



**DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES  
STATE OF MICHIGAN**

**TIMBER SALE PROSPECTUS #4834**

SCHEDULED SALE DATE AND TIME: 3:00 p.m. (local time) on January 16, 2013.

LOCATION: GAYLORD FIELD OFFICE, 1732 WEST M-32, GAYLORD, MI 49735.

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

TENACIOUS TURKEY HDWDS (52-014-12-01) / T31N, R05W, SEC. 01, NW1/4, NWSW, E1/2SE, SWSE.  
T31N, R05W, SEC. 12, NENE.

Antrim County, Advertised Price \$41,630.20, 119.0 Acres

SALE NOTE: North Country Trail runs along northern boundary of sale.

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.

HARBINGER HARDWOODS (52-015-12-01) / T31N, R05W, SEC. 10, E1/2NE, NWSE, S1/2SW, NESW.  
T31N, R05W, SEC. 10, SENW.  
T31N, R05W, SEC. 11, W1/2NW.

Antrim County, Advertised Price \$27,170.90, 75.0 Acres

SALE NOTE: Access will be from north, off Greiger Road.

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.

TWO OWLS HARDWOODS (52-020-12-01) / T31N, R05W, SEC. 03, N1/2 & S1/2SE1/4.  
T31N, R05W, SEC. 10, N1/2NE1/4.

Antrim County, Advertised Price \$100,671.60, 173.0 Acres

SALE NOTE: There is a good volume of Northern Hardwood sawlogs within this sale. Access is good by way of seasonal county roads and pipeline access routes.

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.

REDO RED PINE (52-018-11-01) / T29N, R02W, SEC. 02, SWNE, NWNE, NWSE, SENW.

Otsego County, Advertised Price \$20,123.85, 35.0 Acres

SALE NOTE: This sale must be chip-harvested to facilitate silvicultural activities.

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. 10/18/2012):

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

Bids must be received by the Unit Manager, GAYLORD OFFICE, 1732 WEST M-32, GAYLORD, MI 49735, no later than 3:00 p.m. (local time) on January 16, 2013. For further information concerning this sale, contact Joyce Angel at 989-732-3541 extension 5440.

### 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 (10/12)

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/timber](http://www.michigan.gov/timber). 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.

KEITH CREAGH

Director



## TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

### TENACIOUS TURKEY HDWDS (52-014-12-01)

T31N, R05W, SEC. 01; T31N, R05W, SEC. 12.

Antrim County (Advertised Price \$41,630.20)

SALE NOTE: North Country Trail runs along northern boundary of sale.

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 &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Basswood	89.50 MBF	\$ 106.00 / MBF
Beech	17.70 MBF	\$ 149.00 / MBF
Sugar Maple	32.00 MBF	\$ 477.00 / MBF
White Ash	43.50 MBF	\$ 72.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Basswood	232.00 Cords	\$ 9.15 / Cord
Mixed Aspen	129.00 Cords	\$ 18.55 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	291.00 Cords	\$ 18.05 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$1,341.60:

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Mixed Aspen	17.20 MBF	\$ 78.00 / MBF

\* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 18.27 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 **\$2,100.00** 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	24%
02	30%
03	22%
04	7%
05	17%
4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 12/31/2015.

## Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Tenacious Turkey Hdwds Sale Number: 52-014-12-01

### 1 - Sale Area

#### 1.2 - Boundaries

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

The sale boundary and Payment Unit boundaries are marked and identified by 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

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 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.

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, 2, 3, and 5, 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 unless approved by the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

### 3 - Payments

#### 3.3 - Pre-measured Sales

##### 3.3.4 - Dividing payment units (12/08)

Payment unit(s) 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.

Damage is not acceptable to merchantable trees. Within the sale area, if more than 5% of trees (> 4.5" DBH) within a specified area of the sale are damaged, liquidated damages will be assessed for all trees damaged. Rates will be in accordance with General Condition and Requirement 3.4 Damaged Timber.

### 4 - Transportation

#### 4.1 - Construction

##### 4.1.7 - Road closure (10/11)

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 of stumps and logs covered with earth. These roads must be rendered impassable to cars and trucks. All stumps from road building and landing construction must be reserved to block any newly constructed roads upon completion of the sale. These stumps must be scattered along the road system to prohibit vehicular movement.

##### 4.1.11 - Permits (2/12)

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

## 4.2 - Maintenance

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

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

## 5 - Operations

### 5.1 - Notification

#### 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.

#### 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 15 feet back from the blue paint line.

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

Slash is to be disposed of as directed by the sale administrator.

#### 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, and 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 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](http://www.michigan.gov/dnr).)

#### 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) 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 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.

##### 5.2.29 - Shrub protection (9/07)

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

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

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

### 5.4 - Soil Protection

#### 5.4.1 - Rutting restriction, general (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.

#### 5.4.2 - Skid trails (2/04)

Skid trails up and down slopes should be avoided. If however this is unavoidable, these trails will be left in a non-erodible condition using water bars, logs, and slash. Placing of slash on these skid trails while logging is ongoing may alleviate need for any further action. At the direction of the sale administrator, seed, fertilizer, and mulch may also be required.

#### 5.4.3 - Erosion control (12/08)

Skid trails or haul roads may require erosion control structures or berms per direction of the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

### 5.8 - Protection of Endangered Species

#### 5.8.5 - Protection of raptor nests (4/09)

All trees with raptor nests will be protected if found during harvesting operations. Notification will be made to the Unit Manager or his/her representative who will notify the Wildlife Biologist so an on-site evaluation and recommendation can be made, if necessary.

## 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 North Country Pathway (Geim Rd) 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.





Sale Number	Year
014	2012

# TIMBER SALE MAP

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

Forest Management Unit <b>GAYLORD</b>	County <b>ANTRIM</b>	Mapped By <b>LUCAS MERRICK</b>	Date <b>6/18/2012</b>	Page <b>1</b>	of <b>1</b>
Township <b>T31N</b>	Range <b>R05W</b>	Section(s) and Subdivision(s) <b>Sec 1 - NW1/4, NWSW, E1/2SE, SWSE. Sec 12 - NENE</b>		1:15,840	

### Cover Type

A = Aspen	G = Grass	O = Oak	U = Upland Brush
B = Paper Birch	H = Hemlock	P = Lowland Poplar	V = Bog or Marsh
C = Cedar	J = Jack Pine	Q = Mixed Swamp Confr	W = White Pine
D = Treed Bog	L = Lowland Brush	R = Red Pine	X = Non Stocked
E = Swamp Hdwoods	M = Mpl. Bch. Brch	S = Black Spruce	Z = Water
F = Spruce Fir	N = Marsh	T = Tamarack	

### Density

0 = Non Stocked	5 = Pole Timber Medium
1 = Seedling Sapling Poor	6 = Pole Timber Well
2 = Seedling Sapling Medium	7 = Saw Timber Poor
3 = Seedling Sapling Well	8 = Saw Timber Medium
4 = Pole Timber Poor	9 = Saw Timber Well

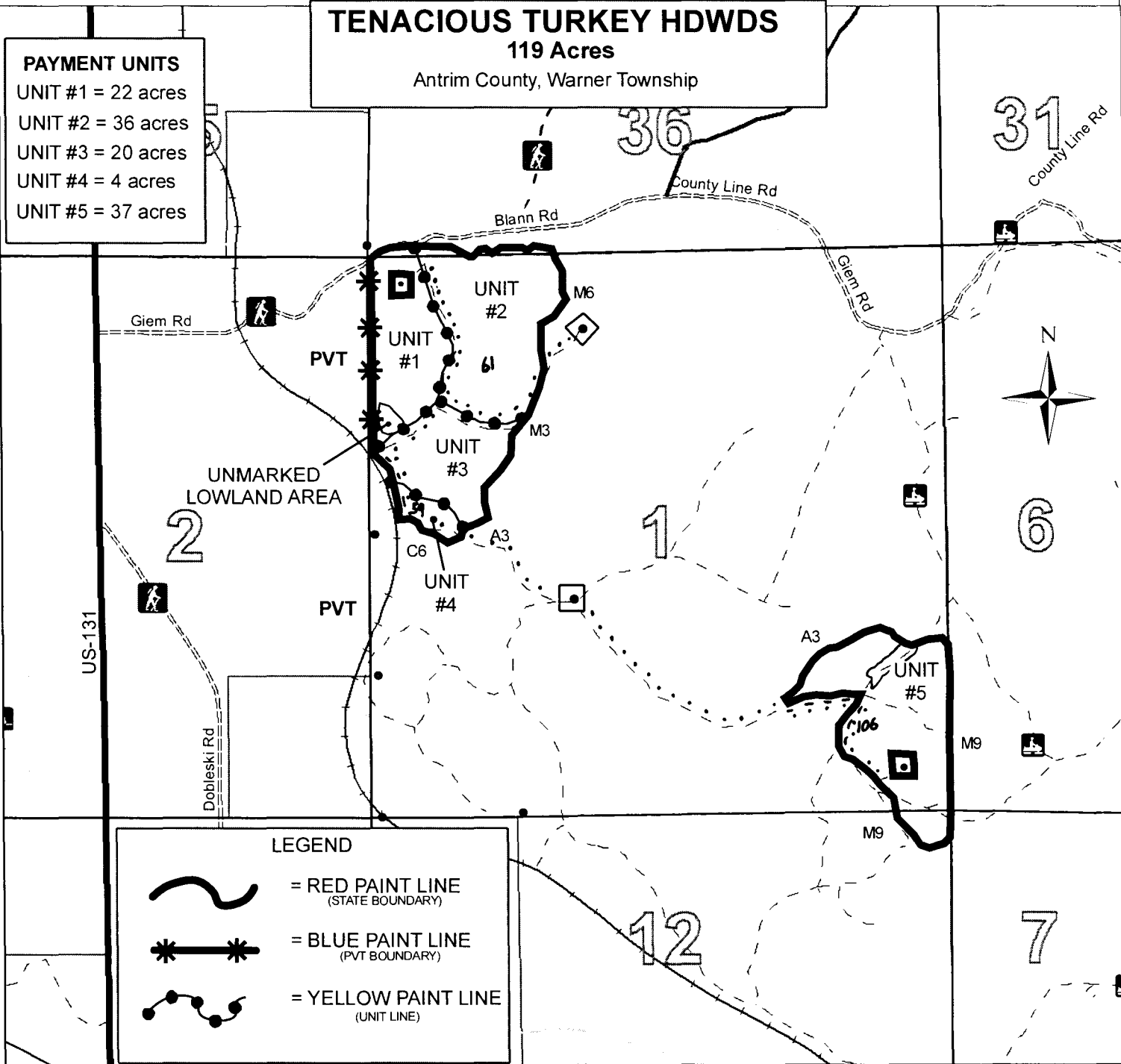
## TENACIOUS TURKEY HDWDS

119 Acres

Antrim County, Warner Township

### PAYMENT UNITS

- UNIT #1 = 22 acres
- UNIT #2 = 36 acres
- UNIT #3 = 20 acres
- UNIT #4 = 4 acres
- UNIT #5 = 37 acres



### LEGEND

- = RED PAINT LINE (STATE BOUNDARY)
- = BLUE PAINT LINE (PVT BOUNDARY)
- = YELLOW PAINT LINE (UNIT LINE)





## TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

HARBINGER HARDWOODS (52-015-12-01)  
 T31N, R05W, SEC. 10; T31N, R05W, SEC. 11.  
 Antrim County (Advertised Price \$27,170.90)

SALE NOTE: Access will be from north, off Greiger Road.

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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 &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
B. T. Aspen	28.80 MBF	\$ 81.00 / MBF
Basswood	29.10 MBF	\$ 106.00 / MBF
Sugar Maple	25.20 MBF	\$ 482.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Basswood	183.00 Cords	\$ 10.40 / Cord
Mixed Aspen	84.00 Cords	\$ 21.05 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	151.00 Cords	\$ 13.60 / Cord
Sugar Maple	327.00 Cords	\$ 8.90 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$971.80:

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Beech	5.00 MBF	\$ 131.00 / MBF
White Ash	4.40 MBF	\$ 72.00 / MBF

\* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 17.56 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 **\$1,400.00** to insure faithful performance of the conditions of the contract will be deposited by the successful bidder within 21 days of the sale award.
2. Cutting in any sale or unit without the required advance payment would be considered a trespass.
3. Total payment 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	10%
02	41%
03	36%
04	13%
4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 12/31/2015.

## Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Harbinger Hardwoods Sale Number: 52-015-12-01

### 1 - Sale Area

#### 1.2 - Boundaries

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

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### 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.

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 4, 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)

Within Payment Unit 4, skidding of unlimbed tops or lengths over 17 feet is not permissible unless approved by the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

### 3 - Payments

#### 3.3 - Pre-measured Sales

##### 3.3.4 - Dividing payment units (12/08)

Payment unit(s) 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.

Damage is not acceptable to merchantable trees. Within the sale area, if more than 5% of trees (> 4.5" DBH) within a specified area of the sale are damaged, liquidated damages will be assessed for all trees damaged. Rates will be in accordance with General Condition and Requirement 3.4 Damaged Timber.

### 4 - Transportation

#### 4.1 - Construction

##### 4.1.7 - Road closure (10/11)

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 of stumps and logs covered with earth. Stumps and brush must be placed along the remainder of the trail. These roads must be rendered impassable to cars and trucks. Contact the sale administrator for specific details of design and placement.

##### 4.1.11 - Permits (2/12)

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

#### 4.2 - Maintenance

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

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

### 5 - Operations

#### 5.1 - Notification

##### 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.

##### 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 15 feet back from the blue paint line.

###### 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.

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

Slash is to be disposed of as directed by DNR sale administrator.

##### 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) 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.

###### 5.2.3.9 - 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 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](http://www.michigan.gov/dnr).)

##### 5.2.4 - Dead and Down Creation

###### 5.2.4.2 - Dead and down creation, hare and grouse (9/10)

To improve habitat for snowshoe hare, grouse, and other species, the Purchaser is to leave two trees, nine (9) inches or larger in diameter on the ground for every two acres. They should be scattered throughout the sale or positioned per the sale administrators instructions. If possible, the logs or trees should be felled so they overlap. Note these pieces should have a minimum length of five feet. They can be of any tree species and can be an un-merchantable piece of wood or a full tree.

###### 5.2.29 - Shrub protection (9/07)

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

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

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

#### 5.4 - Soil Protection

##### 5.4.1 - Rutting restriction, general (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.

#### 5.4.2 - Skid trails (2/04)

Skid trails up and down slopes should be avoided. If however this is unavoidable, these trails will be left in a non-erodible condition using water bars, logs, and slash. Placing of slash on these skid trails while logging is ongoing may alleviate need for any further action. At the direction of the sale administrator, seed, fertilizer, and mulch may also be required.

#### 5.4.3 - Erosion control (12/08)

Skid trails or haul roads may require erosion control structures or berms per direction of the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

#### 5.4.4 - Slope protection (2/04)

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

### 5.8 - Protection of Endangered Species

#### 5.8.5 - Protection of raptor nests (4/09)

All trees with raptor nests will be protected if found during harvesting operations. Notification will be made to the Unit Manager or his/her representative who will notify the Wildlife Biologist so an on-site evaluation and recommendation can be made, if necessary.

## 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 North Country Trail prior to beginning operations. The trail must be posted at appropriate distances from the trail crossings along haul routes 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.



# TIMBER SALE MAP

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Forest Management Unit <b>GAYLORD</b>	County <b>ANTRIM</b>	Mapped By <b>LUCAS MERRICK</b>	Date <b>7/20/2012</b>	Page <b>1</b>	of <b>1</b>
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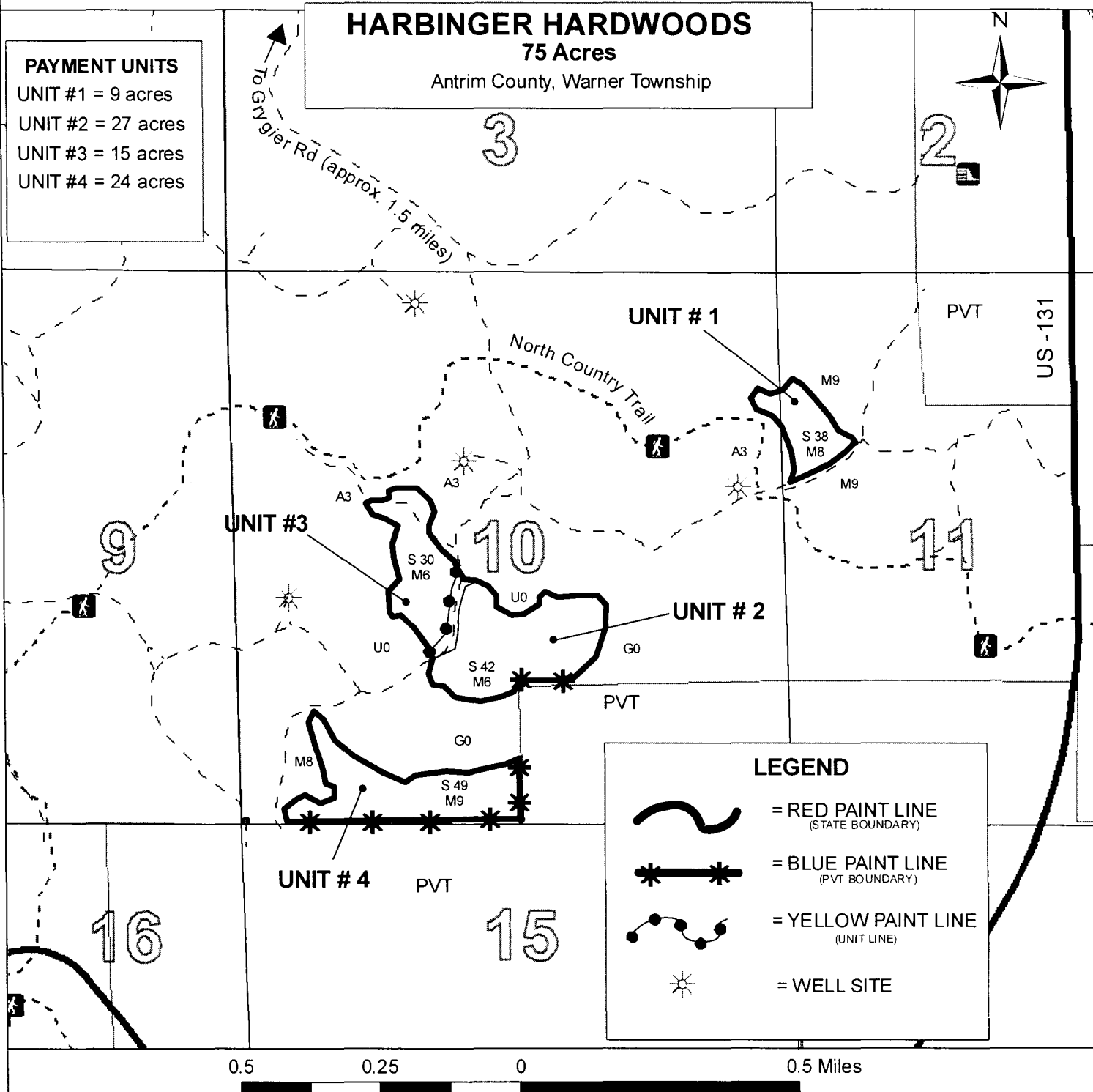
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### Cover Type

A = Aspen	G = Grass	O = Oak	U = Upland Brush
B = Paper Birch	H = Hemlock	P = Lowland Poplar	V = Bog or Marsh
C = Cedar	J = Jack Pine	Q = Mixed Swamp Quilt	W = White Pine
D = Tread Bog	L = Lowland Brush	R = Red Pine	X = Non Stocked
E = Swamo Hardwoods	M = Mpl. Bdr. Drch	S = Black Spruce	Z = Water
F = Spruce Fir	N = Marsh	T = Tamarack	

### Density

C = Non Stocked	5 = Pole Timber Medium
1 = Seedling Seeding Poor	6 = Pole Timber Well
2 = Seedling Seeding Medium	7 = Saw Timber Poor
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## TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

TWO OWLS HARDWOODS (52-020-12-01)  
 T31N, R05W, SEC. 03; T31N, R05W, SEC. 10.  
 Antrim County (Advertised Price \$100,671.60)

SALE NOTE: There is a good volume of Northern Hardwood sawlogs within this sale. Access is good by way of seasonal county roads and pipeline access routes.

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 &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Basswood	206.00 MBF	\$ 89.00 / MBF
Beech	127.00 MBF	\$ 153.00 / MBF
Red Maple	48.00 MBF	\$ 107.00 / MBF
Sugar Maple	89.00 MBF	\$ 424.00 / MBF
White Ash	103.00 MBF	\$ 76.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Mixed Hardwood	545.00 Cords	\$ 13.40 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$4,903.60:

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Mixed Aspen	14.00 MBF	\$ 64.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Basswood	333.00 Cords	\$ 5.00 / Cord
Beech	171.00 Cords	\$ 8.85 / Cord
Mixed Aspen	31.00 Cords	\$ 18.15 / Cord
White Ash	62.00 Cords	\$ 4.30 / Cord

\* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 22.61 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 **\$5,100.00** 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	10%
02	10%
03	15%
04	10%
05	10%
06	10%
07	10%
08	10%
09	15%

4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 12/31/2015.

## Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Two Owls Hardwoods Sale Number: 52-020-12-01

### 1 - Sale Area

#### 1.2 - Boundaries

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

The sale boundary and Payment Unit boundaries are marked and identified by red, green, and yellow paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. In Payment Unit 9: The boundaries of a 1.5 acre clearcut is marked with green 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 - 9, all trees are designated for cutting when marked with orange paint above and below stump height, regardless of merchantability.

Within Payment Unit 9, there are 1.5 acres marked with a boundary of green paint. 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 within the green boundary.

#### 2.2 - Utilization

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

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

### 3 - Payments

#### 3.3 - Pre-measured Sales

##### 3.3.4 - Dividing payment units (12/08)

Payment unit(s) 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.

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

#### 3.6 - Payment Unit Cutting Schedule

##### 3.6.2 - One active unit (12/08)

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

### 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 (10/11)

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

#### 4.2 - Maintenance

##### 4.2.4 - Grading (12/08)

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

### 5 - Operations

#### 5.1 - Notification

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

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

##### 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.

##### 5.1.6 - Utility R.O.W. (10/08)

It is the responsibility of the purchaser to obtain permission from the utility company to utilize the power line R.O.W. for operations.

#### 5.2 - Conduct of Operations

##### 5.2.1 - Slash

###### 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.

##### 5.2.2 - 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 - 9, 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](http://www.michigan.gov/dnr).)

##### 5.2.30 - Landing/road top soil protection (1/12)

Top soil on landings and new roads must be removed, stockpiled and saved. Upon completion of the timber sale, soil must be evenly distributed back over the area for revegetation.

##### 5.2.33 - Gas well re-vegetation (12/08)

In the event that the gas well is utilized for a landing, the site must be re-vegetated with a seeding mixture specified by the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

### 5.3 - Stream Protection

#### 5.3.1 - Operating near stream (7/04)

No tracked or wheeled vehicles shall be operated within 50 feet of the creek shown on the map.

### 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.

#### 5.4.2 - Skid trails (2/04)

Skid trails up and down slopes should be avoided. If however this is unavoidable, these trails will be left in a non-erodible condition using water bars, logs, and slash. Placing of slash on these skid trails while logging is ongoing may alleviate need for any further action. At the direction of the sale administrator, seed, fertilizer, and mulch may also be required.

#### 5.4.6 - Wet area protection (5/10)

No harvesting operations, including skidding and felling, are to take place within the wet area north of Payment Unit 3. When harvesting occurs, there should be no disturbance to the wet area. All equipment, trees and tops should be kept out of this area. Within 100 feet of the pond, equipment should only be used when the soil is in a dry or frozen condition. Care must be taken by the purchaser to identify and avoid operating in these areas of the timber sale.

### 5.8 - Protection of Endangered Species

#### 5.8.3 - Red shoulder hawk (1) (3/07)

In the event that an active red shoulder hawk nest is found, the contract may be amended to protect the nest site. The harvesting time may be altered or reduced. This limitation may be selectively imposed on a specific portion of the sale, or it could apply to the entire sale. In addition, an area surrounding the nest tree could be designated as a "no-cut" zone with appropriate adjustments made to the timber sale value.

## 7 - Other Conditions

### 7.3 - Contract Modifications

#### 7.3.1 - Emerald Ash Borer

##### 7.3.1.2 - Emerald ash borer, ash or firewood on sale (2/05)

There is ash and/or "firewood" in this sale and it is located within an emerald ash borer quarantined area. The Director of the Michigan Department of Agriculture (MDA) by the authority of Act No. 72 of the Public Acts of 1945, as amended, and Quarantine Regulation No. 620, has promulgated this quarantine to prevent the further spread of this pest and sets forth: definitions, regulated articles, regulated areas, conditions of movement, violations and penalties, and special exemptions. The purchaser must comply with this quarantine. Contact the MDA for further information.



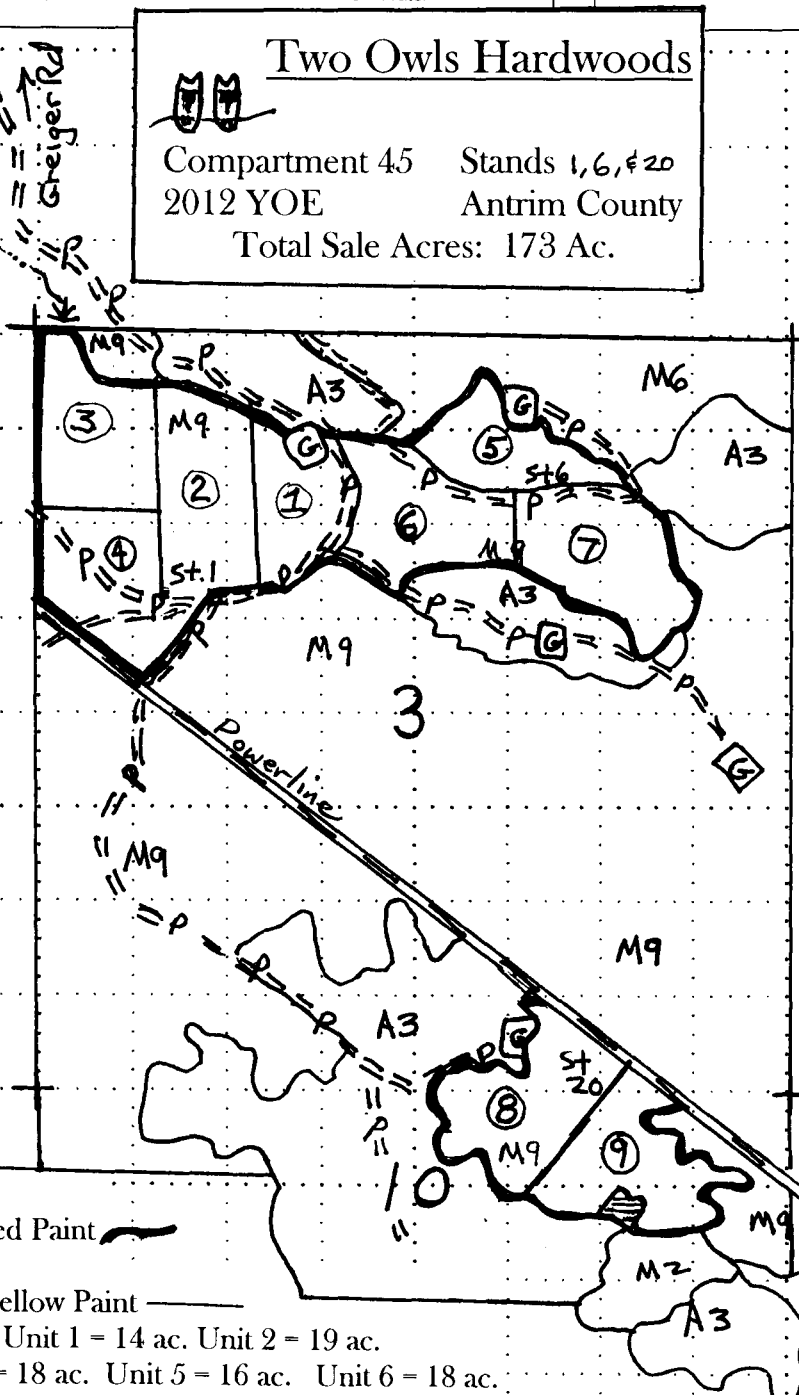
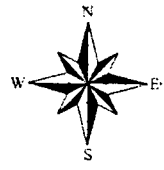
# TIMBER SALE MAP

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Township T31N	Range R5W	Section(s) and Subdivision(s) Sec. 3 N1/2 & S1/2 SE1/4 Sec. 10 N1/2 NE1/4	Scale: 1" = 1/4 Mile		

Cover Type				Density	
A = Aspen	J = Jack Pine	O = Oak	U = Upland Brush	0 = Non Stocked	5 = Pole Timber Medium
B = Paper Birch	K = Rock	P = Lowland Poplar	UM = Upland Mix Forest	1 = Seedling Sapling Poor	6 = Pole Timber Well
C = Cedar	L = Lowland Brush	Q = Mixed Swamp Conifer	V = Bog or Marsh	2 = Seedling Sapling Medium	7 = Saw Timber Poor
D = Treed Bog	LM = Lowland Mix Forest	R = Red Pine	W = White Pine	3 = Seedling Sapling Well	8 = Saw Timber Medium
E = Swamp Hardwoods	M = Maple, Beech, Birch	S = Black Spruce	X = Non Stocked	4 = Pole Timber Poor	9 = Saw Timber Well
F = Spruce/Fir	MC = Mixed Conifer	T = Tamarack	Y = Sand		
G = Grass	MD = Mixed Deciduous		Z = Water		
H = Hemlock	N = Marsh				

**Two Owls Hardwoods**  
 Compartment 45    Stands 1, 6, & 20  
 2012 YOE    Antrim County  
 Total Sale Acres: 173 Ac.



**LEGEND**

Sale Boundaries: Red Paint

Payment Units: ⑨

Payment Unit Lines: Yellow Paint

Payment Unit Acreage: Unit 1 = 14 ac. Unit 2 = 19 ac.  
 Unit 3 = 23 ac. Unit 4 = 18 ac. Unit 5 = 16 ac. Unit 6 = 18 ac.  
 Unit 7 = 21 ac. Unit 8 = 20 ac. Unit 9 = 24 ac.

Gas Wells: Buried Gas Pipelines: Clearcut - Green Paint Boundary

Wet Area: Powerline

Creek:



# TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

## REDO RED PINE (52-018-11-01)

T29N, R02W, SEC. 02.

Otsego County (Advertised Price \$20,123.85)

SALE NOTE: This sale must be chip-harvested to facilitate silvicultural activities.

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 &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Red Pine	50.00 MBF	\$ 154.00 / MBF
White Pine	13.00 MBF	\$ 112.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Jack Pine	68.00 Cords	\$ 27.10 / Cord
Red Pine	98.00 Cords	\$ 58.55 / Cord
White Pine	124.00 Cords	\$ 19.35 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$987.75:

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Pulpwood		
Mixed Aspen	38.00 Cords	\$ 18.00 / Cord
Red Maple	15.00 Cords	\$ 20.25 / Cord

\* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 20.30 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 **\$1,000.00** 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:
 

<u>PAYMENT UNIT NUMBER</u>	<u>PERCENT OF TOTAL SALE VALUE</u>
01	50%
02	50%
4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 12/31/2015.

## Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Redo Red Pine Sale Number: 52-018-11-01

### 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.

### 2 - Timber Specifications

#### 2.1 - Included Timber

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

Within Payment Unit(s) I and II, 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)

This sale 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. 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 the site will be trench and planted.

##### 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

#### 3.4 - 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.

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

### 4 - Transportation

#### 4.1 - Construction

##### 4.1.6 - Road construction (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.

##### 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. In general, this will require constructing a four (4') foot high berm constructed of stumps and logs covered with earth.

#### 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.

#### 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.

#### 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

##### 5.2.1.9 - 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

##### 5.2.3.6 - 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.

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

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

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

Do not cut or damage posts with orange trail markers or traffic control signs. If the trail is used, it must be maintained and restored to a condition equal to or better than before the sale. If the trail road is to be used for hauling during the snowmobile season, then a snow covered base must be left on the trail.

### 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.

### 5.8 - Protection of Endangered Species

#### 5.8.3 - Red shoulder hawk (1) (3/07)

In the event that an active red shoulder hawk nest is found, the contract may be amended to protect the nest site. The harvesting time may be altered or reduced. Harvest operations may be limited to September 1 to March 1. This limitation may be selectively imposed on a specific portion of the sale, or it could apply to the entire sale. In addition, an area surrounding the nest tree could be designated as a "no-cut" zone with appropriate adjustments made to the timber sale value.

#### 5.8.5 - Protection of raptor nests (4/09)

All trees with raptor nests will be protected if found during harvesting operations. Notification will be made to the Unit Manager or his/her representative who will notify the Wildlife Biologist so an on-site evaluation and recommendation can be made, if necessary.

## 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 Bass Lake Landing Road 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.

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

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on 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. The Purchaser will provide these signs.



# TIMBER SALE MAP

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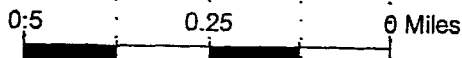
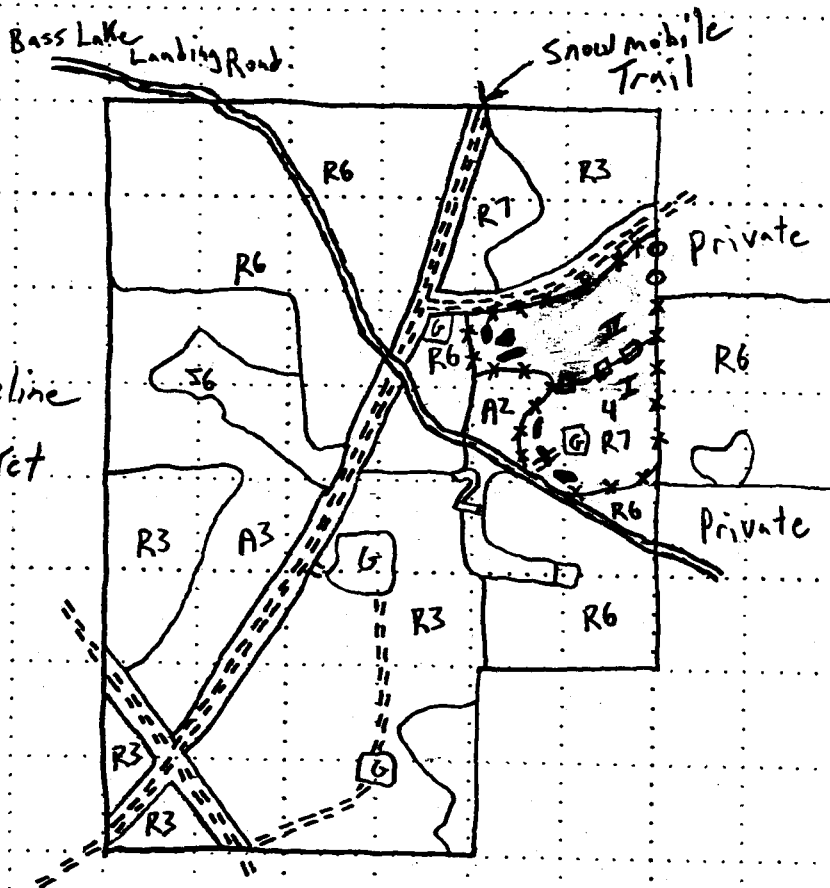
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**Re-Do Red Pine**  
 Compartment 11 Stand 4  
 2008 YOE Otsego County  
 35 Acres



- Yellow Payment Unit
- Red Sale Boundary
- Blue Sale Boundary
- Road
- 2 Track/Pipeline
- Retention Pocket

Unit I 18 Acres  
 Unit II 17 AC





TENACIOUS TURKEY HDWDS (52-014-12-01)  
T31N, R05W, SEC. 01; T31N, R05W, SEC. 12, Antrim County

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<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>	<u>BID PRICE</u>
<b>Sawlogs</b>			
Basswood	89.50 MBF	\$ 106.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
Beech	17.70 MBF	\$ 149.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
Sugar Maple	32.00 MBF	\$ 477.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
White Ash	43.50 MBF	\$ 72.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
<b>Pulpwood</b>			
Basswood	232.00 Cords	\$ 9.15 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord
Mixed Aspen	129.00 Cords	\$ 18.55 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	291.00 Cords	\$ 18.05 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$1,341.60 :

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
<b>Sawlogs</b>		
Mixed Aspen	17.20 MBF	\$ 78.00 / MBF

\* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 18.27 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: _____
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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  
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FOR DEPARTMENT USE ONLY	
Sale Number (XX - XXX - XX - XX)	
Forest Management Unit:	

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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

HARBINGER HARDWOODS (52-015-12-01)  
T31N, R05W, SEC. 10; T31N, R05W, SEC. 11, Antrim County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 3:00 p.m. (local time) on January 16, 2013, 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 &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>	<u>BID PRICE</u>
<b>Sawlogs</b>			
B. T. Aspen	28.80 MBF	\$ 81.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
Basswood	29.10 MBF	\$ 106.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
Sugar Maple	25.20 MBF	\$ 482.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
<b>Pulpwood</b>			
Basswood	183.00 Cords	\$ 10.40 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord
Mixed Aspen	84.00 Cords	\$ 21.05 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	151.00 Cords	\$ 13.60 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord
Sugar Maple	327.00 Cords	\$ 8.90 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$971.80 :

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
<b>Sawlogs</b>		
Beech	5.00 MBF	\$ 131.00 / MBF
White Ash	4.40 MBF	\$ 72.00 / MBF

\* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 17.56 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

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Please Check Appropriate Categories:

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  - 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

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Name of Business		Federal ID (or) Social Security No.
Address		Telephone (      )
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\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative

\_\_\_\_\_  
Title

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date



TWO OWLS HARDWOODS (52-020-12-01)  
T31N, R05W, SEC. 03; T31N, R05W, SEC. 10, Antrim County

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Sawlogs			
Basswood	206.00 MBF	\$ 89.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
Beech	127.00 MBF	\$ 153.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
Red Maple	48.00 MBF	\$ 107.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
Sugar Maple	89.00 MBF	\$ 424.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
White Ash	103.00 MBF	\$ 76.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
Pulpwood			
Mixed Hardwood	545.00 Cords	\$ 13.40 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$4,903.60 :

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Mixed Aspen	14.00 MBF	\$ 64.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Basswood	333.00 Cords	\$ 5.00 / Cord
Beech	171.00 Cords	\$ 8.85 / Cord
Mixed Aspen	31.00 Cords	\$ 18.15 / Cord
White Ash	62.00 Cords	\$ 4.30 / Cord

\* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 22.61 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.

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Company or individual bidding: \_\_\_\_\_

Company representative's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

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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

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Forest Management Unit:	

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**BID FORM**

REDO RED PINE (52-018-11-01)  
T29N, R02W, SEC. 02, Otsego County

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<u>Sawlogs</u>			
Red Pine	50.00 MBF	\$ 154.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
White Pine	13.00 MBF	\$ 112.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
<u>Pulpwood</u>			
Jack Pine	68.00 Cords	\$ 27.10 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord
Red Pine	98.00 Cords	\$ 58.55 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord
White Pine	124.00 Cords	\$ 19.35 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$987.75 :

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
<u>Pulpwood</u>		
Mixed Aspen	38.00 Cords	\$ 18.00 / Cord
Red Maple	15.00 Cords	\$ 20.25 / Cord

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