



**DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
STATE OF MICHIGAN**

TIMBER SALE PROSPECTUS #4635

SCHEDULED SALE DATE AND TIME: 2:00 p.m. (local time) on May 17, 2012.

LOCATION: TRAVERSE CITY MGMT UNIT, 970 EMERSON, TRAVERSE CITY, MI 49696.

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:

SLUGBUG ASPEN (61-060-11-01) / T25N, R14W, SEC. 03, W1/2SW,N1/2NE.

Benzie County, Advertised Price \$39,939.94, 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 state forest land.

CREEKSIDE ASPEN (61-088-11-01) / T24N, R14W, SEC. 13, SESE.

T24N, R14W, SEC. 23, SESW, S1/2SE1/4.

T24N, R14W, SEC. 24, E1/2NE1/4, E1/2SE1/4.

Manistee County, Advertised Price \$40,374.30, 57.0 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.

HENRY ASPEN (61-090-11-01) / T24N, R14W, SEC. 14, NWSW, SWNW.

T24N, R14W, SEC. 15, S1/2SE.

T24N, R14W, SEC. 22, NW1/4, NWSE.

Manistee County, Advertised Price \$48,652.05, 75.5 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.

IN BETWEEN MIX (61-098-11-01) / T25N, R14W, SEC. 15, NWNW.

Benzie County, Advertised Price \$6,512.27, 15.0 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.

LAST CALL ASPEN (61-106-11-01) / T24N, R13W, SEC. 19, NWSW,NESW,SWSW,SESW,NESE,SWSE.

T24N, R13W, SEC. 30, NENW, NWNW.

T24N, R14W, SEC. 35, SWNW, SENW, NESW.

Manistee County, Advertised Price \$23,191.30, 96.0 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.

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

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

Bids must be received by the Unit Manager, TRAVERSE CITY OFFICE, 970 EMERSON, TRAVERSE CITY, MI 49696, no later than 2:00 p.m. (local time) on May 17, 2012. For further information concerning this sale, contact Dave Lemmien at 231-922-5280.

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

SLUGBUG ASPEN (61-060-11-01)

T25N, R14W, SEC. 03.

Benzie County (Advertised Price \$39,939.94)

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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:

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
B. T. Aspen	95.00 MBF	\$ 59.30 / MBF
Red Maple	31.40 MBF	\$ 123.00 / MBF
White Pine	40.90 MBF	\$ 69.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
B. T. Aspen	984.30 Cords	\$ 20.15 / Cord
Red Maple	125.20 Cords	\$ 21.00 / Cord
White Pine	288.00 Cords	\$ 8.25 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$2,783.29:

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Mixed Hardwood	10.90 MBF	\$ 150.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Mixed Hardwood	80.30 Cords	\$ 14.30 / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 8.35 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 **\$1,997.00** 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:

<u>PAYMENT UNIT NUMBER</u>	<u>PERCENT OF TOTAL SALE VALUE</u>
01	46%
02	27%
03	27%
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: Slugbug Aspen Sale Number: 61-060-11-01

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 paint and Aylsworth road along the north edge of unit one. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. Do not cut painted boundary line trees.

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

2.1.1 - Clearcut unit(s) with unmerchantable trees (8/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, 2, and 3, cut all aspen, red maple, and mixed hardwood trees that are one (1) inch or more in diameter measured at a point four and one-half (4-1/2) feet above ground level regardless of merchantability. Special protection trees identified in accordance with condition 3.4.2, within clearcutting unit boundaries, are not Included Timber and are to be protected. Special protection areas identified in accordance with condition 3.4.3, within clearcutting unit boundaries, are not Included Timber and are to be protected.

2.1.6 - Removal from below unit(s) (8/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 and 3, all white pine trees with DBH equal to or less than 14 inches which meet minimum piece specifications in 2.2 Utilization, are designated for cutting. Within Payment Unit 2, all white pine trees with DBH equal to or less than 17 inches which meet minimum piece specifications in 2.2 Utilization, are designated for cutting. Special protection trees identified in accordance with condition 3.4.2, within clearcutting unit boundaries, are not Included Timber and are to be protected. Special protection areas identified in accordance with condition 3.4.3, within clearcutting unit boundaries, are not Included Timber and are to be protected.

2.1.11 - Description of timber note (2/04)

Note that Mixed Hardwood = basswood, black cherry, ash, ironwood, and sugar maple.

3 - Payments

3.4 - Damaged Timber

3.4.2 - Special Protection Trees (8/11)

The Purchaser shall not cut live or dead special protection trees within cutting units or clearings. Special protection trees are marked with green paint. The Purchaser shall protect special protection trees from damage by the Purchaser's operations. If the Purchaser's operations have cut or damaged special protection trees through carelessness, the Purchaser shall pay \$25 as fixed, agreed and liquidated damages for each special protection tree cut or damaged. Such payment does not constitute ownership of the undesignated timber.

3.4.3 - Special Protection Areas (8/11)

The Purchaser shall protect special protection areas from damage by the Purchaser's operations. Special protection areas are marked with red boundary lines in unit one (1). There are three small special protection areas in unit 1. The Purchaser shall not cut live or dead trees within special protection areas. The Purchaser shall not operate any harvesting equipment within these areas unless authorized by the DNR sale administrator.

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. Any road work must be authorized by the DNR sale administrator prior to beginning work. 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.

5 - Operations

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.

5.2.4 - Dead and Down Creation

5.2.4.3 - Dead and down creation, dead trees (6/07)

Except as provided for in General Condition and Requirement 5.2.2, no dead trees, standing or down, are to be cut, skidded, or processed.

5.2.4.4 - Dead and down creation, grouse (9/09)

To encourage grouse and other wildlife, in Payment Unit(s) 1, 2, and 3, leave one, 12" diameter or larger log-length (8 foot minimum) piece on the ground for every 2 acres (18 in unit 1, 11 in unit 2, 11 in unit 3). These will be evenly scattered throughout the cut unit. This can be an unmerchantable piece or a full tree.



TIMBER SALE MAP

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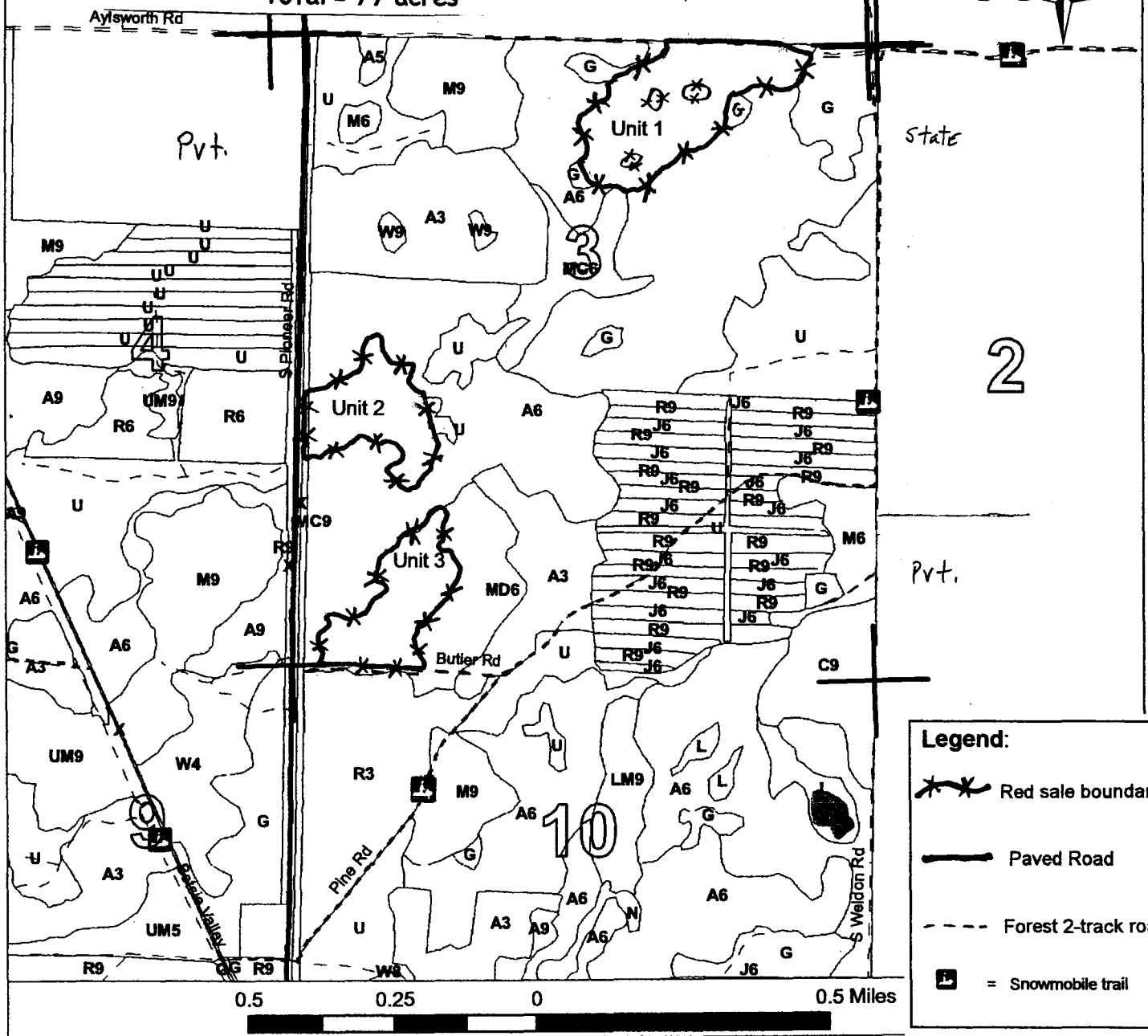
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Forest Management Unit Traverse City		County Grand Traverse	Mapped By Craig Allen	Date 10/14/11	Page 1	of 1
Township 25N	Range 14W	Section(s) and Subdivision(s) 3 ; W1/2SW, N1/2NE		1:15,840		

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

"Slugbug Aspen"

Unit 1 = 35 acres, Unit 2 = 21 acres, Unit 3 = 21 acres
Total = 77 acres



- Legend:**
- Red sale boundary
 - Paved Road
 - Forest 2-track road
 - = Snowmobile trail

TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

CREEKSIDE ASPEN (61-088-11-01)

T24N, R14W, SEC. 13; T24N, R14W, SEC. 23; T24N, R14W, SEC. 24.

Manistee County (Advertised Price \$40,374.30)

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<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
B. T. Aspen	119.20 MBF	\$ 59.00 / MBF
Red Maple	23.10 MBF	\$ 123.00 / MBF
Sugar Maple	9.80 MBF	\$ 261.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
B. T. Aspen	829.00 Cords	\$ 19.90 / Cord
Red Maple	186.00 Cords	\$ 20.10 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$7,706.70:

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Black Cherry	10.10 MBF	\$ 190.00 / MBF
Q. Aspen	1.10 MBF	\$ 80.00 / MBF
White Pine	16.30 MBF	\$ 69.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Balsam Fir	14.00 Cords	\$ 21.25 / Cord
Black Cherry	101.00 Cords	\$ 14.15 / Cord
Q. Aspen	73.00 Cords	\$ 17.90 / Cord
Sugar Maple	57.00 Cords	\$ 14.75 / Cord
White Pine	86.00 Cords	\$ 8.15 / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 12.86 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 **\$2,020.00** 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:

<u>PAYMENT UNIT NUMBER</u>	<u>PERCENT OF TOTAL SALE VALUE</u>
01	37%
02	23%
03	19%
04	21%
4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 03/31/2014.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Creekside Aspen Sale Number: 61-088-11-01

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.

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

2.1.1 - Clearcut unit(s) with unmerchantable trees (8/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1-4, 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 for birch, cedar, balsam fir, hemlock and trees marked with green paint. Exceptions; in unit 1, cut all balsam fir that will yield two or more 100" pulp sticks, but do not cut white pine or black cherry. Special protection trees identified in accordance with condition 3.4.2, within clearcutting unit boundaries, are not Included Timber and are to be protected.

2.2 - Utilization

2.2.2 - Chipping required (1/11)

This area must be chip harvested. The purchaser has the option to produce sawlogs or pulpwood bolts, but the remaining portion of the trees must be chipped. Do not chip 1/6 to 1/3 of the slash from harvested trees (tree tops and limbs less than four inches in diameter).

3 - Payments

3.4 - Damaged Timber

3.4.2 - Special Protection Trees (8/11)

The Purchaser shall not cut live or dead special protection trees within cutting units or clearings. Special protection trees are marked with green paint and all birch, cedar, and balsam fir. The Purchaser shall protect special protection trees from damage by the Purchaser's operations. If the Purchaser's operations have cut or damaged special protection trees through carelessness, the Purchaser shall pay \$25.00 as fixed, agreed and liquidated damages for each special protection tree cut or damaged. Such payment does not constitute ownership of the undesignated timber.

5 - Operations

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.

5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

5.2.3.1 - Operating restrictions (9/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) all sale activities will be limited to the period of 10/01 to 03/31. This restriction is to ensure adequate regeneration.

5.2.41 - Snowmobile trail protection (9/11)

The snowmobile trail is shown on the Timber Sale Map. Do not cut or damage posts with orange trail markers or traffic control signs. The snowmobile trail may not be used for any timber sale operations. The snowmobile trail may only be crossed in locations designated by the Timber Sale Administrator.

6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

6.2 - Signing

6.2.2 - Snowmobile trail posting (8/09)

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on the snowmobile trail prior to beginning operations during the snowmobile season (approximately December 1 to March 31). The trail 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.



TIMBER SALE MAP

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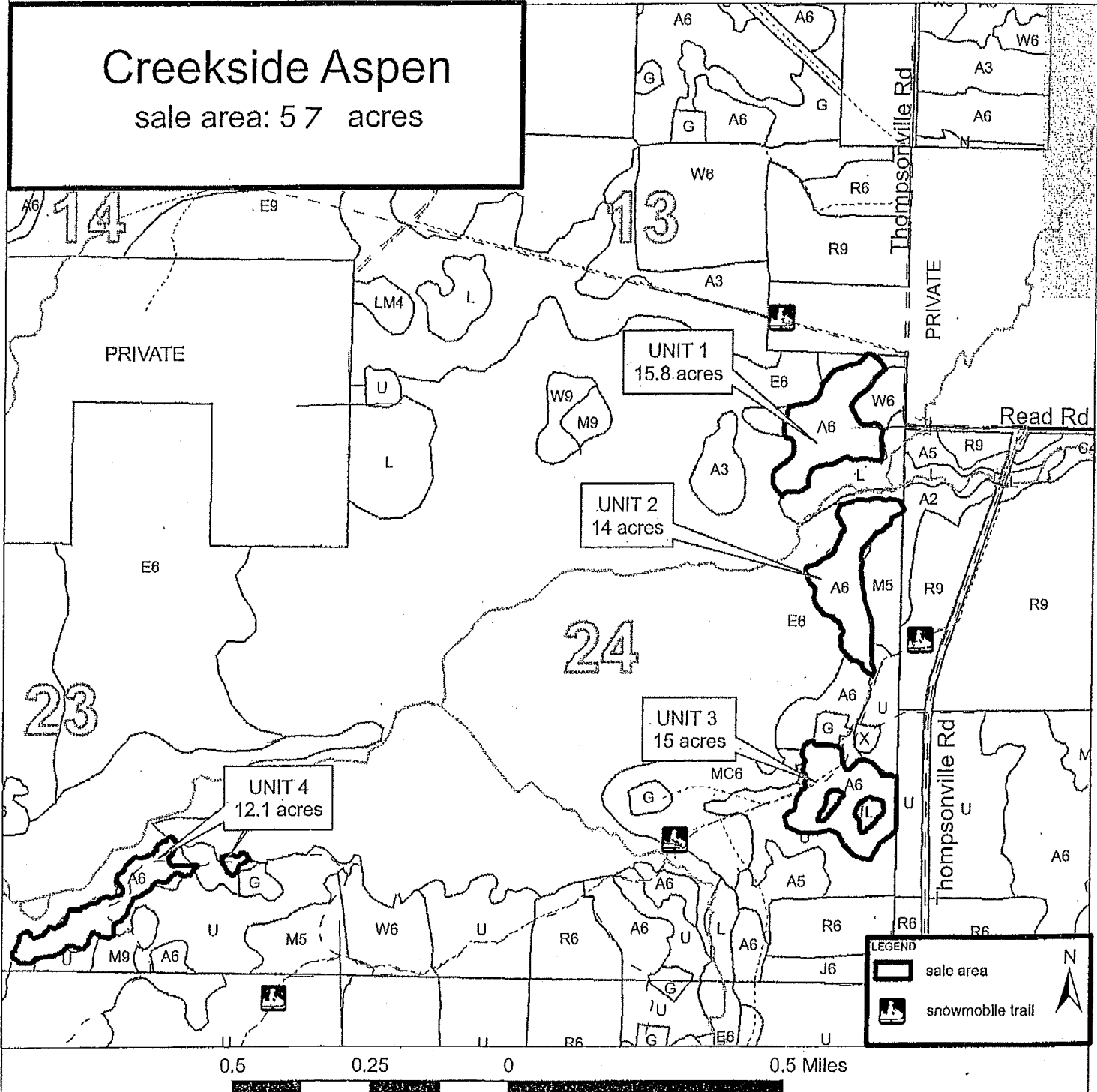
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Forest Management Unit Traverse City	County Manistee	Mapped By Scott Lint	Date 9/16/2011	Page 1	of 2
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Township T24N	Range R14W	Section(s) and Subdivision(s) 13 - SESE 23 - SESW, S1/2SE1/4 24 - E1/2NE1/4, E1/2SE1/4	1:15,840
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Creekside Aspen
sale area: 57 acres



TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

HENRY ASPEN (61-090-11-01)

T24N, R14W, SEC. 14; T24N, R14W, SEC. 15; T24N, R14W, SEC. 22.

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Sawlogs		
Mixed Aspen	71.50 MBF	\$ 88.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Mixed Aspen	1,375.00 Cords	\$ 22.65 / Cord
Red Maple	341.00 Cords	\$ 18.85 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$4,788.45:

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Red Maple	14.40 MBF	\$ 115.00 / MBF
White Pine	1.80 MBF	\$ 65.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Black Cherry	171.00 Cords	\$ 13.25 / Cord
White Pine	98.00 Cords	\$ 7.65 / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 9.54 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 **\$2,433.00** 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	23%
02	47%
03	30%
4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 03/31/2014.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Henry Aspen Sale Number: 61-090-11-01

1 - Sale Area

1.2 - Boundaries

1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (12/08)

The sale boundary is marked and identified by red paint.

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

2.1.1 - Clearcut unit(s) with unmerchantable trees (8/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, 2, and 3, 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 for the following: in unit 1, do not cut any black cherry or trees marked with green paint. In unit 2, do not cut any any black ash or black cherry that are greater than 10 inches in diameter at a point measured four and one-half (4 1/2) feet above ground level. Also, do not cut any conifers. In unit 3, do not cut any conifers or any black cherry, Special protection trees identified in accordance with condition 3.4.2, within clearcutting unit boundaries, are not Included Timber and are to be protected.

2.2 - Utilization

2.2.2 - Chipping required (1/11)

This area must be chip harvested to facilitate future silvicultural activities. The purchaser has the option to produce sawlogs or pulpwood bolts, but the remaining portion of the trees must be chipped and hauled. Do not chip 1/6 to 1/3 of the slash from harvested trees (tree tops and limbs less than four inches in diameter).

3 - Payments

3.4 - Damaged Timber

3.4.2 - Special Protection Trees (8/11)

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4 - Transportation

4.1 - Construction

4.1.5 - Culverts (3/11)

Roads may require the installation of culverts at cross drainages on wet soils, or across natural drainage-ways. Culverts shall be placed in locations specified by the sale administrator and shall be new, corrugated metal or plastic gauge. Culverts will be a minimum of 18 inches in diameter and 24 feet in length. Culverts shall be installed prior to use of the road. If culverts are removed, fill shall be removed from wetland soils as specified. Soils shall be maintained and left in a non-erodible condition, with water bars, seed, fertilizer, mulch, and slash installed as directed by the sale administrator and as specified in the BMP manual. Stream crossing permits, if needed, will be obtained by the DNR. Note: this applies to access for unit 3.

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.

5.2 - Conduct of Operations

5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

5.2.3.1 - Operating restrictions (12/08)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, 2, and 3, unless changed by written agreement, cutting, skidding, and hauling are limited to the

period of 10/01 to 03/31. This restriction is because of seasonal flooding in units 2 and 3 and to help insure adequate regeneration.

5.2.4 - Dead and Down Creation

5.2.4.3 - Dead and down creation, dead trees (6/07)

Except as provided for in General Condition and Requirement 5.2.2, no dead trees, standing or down, are to be cut, skidded, or processed.



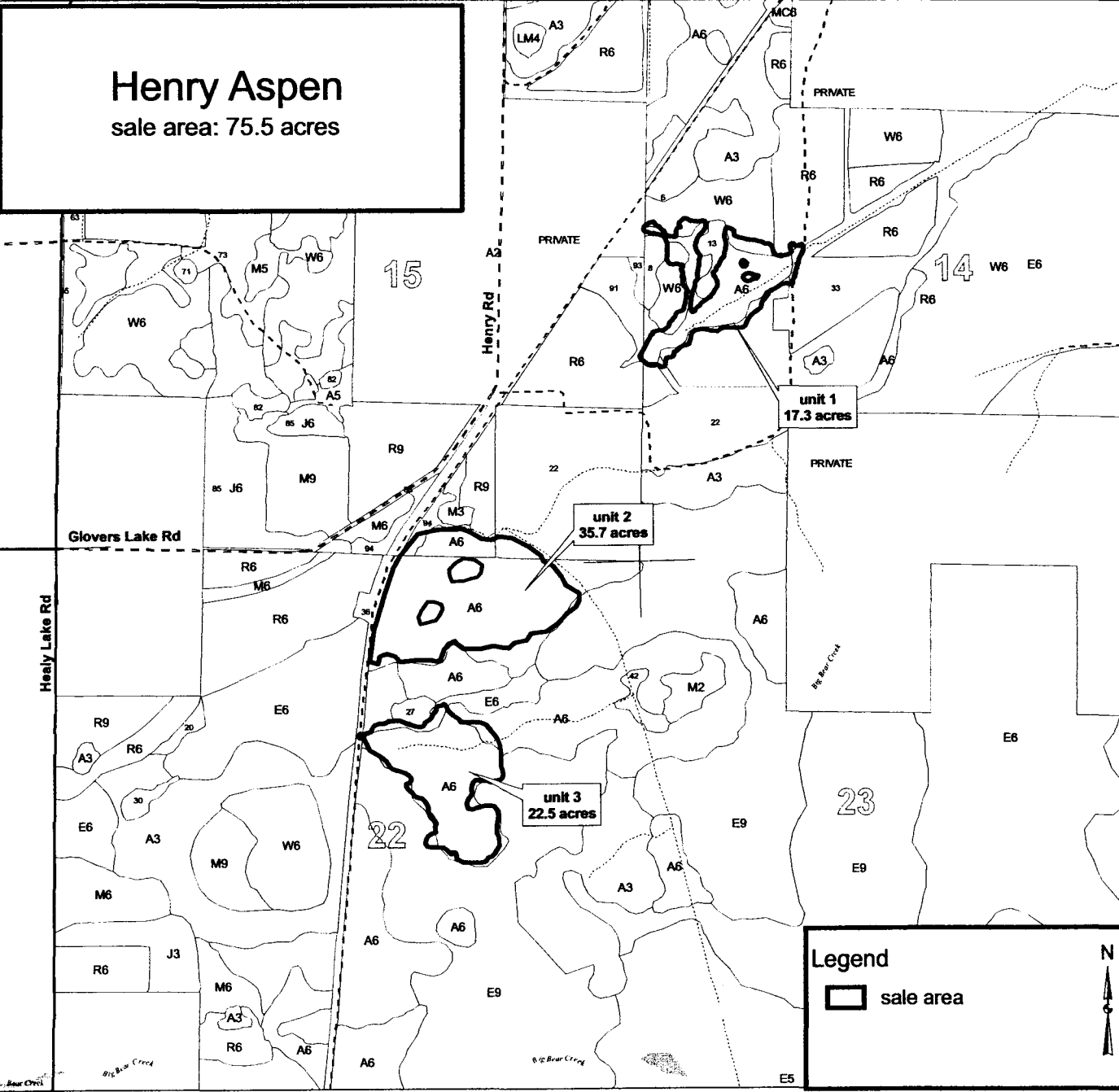
TIMBER SALE MAP

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SALE NUMBER	YEAR
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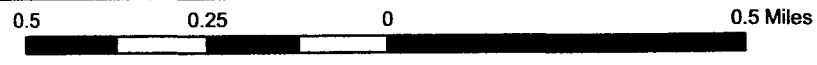
FOREST MANAGEMENT UNIT	COUNTY	MAPPED BY
Traverse City	Manistee	Scott Lint
TOWNSHIP	RANGE	SECTION(S) AND SUBDIVISION(S)
TN 24	RW 14	14 - NWSW, SWNW 15 - S1/2SE 22 - NW1/4, NWSE
		CRUISED BY
		Scott Lint
		Scale
		1:15,840

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



Legend

□ sale area



TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

IN BETWEEN MIX (61-098-11-01)

T25N, R14W, SEC. 15.

Benzie County (Advertised Price \$6,512.27)

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:

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
B. T. Aspen	8.50 MBF	\$ 56.00 / MBF
Mixed Hardwood	26.10 MBF	\$ 140.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
B. T. Aspen	52.00 Cords	\$ 18.15 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	85.40 Cords	\$ 12.90 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$336.81:

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
White Pine	3.60 MBF	\$ 65.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
White Pine	13.80 Cords	\$ 7.45 / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 43.09 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 **\$326.00** 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:

<u>PAYMENT UNIT NUMBER</u>	<u>PERCENT OF TOTAL SALE VALUE</u>
01	63%
02	37%
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: In Between Mix Sale Number: 61-098-11-01

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 lands are marked with red paint. Interior Payment Unit boundaries are marked with yellow paint (see attached map). Do not cut painted boundary line trees.

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.

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 2, all aspen, sugar and red maple, cherry, ironwood, and basswood are designated for cutting regardless of merchantability. Special protection trees, identified in accordance with condition 3.4.2, are not Included Timber and are to be protected. Special protection trees are marked with green paint. Also in Payment Unit 2, only cut white pine trees marked with orange paint.

2.1.11 - Description of timber note (2/04)

Note that MIXED HARDWOOD = basswood, cherry, red maple, sugar maple and ironwood.

2.2 - Utilization

2.2.6 - Roundwood operation required (5/07)

The skidding of whole trees or tree segments with limbs attached is prohibited within Payment Unit(s) 1 and 2 unless approved by the Unit Manager or his/her representative. All products must be produced as roundwood and forwarded to existing roads or landing areas in final product length.

3 - Payments

3.4 - Damaged Timber

3.4.2 - Special Protection Trees (8/11)

The Purchaser shall not cut live or dead special protection trees within cutting units or clearings. Special protection trees are marked with green paint. The Purchaser shall protect special protection trees from damage by the Purchaser's operations. If the Purchaser's operations have cut or damaged special protection trees through carelessness, the Purchaser shall pay \$25 as fixed, agreed and liquidated damages for each special protection tree cut or damaged. Such payment does not constitute ownership of the undesignated 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 chipped, utilized or otherwise removed from the sale. 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.

5 - Operations

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.

5.2.4 - Dead and Down Creation

5.2.4.3 - Dead and down creation, dead trees (6/07)

Except as provided for in General Condition and Requirement 5.2.2, no dead trees, standing or down, are to be cut, skidded, or processed.



TIMBER SALE MAP

61-098-11-01

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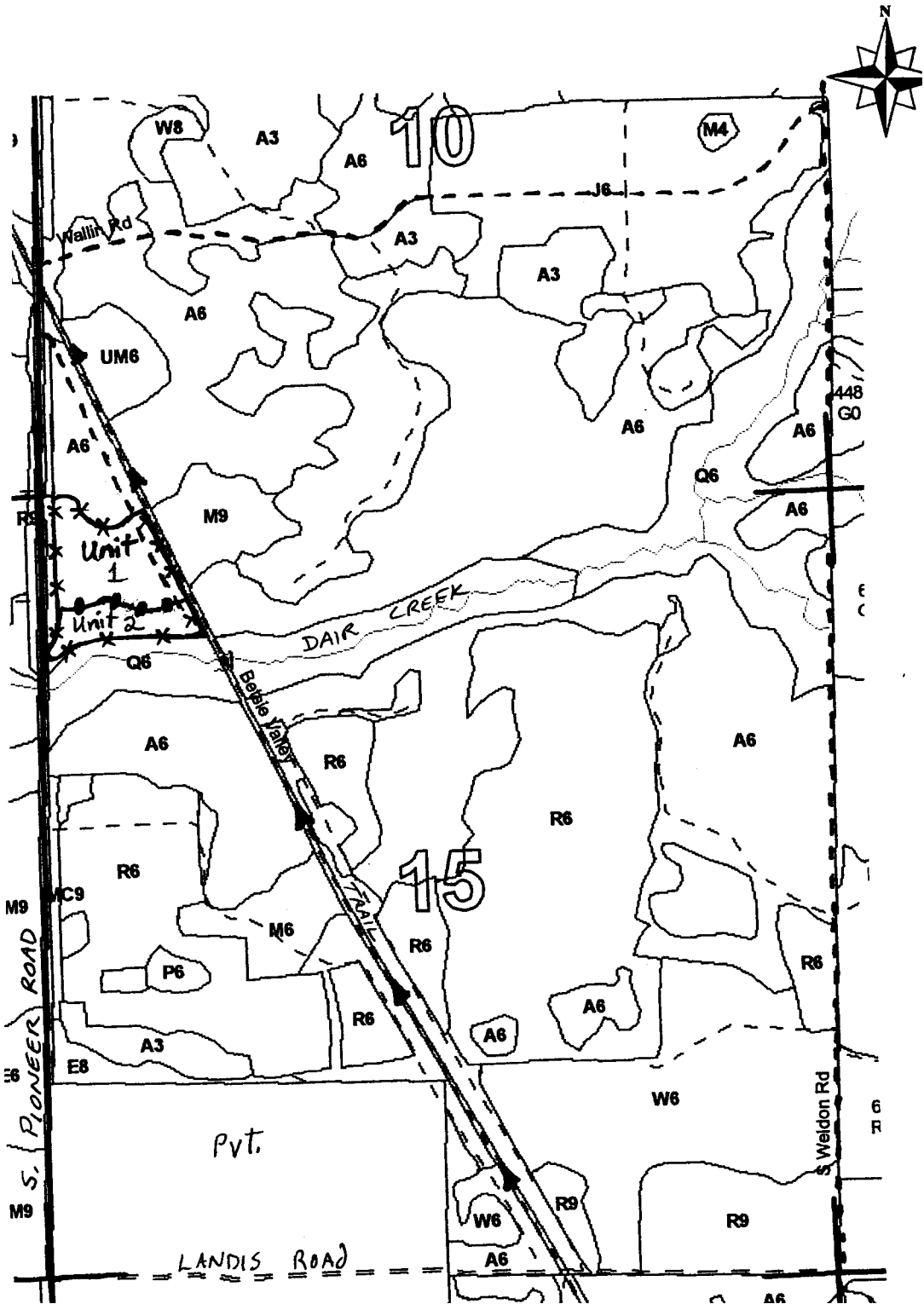
Forest Management Unit Traverse City		County Benzie	Mapped By Craig Allen	Date 10/17/2011	Page 1	of 1
Township 25N	Range 14W	Section(s) and Subdivision(s) 15 - NWNW		Scale 4.75 inches = 1 mile		

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

"In Between Mix"
 Unit 1 = 9.4 acres
 Unit 2 = 5.6 acres
 Total = 15 acres

Legend:

- Red sale boundary
- Yellow sale boundary
- Paved Road
- Forest 2-track road
- Hiking/biking trail (Betsie Vally Trail)



TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

LAST CALL ASPEN (61-106-11-01)

T24N, R13W, SEC. 19; T24N, R13W, SEC. 30; T24N, R14W, SEC. 35.

Manistee County (Advertised Price \$23,191.30)

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:

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Pulpwood		
B. T. Aspen	95.00 Cords	\$ 16.50 / Cord
Black Cherry	122.00 Cords	\$ 9.95 / Cord
Q. Aspen	945.00 Cords	\$ 12.80 / Cord
Red Maple	399.00 Cords	\$ 13.35 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$2,987.25:

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Black Cherry	7.60 MBF	\$ 135.00 / MBF
Q. Aspen	16.10 MBF	\$ 44.00 / MBF
Red Maple	5.80 MBF	\$ 71.00 / MBF
White Ash	1.60 MBF	\$ 44.00 / MBF
White Pine	5.00 MBF	\$ 38.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Balsam Fir	21.00 Cords	\$ 14.60 / Cord
White Ash	12.00 Cords	\$ 11.90 / Cord
White Pine	25.00 Cords	\$ 5.25 / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 11.61 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 **\$1,200.00** 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:

<u>PAYMENT UNIT NUMBER</u>	<u>PERCENT OF TOTAL SALE VALUE</u>
01	22%
02	78%
4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 03/31/2014.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Last Call Aspen Sale Number: 61-106-11-01

1 - Sale Area

1.2 - Boundaries

1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (12/08)

The sale boundary is marked and identified by red paint. Do not cut painted boundary line trees.

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

2.1.1 - Clearcut unit(s) with unmerchantable trees (8/11)

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 EXCEPT SUGAR MAPLE, AMERICAN ELM, BASSWOOD, PAPER BIRCH, CEDAR AND HEMLOCK. These trees are not included timber.

3 - Payments

3.3 - Pre-measured Sales

3.3.4 - Dividing payment units (12/08)

Payment unit(s) 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

4.1.6 - 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, or utilized. 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.

5 - Operations

5.2 - Conduct of Operations

5.2.1 - Slash

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

5.2.3.1 - Operating restrictions (9/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 and 2, unless changed by written agreement, cutting, skidding, and hauling are limited to winter frozen ground conditions. This restriction is to limit rutting on sensitive soils.

5.2.4 - Dead and Down Creation

5.2.4.4 - Dead and down creation, grouse (9/09)

To encourage grouse and other wildlife, in Payment Unit(s) leave one, 12" diameter or larger log-length (8 foot minimum) piece on the ground for every 2 acres. These will be evenly scattered throughout the cut unit. This can be an

unmerchantable piece or a full tree.

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.



TIMBER SALE MAP

61-106-11-01

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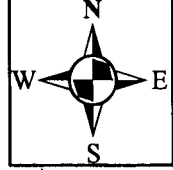
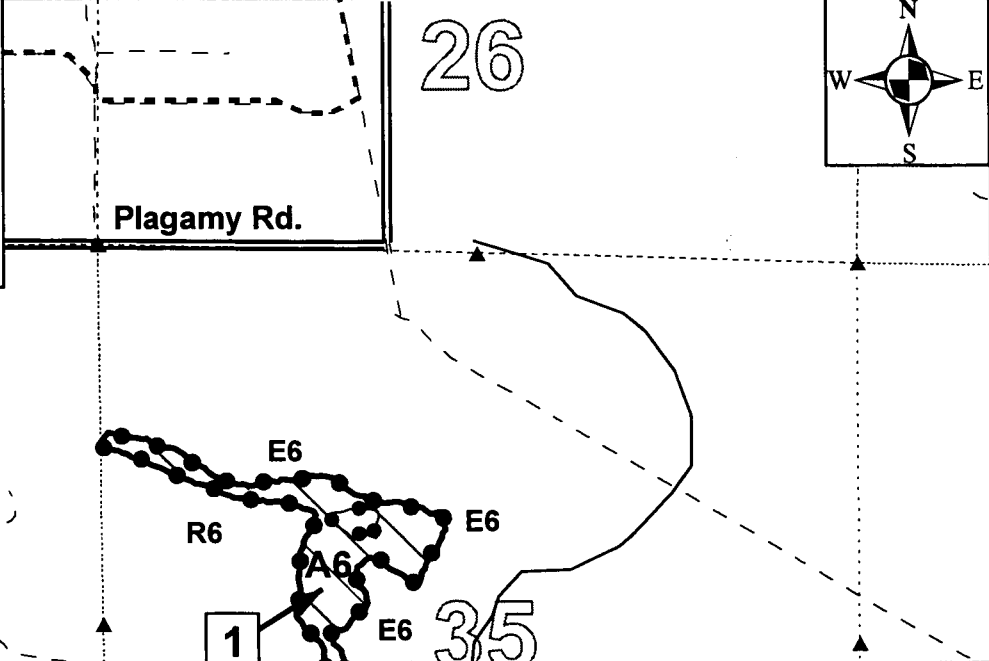
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Forest Management Unit Traverse City Unit		County Manistee	Mapped By Blair Tweedale	Date 9/30/2011	Page 1	of 2
Township T24N	Range R14W	Section(s) and Subdivision(s) SWNW, SENW, NESW of Sec. 35			1:15,840	
Cover Type		Density				
A = Aspen B = Paper 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 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	

Last Call Aspen

Unit 1 20 acres
Unit 2 76 acres

Total 96 acres



Legend

- timber sale area
- gravel road
- dirt road
- poor dirt road
- section lines
- power line
- pipe line
- snowmobile trail
- section corners
- unit number



SLUGBUG ASPEN (61-060-11-01)
T25N, R14W, SEC. 03, Benzie County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 2:00 p.m. (local time) on May 17, 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.

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>	<u>BID PRICE</u>
<u>Sawlogs</u>			
B. T. Aspen	95.00 MBF	\$ 59.30 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
Red Maple	31.40 MBF	\$ 123.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
White Pine	40.90 MBF	\$ 69.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
<u>Pulpwood</u>			
B. T. Aspen	984.30 Cords	\$ 20.15 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord
Red Maple	125.20 Cords	\$ 21.00 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord
White Pine	288.00 Cords	\$ 8.25 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$2,783.29 :

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
<u>Sawlogs</u>		
Mixed Hardwood	10.90 MBF	\$ 150.00 / MBF
<u>Pulpwood</u>		
Mixed Hardwood	80.30 Cords	\$ 14.30 / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 8.35 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.

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 SECURITY NUMBER: _____

Company or individual bidding: _____

Company representative's name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

IF AVAILABLE, PLEASE PLACE THE PERSONALIZED LABEL FROM YOUR PROSPECTUS IN THE ABOVE BOX.

Individual or company representative's signature: _____ Date: _____

Phone number : _____ Email (optional): _____



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 typed or printed except for written signatures.

Please Check Appropriate Categories:

1. My business is organized as (you **must** check one of the boxes below):
 - A. Sole Proprietorship (individual)
 - B. Partnership
 - C. Corporation
2. You **must** check one 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 than yourself, including family members and active partners (if none, you must enter "0").

_____ Full-time Employees

_____ Part-time Employees

Name of Business		Federal ID (or) Social Security No.
Address		Telephone ()
City	State	ZIP

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

Title

Date

CREEKSIDE ASPEN (61-088-11-01)

T24N, R14W, SEC. 13; T24N, R14W, SEC. 23; T24N, R14W, SEC. 24, Manistee County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 2:00 p.m. (local time) on May 17, 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.

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>	<u>BID PRICE</u>
Sawlogs			
B. T. Aspen	119.20 MBF	\$ 59.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
Red Maple	23.10 MBF	\$ 123.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
Sugar Maple	9.80 MBF	\$ 261.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
Pulpwood			
B. T. Aspen	829.00 Cords	\$ 19.90 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord
Red Maple	186.00 Cords	\$ 20.10 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$7,706.70 :

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Black Cherry	10.10 MBF	\$ 190.00 / MBF
Q. Aspen	1.10 MBF	\$ 80.00 / MBF
White Pine	16.30 MBF	\$ 69.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Balsam Fir	14.00 Cords	\$ 21.25 / Cord
Black Cherry	101.00 Cords	\$ 14.15 / Cord
Q. Aspen	73.00 Cords	\$ 17.90 / Cord
Sugar Maple	57.00 Cords	\$ 14.75 / Cord
White Pine	86.00 Cords	\$ 8.15 / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 12.86 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.

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 SECURITY NUMBER: _____

Company or individual bidding: _____

Company representative's name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

IF AVAILABLE, PLEASE PLACE THE PERSONALIZED LABEL FROM YOUR PROSPECTUS IN THE ABOVE BOX.

Individual or company representative's signature: _____ Date: _____

Phone number : _____ Email (optional): _____

THE WINNING BIDDER MUST COMPLETE THE VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE (ON REVERSE SIDE IF DOUBLE SIDED) WITHIN 21 DAYS OF SALE AWARD DATE



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 typed or printed except for written signatures.

Please Check Appropriate Categories:

1. My business is organized as (you **must** check one of the boxes below):
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 - B. Partnership
 - C. Corporation
2. You **must** check one 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 than yourself, including family members and active partners (if none, you must enter "0").

_____ Full-time Employees

_____ Part-time Employees

Name of Business		Federal ID (or) Social Security No.
Address		Telephone ()
City	State	ZIP

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

Title

Date

HENRY ASPEN (61-090-11-01)

T24N, R14W, SEC. 14; T24N, R14W, SEC. 15; T24N, R14W, SEC. 22, Manistee County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 2:00 p.m. (local time) on May 17, 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.

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>	<u>BID PRICE</u>
Sawlogs			
Mixed Aspen	71.50 MBF	\$ 88.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
Pulpwood			
Mixed Aspen	1,375.00 Cords	\$ 22.65 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord
Red Maple	341.00 Cords	\$ 18.85 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$4,788.45 :

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Red Maple	14.40 MBF	\$ 115.00 / MBF
White Pine	1.80 MBF	\$ 65.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Black Cherry	171.00 Cords	\$ 13.25 / Cord
White Pine	98.00 Cords	\$ 7.65 / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 9.54 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.

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 SECURITY NUMBER: _____ - _____ - _____ Company or individual bidding: _____ Company representative's name: _____ Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

IF AVAILABLE, PLEASE PLACE THE PERSONALIZED LABEL FROM YOUR PROSPECTUS IN THE ABOVE BOX.

Individual or company representative's signature: _____ Date: _____

Phone number : _____ Email (optional): _____

THE WINNING BIDDER MUST COMPLETE THE VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE (ON REVERSE SIDE IF DOUBLE SIDED) WITHIN 21 DAYS OF SALE AWARD DATE



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

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Please Check Appropriate Categories:

1. My business is organized as (you **must** check one of the boxes below):
 - A. Sole Proprietorship (individual)
 - B. Partnership
 - C. Corporation
2. You **must** check one 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 than yourself, including family members and active partners (if none, you must enter "0").

_____ Full-time Employees

_____ Part-time Employees

Name of Business		Federal ID (or) Social Security No.
Address		Telephone ()
City	State	ZIP

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

Title

Date

BID FORM

IN BETWEEN MIX (61-098-11-01)
T25N, R14W, SEC. 15, Benzie County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 2:00 p.m. (local time) on May 17, 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.

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>	<u>BID PRICE</u>
Sawlogs			
B. T. Aspen	8.50 MBF	\$ 56.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
Mixed Hardwood	26.10 MBF	\$ 140.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
Pulpwood			
B. T. Aspen	52.00 Cords	\$ 18.15 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	85.40 Cords	\$ 12.90 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$336.81 :

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
White Pine	3.60 MBF	\$ 65.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
White Pine	13.80 Cords	\$ 7.45 / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 43.09 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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FEDERAL ID: _____ - _____ or SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER: _____ - _____ - _____

Company or individual bidding: _____

Company representative's name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

IF AVAILABLE, PLEASE PLACE THE PERSONALIZED LABEL FROM YOUR PROSPECTUS IN THE ABOVE BOX.

Individual or company representative's signature: _____ Date: _____

Phone number : _____ Email (optional): _____



TIMBER SALE

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Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative

Title

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LAST CALL ASPEN (61-106-11-01)

T24N, R13W, SEC. 19; T24N, R13W, SEC. 30; T24N, R14W, SEC. 35, Manistee County

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Pulpwood			
B. T. Aspen	95.00 Cords	\$ 16.50 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord
Black Cherry	122.00 Cords	\$ 9.95 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord
Q. Aspen	945.00 Cords	\$ 12.80 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord
Red Maple	399.00 Cords	\$ 13.35 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$2,987.25 :

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Black Cherry	7.60 MBF	\$ 135.00 / MBF
Q. Aspen	16.10 MBF	\$ 44.00 / MBF
Red Maple	5.80 MBF	\$ 71.00 / MBF
White Ash	1.60 MBF	\$ 44.00 / MBF
White Pine	5.00 MBF	\$ 38.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Balsam Fir	21.00 Cords	\$ 14.60 / Cord
White Ash	12.00 Cords	\$ 11.90 / Cord
White Pine	25.00 Cords	\$ 5.25 / Cord

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Company or individual bidding: _____

Company representative's name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

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