / Cord	\$ / Cord

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.

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	Company representative's name:				
	Address:				
	City:	State:	Zip:		
F AVAILABLE, PLEASE PLACE THE PERSONALIZED LABEL FROM YOUR PROSPECTUS IN THE ABOVE BOX.					
Individual	dividual or company representative's signature: Date:				
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^{*} The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 17.94 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.



Michigan Department of Natural Resources & Environment Forest Management Division

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VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE

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3.	B. If you have checked item 2(A) or 2(B), you must indicate the number of both full-time and part-time employees, other than yourself, including family members and active partners (if none, you must enter "0"). Full-time EmployeesPart-time Employees					
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7	Title		Date			

BID FORM

LONG LINE PINE & HARDWOOD (61-065-11-01) T27N, R05W, SEC. 15, Kalkaska County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 3:00 p.m. (local time) on May 7, 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	<u>ESTIMATE</u>	<u> UNITS*</u>	AD\	VERTISED PRICE	
Sawlogs					
Mixed Hardwood	44.50	MBF	\$	108.00 / MBF	\$ / MBF
Red Pine	54.40	MBF	\$	144.00 / MBF	\$ / MBF
White Pine	31.40	MBF	\$	66.00 / MBF	\$ / MBF
Pulpwood					
Mixed Aspen	308.00	Cords	\$	19.50 / Cord	\$ / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	556.00	Cords	\$	13.00 / Cord	\$ / Cord
Red Pine	60.00	Cords	\$	53.10 / Cord	\$ / Cord
White Pine	301.00	Cords	\$	6.65 / Cord	\$ / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$1,742.55:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES Sawlogs	ESTIMATED UNITS*		VERTISED PRICE
Mixed Aspen	13.00 MBF	\$	110.00 / MBF
Pulpwood Jack Pine	19.00 Cords	\$	16.45 / Cord

^{*} The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 13.77 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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Michigan Department of Natural Resources & Environment Forest Management Division

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FOR DEPARTMENT USE ONLY	
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Forest Management Unit:	

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5	Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative					

Date

PRODUCTS & SPECIES

BID FORM

TRAVERSE CITY MANAGEMENT UNIT KALKASKA OFFICE

FAR EAST RED PINE (61-066-11-01) T27N, R05W, SEC. 14, Kalkaska County

ADVERTISED PRICE

In response to the notice of sale to be held 3:00 p.m. (local time) on May 7, 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.

ESTIMATED UNITS*

Sawlogs						
Red Pine	14.10 MBF	\$	139.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF	
Pulpwood						
Red Pine	133.00 Cord	s \$	50.80 / Cord	\$	/ Cord	
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Michigan Department of Natural Resources & Environment Forest Management Division

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BID FORM

JCC HARDWOODS (61-068-11-01)

T27N, R05W, SEC. 10; T27N, R05W, SEC. 14; T27N, R05W, SEC. 15, Kalkaska County

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PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATE	D UNITS*	ADVERTISED PRICE			
Sawlogs						
Red Maple	106.80	MBF	\$	92.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF
Sugar Maple	98.10	MBF	\$	279.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF
Pulpwood						
Mixed Hardwood	1,634.00	Cords	\$	10.85 / Cord	\$	/ Cord
Red Maple	478.00	Cords	\$	9.70 / Cord	\$	/ Cord
Sugar Maple Pulpwood Mixed Hardwood	98.10 1,634.00	MBF Cords	τ	279.00 / MBF 10.85 / Cord	\$\$ \$ \$	/ MBF

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$5,661.20:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	<u>ESTIMATEI</u>	ESTIMATED UNITS*		ADVERTISED PRICE		
Sawlogs						
Beech	59.10	MBF	\$	51.00 / MBF		
Red Oak	5.00	MBF	\$	231.00 / MBF		
Pulpwood						
Basswood	21.00	Cords	\$	3.70 / Cord		
Mixed Aspen	104.00	Cords	\$	13.60 / Cord		

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VEDICATION OF MORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE

I 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

State

Date