

### DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES STATE OF MICHIGAN

#### **TIMBER SALE PROSPECTUS #5131**

SCHEDULED SALE DATE AND TIME: 11:00 a.m. (local time) on April 28, 2014. LOCATION: GRAYLING MGMT UNIT, 1955 HARTWICK PINES ROAD, GRAYLING, MI 49738.

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

FIRE TOWER OAK/ASPEN (72-013-13-01) / T27N, R01E, SEC. 18, N 1/2 SE, E 1/2 NESW. Oscoda County, Advertised Price \$38,947.45, 36.0 Acres

SALE NOTE: No new roads will be permitted on this sale. Access from Smith Road will not be permitted. Haul route is labeled on the sale map.

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

FOSTERS TO WALSH DOWN OAK (72-027-12-01) / T27N, R01E, SEC. 17, S1/2SW.

T27N, R01E, SEC. 18, SW1/4, SWNW, S1/2SE.

T27N, R01E, SEC. 19, W1/2NE.

Oscoda County, Advertised Price \$90,828.45, 224.0 Acres

SALE NOTE: Snowmobile trails are located throughout this 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 private or other public land.

BEAVER CHIP ASPEN (72-029-12-01) / T27N, R01E, SEC. 20, E 1/2 NE.

T27N, R01E, SEC. 21, W 1/2 NW.

Oscoda County, Advertised Price \$15,556.60, 34.0 Acres

SALE NOTE: Snowmobile trail runs through this 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.

GROUSE HAVEN PINE (72-030-12-01) / T27N, R01E, SEC. 16, E 1/2 NE.

Oscoda County, Advertised Price \$103,388.70, 52.0 Acres

SALE NOTE: Snowmobile trail is located on the sale boundary.

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.

<u>COYOTE SCRAMBLER</u> (72-044-12-01) / T27N, R01E, SEC. 18, N 1/2 NE; SWNE.

Oscoda County, Advertised Price \$7,235.40, 30.0 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. 06/06/2013):

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

Bids must be received by the Unit Manager, GRAYLING OFFICE, 1955 HARTWICK PINES ROAD, GRAYLING, MI 49738, no later than 11:00 a.m. (local time) on April 28, 2014. For further information concerning this sale, contact Susan Thiel at 989-348-6371 extension 7440.

#### 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 (6/13)

If conditions permit, the sealed bids will be publicly opened and posted at the time and place set in the prospectus.

If a bidder, present at a bid opening, has submitted bids on more than one sale, that bidder may withdraw their unopened bid envelopes after being declared the successful bidder on one sale.

#### 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. 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 (3/13)

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 100% 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.

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#### TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

#### FIRE TOWER OAK/ASPEN (72-013-13-01)

T27N, R01E, SEC. 18.

Oscoda County (Advertised Price \$38,947.45)

SALE NOTE: No new roads will be permitted on this sale. Access from Smith Road will not be permitted. Haul route is labeled on the sale map.

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

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

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	<u>AD\</u>	ERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs			
Mixed Oak	94.40 MBF	\$	101.00 / MBF
Red Oak	60.70 MBF	\$	248.00 / MBF
Red Pine	18.10 MBF	\$	132.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
Mixed Aspen	280.00 Cords	\$	15.00 / Cord
Red Maple	192.00 Cords	\$	10.85 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$5,687.05:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	<b>ESTIMATED UNITS*</b>	<u>ADV</u>	ERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs			
Mixed Aspen	45.30 MBF	\$	40.00 / MBF
White Oak	11.80 MBF	\$	44.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
Mixed Oak	206.00 Cords	\$	9.35 / Cord
Red Pine	35.00 Cords	\$	40.85 / Cord

<sup>\*</sup> The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 11.97 percent. The estimated units are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

#### **BOND AND PAYMENT SCHEDULE:**

- 1. A bond in the amount of **\$2,000.00** to insure faithful performance of the conditions of the contract will be deposited by the successful bidder within 21 days of the sale award.
- 2. Cutting in any sale or unit without the required advance payment would be considered a trespass.
- 3. Total payment must be paid in advance or according to the following schedule:
  - (a) Ten percent (10%) of the sale value must be paid within 21 days of the sale award.
  - (b) The 10% down payment will be credited towards the first unit cut.
  - (c) Payment for each of the following units must be made before cutting begins in that unit:

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    PERCENT OF TOTAL SALE VALUE

PAYMENT UNIT NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL S
01	68%
02	32%

- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 06/30/2016.

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

Sale Name: Fire Tower Oak/aspen Sale Number: 72-013-13-01

#### 1 - Sale Area

#### 1.2 - Boundaries

#### 1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (1/14)

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. Do not cut blue painted trees. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. Interior Payment Unit boundaries are marked with yellow paint. Red painted boundary line trees which meet utilization standards as described in spec 2.1.1 and 2.1.7 are included timber and may be cut. The blue and green painted boundary line trees are not Included Timber and are to be protected. Yellow painted trees designating an interior Payment Unit boundary are only to be cut when all surrounding Payment Units have been paid.

#### 2 - Timber Specifications

#### 2.1 - Included Timber

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

Within Payment Unit(s) two (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 leave all oak which are ten (10) inches or less in diameter measured at a point four and one half (4 1/2) feet above ground level. Do not cut green painted trees. These have been marked for retention and are not included timber. There are approximately 45 red pine and oak marked throughout this unit. Total BA equals less than 1 square ft/acre.

#### 2.1.7 - Leave tree marked unit(s) (8/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) one (1), cut all trees that are two (2) inches or more in diameter measured at a point four and one-half (4-1/2) feet above ground level regardless of merchantability. Do not cut red pine, white pine, and trees marked with green paint above and below stump height. They are designated as retention and are not included timber. There are approximately 183 retention trees scattered throughout this unit. Approximate BA is just over 10 square ft/acre.

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

Note that mixed oak pulpwood contains red oak, white oak, and mixed oak pulpwood volumes.

#### 2.2 - Utilization

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

Stump heights within the Sale Area shall not exceed 12 inches for trees greater than 10 inches DBH and 4 inches for trees smaller than 10 inches DBH. This is in order to encourage full stump sprouting. A written waiver of this requirement may be obtained if wet summer weather makes winter logging necessary.

#### 2.2.11 - Chipping restriction (11/12)

If chipping occurs on this sale, then no woody debris present on the ground at the start of the sale may be chipped. If chipping is done, it must be done concurrently with the logging operation and residual chip depth at the landing may not exceed 4 inches. Retain 1/6 to 1/3 of tree tops and limbs less than four inches in diameter.

#### 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 which are designated for retention (residual). Within the sale area, if more

than 20% of trees (> 4.5" DBH) which are designated for retention within a specified area of the sale are damaged, liquidated damages will be assessed for all trees damaged. Rates will be in accordance with General Condition and Requirement 3.4 Damaged Timber.

#### 4 - Transportation

#### 4.1 - Construction

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

Piles or windrows of earth along roads and landings that have been widened or constructed shall be leveled. Slash from road maintenance or construction, including stumps, shall be dispersed throughout the sale or utilized in a road barrier as described in spec. 4.1.7 Road Closures.

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

The Payment Unit line for this sale runs along an existing overgrown two track. This two track needs to be closed after harvesting operations are complete. See Timber Sale Map for berm placement location. 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. This road 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 highway and county road permits that may be required.

#### 4.1.12 - No new roads (1/12)

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

#### 4.2 - Maintenance

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

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

#### 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 (10/11)

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

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

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

#### 5.2 - Conduct of Operations

#### 5.2.1 - Slash

#### 5.2.1.1 - Slash within sale area (2/04)

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

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

Slash is to be disposed of as directed by the Sale Administrator, i.e. slash height, distribution, etc.

#### 5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

#### 5.2.3.4 - Oak wilt restriction (6/10)

Within Payment Unit(s) one (1), unless changed by written agreement, cutting, skidding, and hauling are not permitted during the period of April 15 to July 15. This is necessary to reduce the spread of oak wilt. For more information, contact the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

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

All decking and landing areas must have the surface area restored to a condition equal to or better than before. This is to ensure the proper regeneration of the stand.

#### 5.2.37 - No decking areas (12/08)

No decking is allowed within the maintained wildlife opening to the south of this sale or within fifty (50) feet of the blue boundary line. Hauling will be permitted on the existing forest two track which runs the length of the opening. Contact the sale administrator for further instruction.

#### 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.

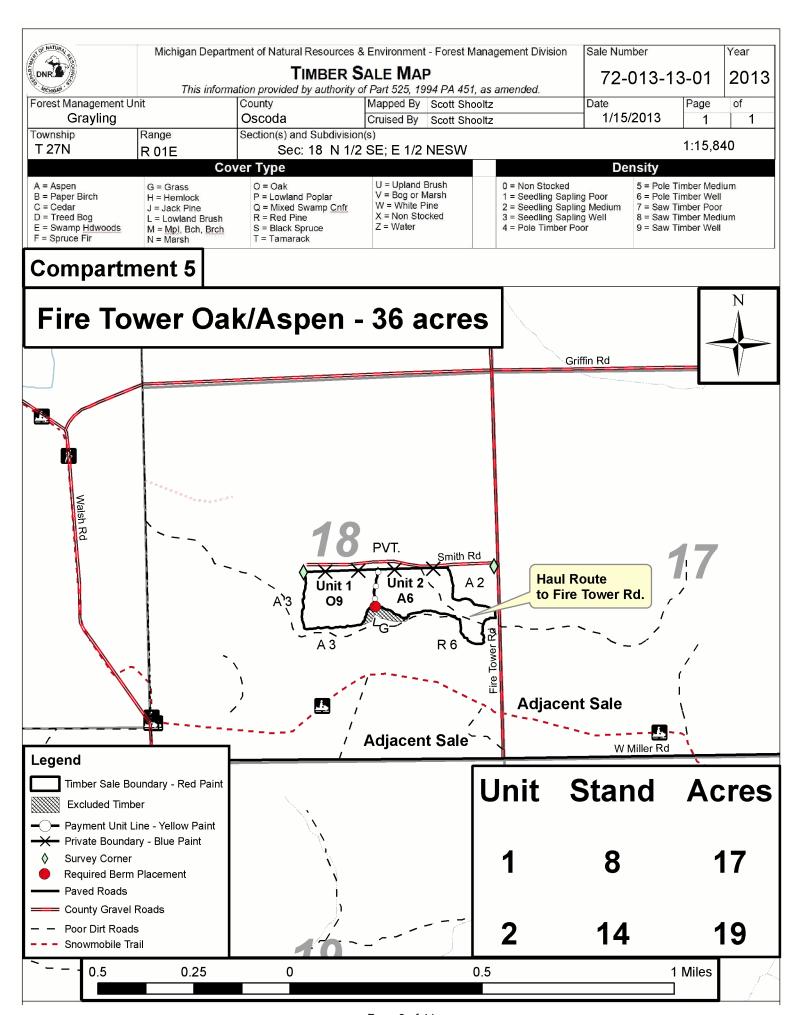
#### 6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

#### 6.2 - Signing

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

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on Fire Tower Rd. prior to beginning operations. The road must be posted 200 feet in either direction from where the haul route enters the road 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.

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#### TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

#### FOSTERS TO WALSH DOWN OAK (72-027-12-01)

T27N, R01E, SEC. 17; T27N, R01E, SEC. 18; T27N, R01E, SEC. 19.

Oscoda County (Advertised Price \$90,828.45)

SALE NOTE: Snowmobile trails are located throughout this 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 private or other public land.

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

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	<b>ESTIMATED UNITS*</b>	AD\	/ERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs			
Red Oak	329.50 MBF	\$	225.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
Red Oak	2,059.00 Cords	\$	7.75 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$733.70:

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PRODUCTS & SPECIES	<b>ESTIMATED UNITS*</b>	ADV	ERTISED PRICE
Pulpwood			
Red Maple	58.00 Cords	\$	12.65 / Cord

<sup>\*</sup> The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 6.55 percent. The estimated units are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

#### **BOND AND PAYMENT SCHEDULE:**

- 1. A bond in the amount of **\$4,600.00** 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 V
01	24%
02	18%
03	24%
04	18%
05	16%

- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 06/30/2017.

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

Sale Name: Fosters To Walsh Down Oak Sale Number: 72-027-12-01

#### 1 - Sale Area

#### 1.2 - Boundaries

#### 1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (1/14)

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. The snowmobile trail is an unpainted payment unit line separating Units 1 & 2. Fire Tower Road is an unpainted payment unit line separating units 3 & 4. Interior retention islands are identified by green paint. These islands are not included timber and are to be left. Do Not Cut individual oak trees marked with green paint, these oak trees are to be left. The painted boundary line trees are not Included Timber and are to be protected. Yellow painted trees designating an interior Payment Unit boundary are only to be cut when all surrounding Payment Units have been paid.

#### 2 - Timber Specifications

#### 2.1 - Included Timber

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1-5, cut all trees which meet minimum piece specifications in 2.2 Utilization except do not cut white oak, red pine, white pine or any trees marked with green paint.

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

Note that Access to Unit 5 may have to cross private land.

#### 2.2 - Utilization

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

Stump heights within the Sale Area shall not exceed 12 inches for trees greater than 10 inches DBH and 4 inches for trees smaller than 10 inches DBH. A written waiver of this requirement may be obtained if wet summer weather makes winter logging necessary.

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

Skidding of unlimbed tops is not permissible they must be left in the woods unless an exception is granted by your sale administrator. Exceptions will be allowed to have slash pulled away from Miller Road to address visual concerns. Trees are to be processed in the woods and short wooded out the help protect regeneration, unless otherwise approved by the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

#### 2.2.6 - Roundwood operation required (5/07)

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

#### 2.2.10 - No chipping tops and limbs (4/12)

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

#### 3 - Payments

#### 3.3 - Pre-measured Sales

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

Payment Unit(s) 1-5may be divided at the request of the Purchaser and upon approval of the Unit Manager. Dividing Payment Units is a contract modification which requires a Timber Sale Contract Supplement.

#### 3.4 - Damaged Timber

#### 3.4.1 - Damaged timber (6/05)

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

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

#### 4 - Transportation

#### 4.1 - Construction

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

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

#### 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. 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. 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.

#### 4.4 - Access

#### 4.4.1 - Private property access (3/11)

Permission for access across private land is the responsibility of both the Purchaser and DNR. Should the purchaser desire to cross private land, a copy of the written permission from the private land-owner may be required by the DNR.

#### 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.

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

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

#### 5.2 - Conduct of Operations

#### 5.2.1 - Slash

#### 5.2.1.1 - Slash within sale area (2/04)

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

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

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

#### 5.2.2 - Hazard Trees/Snags

#### 5.2.2.1 - Den trees (2/04)

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

#### 5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

#### 5.2.3.4 - Oak wilt restriction (6/10)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1-5 unless changed by written agreement, cutting, skidding, and hauling are not permitted during the period of April 15 to July 15. This is necessary to reduce the spread of oak wilt. For more information, contact the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

#### 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.

#### 5.2.41 - Snowmobile trail protection (9/11)

Trail 409 is a snowmobile trail and is shown on the Timber Sale Map. The snowmobile trail is not to be used for any operations from December 1 through March 30 without prior written permission from the Unit Manager. The trail may be crossed at right angles with sale administrator permission. Do not cut or damage posts with orange trail markers or traffic control signs. If the trail is used, it must be maintained and restored to a condition equal to or better than before the sale. The road maintenance/restoration must be done prior to December 1. If the trail is used for hauling, it must be graded to the satisfaction of the Unit Manager or his/her representative prior to December 1st. Producer must maintain a 20 foot wide slash, debris and rut free zone daily using the trail as the centerline. No decking of forest products will be permitted along the trail. In addition, any tree cut within 20 feet of the trail must leave a four foot high stump to facilitate visibility or future removal.

#### 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.

#### 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 Miller Rd (Cty Rd 608), Fire Tower Rd, Walsh Rd. and designated snowmobile trail 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. If the Purchaser provides the signs, the design must be approved by the sale administrator.

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

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on Trail 409 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 and/or any trail crossings to warn of logging activity and truck traffic. Signs must be removed when harvest operations are suspended or completed. If the Purchaser provides the signs, the design must be approved by the sale administrator.

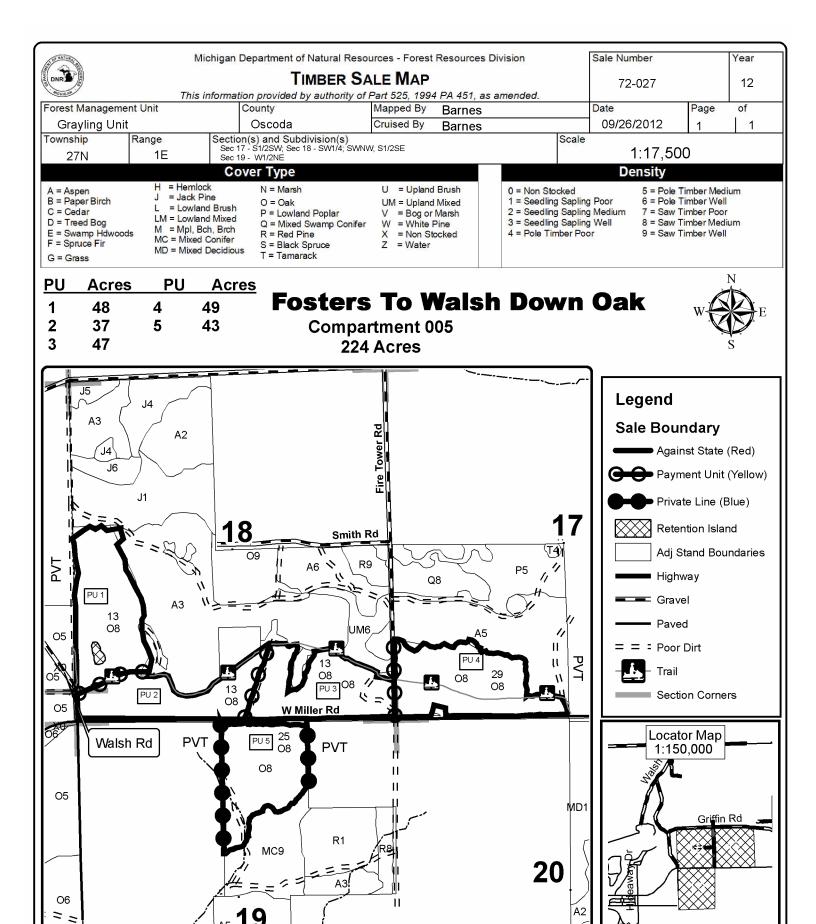
#### 7 - Other Conditions

#### 7.2 - Extensions

#### 7.2.1 - One year extension (2/04)

Given justification, only one, 1 year extension may be granted if the contract has been paid for in full.

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#### TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

#### **BEAVER CHIP ASPEN (72-029-12-01)**

T27N, R01E, SEC. 20; T27N, R01E, SEC. 21.

Oscoda County (Advertised Price \$15,556.60)

SALE NOTE: Snowmobile trail runs through this 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:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	AD\	/ERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs			
Mixed Aspen	22.00 MBF	\$	47.00 / MBF
Red Pine	51.50 MBF	\$	139.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
Mixed Aspen	282.00 Cords	\$	14.75 / Cord
Mixed Softwood	98.00 Cords	\$	15.10 / Cord
Red Pine	32.00 Cords	\$	32.00 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$700.80:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	<b>ESTIMATED UNITS*</b>	<u>ADV</u>	ERTISED PRICE
Pulpwood			
Mixed Oak	20.00 Cords	\$	11.70 / Cord
Paper Birch	3.00 Cords	\$	8.00 / Cord
Red Maple	41.00 Cords	\$	10.80 / Cord

<sup>\*</sup> The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 23.20 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:

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PAYMENT UNIT NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALE VALUE
01	12%
02	56%
03	32%

- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 06/30/2016.

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

Sale Name: Beaver Chip Aspen Sale Number: 72-029-12-01

#### 1 - Sale Area

#### 1.2 - Boundaries

#### 1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (1/14)

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. Retention pocket boundary lines are marked with green paint. Interior Payment Unit boundaries are marked with yellow paint. The red and green painted boundary line trees are not Included Timber and are to be protected. Yellow painted trees designating an interior Payment Unit boundary are only to be cut when all surrounding Payment Units have been paid.

#### 2 - Timber Specifications

#### 2.1 - Included Timber

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1-3, 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 green painted retention trees. These are not included timber. 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 Softwood includes white pine, jack pine, balsam fir, and black spruce species.

#### 2.2 - Utilization

#### 2.2.10 - No chipping tops and limbs (4/12)

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

#### 2.2.11 - Chipping restriction (2/11)

If chipping occurs on this sale, then no woody debris present on the ground at the start of the sale may be chipped.

#### 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 10% of trees (> 4.5" DBH) within a specified area of the sale are damaged, liquidated damages will be assessed for all trees damaged. Rates will be in accordance with General Condition and Requirement 3.4 Damaged Timber.

#### 4 - Transportation

#### 4.1 - Construction

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

Piles or windrows of earth along roads and landings that have been widened or constructed shall be leveled. Slash from road maintenance or construction, including stumps, shall be chipped or utilized in a road barrier as described in spec. 4.1.7, Road Closure.

#### 4.1.5 - Culverts (9/11)

Roads may require the installation of culverts for cross drainage or at natural drainage-ways. If culverts are needed in these locations, their placement will be specified by the sale administrator and they shall be installed prior to hauling. The culverts shall be new, corrugated metal or plastic gauge. Culverts will be a minimum of 12 inches in diameter and 24 feet in length. 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.

#### 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 scattered back into the sale area and not left in windrows. Stumps shall be set upright, not left on edge, and be moved at least 10 feet away from the road edge or utilized in a barrier as described in spec. 4.1.7. 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. 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. 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. Contact the sale administrator for specific details of design and placement.

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

The Purchaser will secure any necessary highway and county road 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 spring breakup or wet weather conditions.

#### 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 (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. Written permission is required before harvest operations begin and must be submitted to the Unit Manager.

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

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

#### 5.2 - Conduct of Operations

#### 5.2.1 - Slash

#### 5.2.1.9 - 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.

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

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

#### 5.2.2 - Hazard Trees/Snags

#### 5.2.2.1 - Den trees (2/04)

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

#### 5.2.4 - Dead and Down Creation

#### 5.2.4.2 - 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.

#### 5.2.22 - Operating Caution

#### 5.2.22.1 - Operating caution (6/11)

It is recommended, but not required, that within Payment Unit(s) 2 and 3, cutting, skidding, and hauling occur during dry summer or frozen winter conditions. The reason for the recommendation is because possible saturated soils during wet weather conditions.

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

All decking and landing areas must have the surface area restored to a condition equal to or better than before. This is to ensure the proper regeneration of the stand.

#### 5.2.37 - No decking areas (12/08)

No decking is allowed within 50 feet of W. Miller Rd. without permission of the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

#### 5.2.41 - Snowmobile trail protection (9/11)

The Red Oak Snowmobile Trail (#9) is shown on the Timber Sale Map. Do not cut or damage posts with orange trail markers or traffic control signs. If the trail is used, it must be maintained and restored to a condition equal to or better than before the sale. The road maintenance/restoration must be done prior to December 1. If the trail is used for hauling, it must be graded to the satisfaction of the Unit Manager or his/her representative prior to December 1st. The snowmobile trail may not be used for any timber sale operations from December 1 to March 31 without written permission from the Unit Manager or his/her representative. Maintain a 20 foot wide slash, debris, and rut free zone daily using the snowmobile trail as the centerline. No decking of forest products will be permitted along the snowmobile trail. All stumps within 20 feet of the snowmobile trail must be cut at ground level.

#### 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 within unit 1. 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. Riparian Management Zone rutting restrictions, spec. 5.4.7, apply to units 2 and 3.

#### 5.4.7 - Rutting restriction, Riparian Management Zone (RMZ) (1/09)

Within the Riparian Management Zone (RMZ), unit 2 and 3, operations are to cease immediately if equipment and weather conditions result in rutting of roads which is 12 inches or greater in depth and 50 feet in length. In addition, operations are to cease immediately if equipment and weather conditions result in rutting of skid trails which is 6 inches or greater in depth and 25 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.

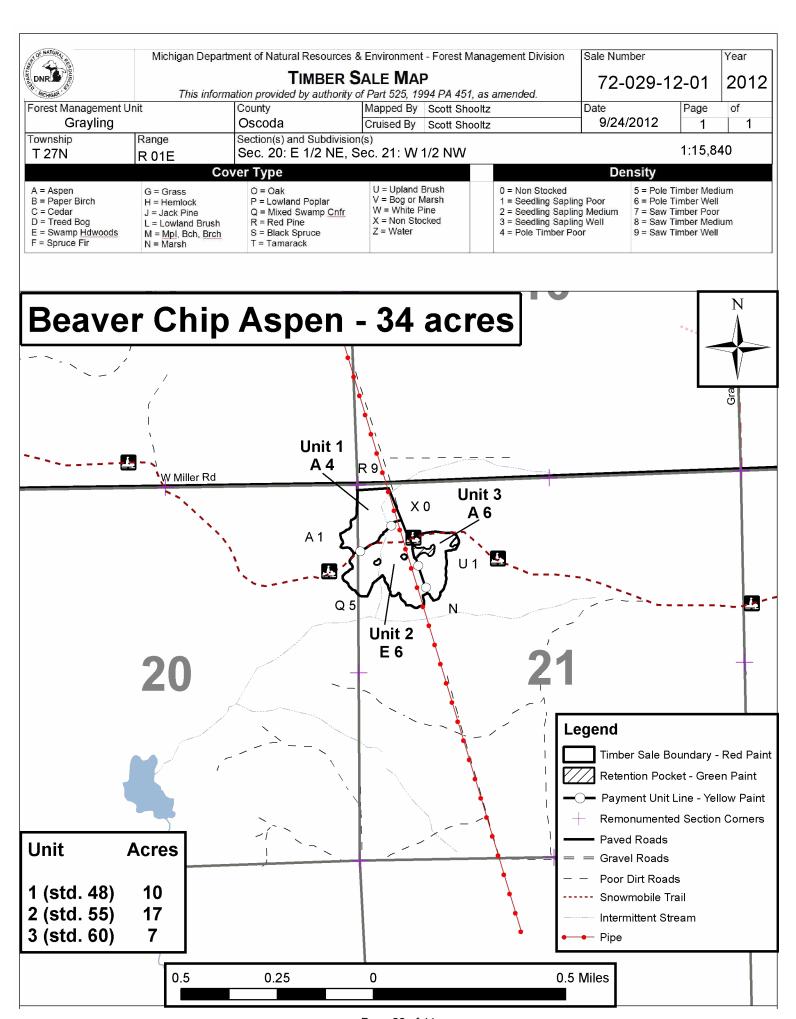
#### 6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

#### 6.2 - Signing

#### 6.2.3 - Recreational trail posting (2/10)

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on The Red Oak Snowmobile Trail (#9) prior to beginning operations. The trail must be posted 200 feet from the sale area to warn of logging activity and truck traffic at both ends of the trail. Signs must be removed when harvest operations are suspended or completed. The Purchaser will provide

these signs.



#### TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

#### GROUSE HAVEN PINE (72-030-12-01)

T27N, R01E, SEC. 16.

Oscoda County (Advertised Price \$103,388.70)

SALE NOTE: Snowmobile trail is located on the sale boundary.

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

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

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	<u>AD\</u>	/ERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs			
Red Pine	463.80 MBF	\$	195.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
Red Pine	334.00 Cords	\$	33.30 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$1,825.50:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	<b>ESTIMATED UNITS*</b>	<u>ADV</u>	ERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs Mixed Aspen	13.80 MBF	\$	42.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
Mixed Aspen	71.00 Cords	\$	11.10 / Cord
Mixed Oak	13.00 Cords	\$	12.60 / Cord
Mixed Pine	27.00 Cords	\$	7.70 / Cord
Red Maple	14.00 Cords	\$	6.15 / Cord

<sup>\*</sup> The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 15.66 percent. The estimated units are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

#### **BOND AND PAYMENT SCHEDULE:**

- 1. A bond in the amount of **\$5,200.00** 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:

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PAYMENT UNIT NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALE VALUE
01	6%
02	59%
03	35%

- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 06/30/2016.

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

Sale Name: Grouse Haven Pine Sale Number: 72-030-12-01

#### 1 - Sale Area

#### 1.2 - Boundaries

#### 1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (1/14)

The sale boundary and Payment Unit boundaries are marked and identified by red and yellow paint. Interior payment unit lines are marked with yellow paint except along Griffen Road. The Road serves as the payment unit line. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. The red painted boundary line trees are not Included Timber and are to be protected. Yellow painted trees designating an interior Payment Unit boundary are only to be cut when all surrounding Payment Units have been paid. Do not cut green painted retention trees.

#### 2 - Timber Specifications

#### 2.1 - Included Timber

#### 2.1.7 - Leave tree marked unit(s) (8/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 2 and 3, cut all trees that are four (4) inches or more in diameter measured at a point four and one-half (4-1/2) feet above ground level regardless of merchantability except trees marked with green paint above and below stump height. With in payment unit 1, cut all trees that are four (4) inches or more in diameter measured at a point four and one-half (4-1/2) feet above ground level regardless of merchantability except red pine twenty-four (24) inches and up.

#### 2.2 - Utilization

#### 2.2.8 - Utilization and removal (2/11)

Retain on site more than 1/6 to 1/3 of the slash from harvested trees (tree tops and limbs less than four inches in diameter). This is to help facilitate wildlife habitat in the sale area.

#### 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. In addition, extreme care should be taken to avoid damage to tree seedlings and saplings. Damage to residual trees (defined as breaking of the cambium layer, broken tops or bending of trees from their natural position) is not acceptable.

Within the sale area, if more than 20% of the tree seedlings or saplings (1/4" to 4.5" DBH) within a specified portion of the sale area are damaged, liquidated damages will be assessed at \$500 per acre for all acreage within that specified portion of the sale area that was damaged.

#### 4 - Transportation

#### 4.1 - Construction

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

Piles or windrows of earth along roads and landings that have been widened or constructed shall be leveled. Slash from road maintenance or construction, including stumps, shall be utilized, dispersed throughout the sale, or used in a road barrier as described in spec. 4.1.7.

#### 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 utilized, dispersed throughtout the sale area, or used in road barriers as described in spec. 4.1.7. Stumps shall be set upright, not left on edge, and be moved at least 10 feet away from the road edge

or utilized in road barriers. 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. 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. 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. Contact the sale administrator for specific details of design and placement.

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

The Purchaser will secure any necessary county road 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 spring breakup or wet weather conditions.

#### 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 (10/11)

A pre-sale conference on site between the Purchaser and sale administrator is required prior to beginning any operations to determine landing and road locations. The Unit Manager or his/her representative must be contacted at least 10 days in advance to schedule the conference.

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

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

#### 5.2 - Conduct of Operations

#### 5.2.1 - Slash

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

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

#### 5.2.4 - 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.

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

All decking and landing areas must have the surface area restored to a condition equal to or better than before. This is to ensure the proper regeneration of the stand.

#### 5.2.37 - No decking areas (12/08)

No decking is allowed within 50 feet of Griffin Rd. without permission of the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

#### 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 (9/11)

The Red Oak Snowmobile Trail (#9) is shown on the Timber Sale Map. Do not cut or damage posts with orange trail

markers or traffic control signs. If the trail is used, it must be maintained and restored to a condition equal to or better than before the sale. The road maintenance/restoration must be done prior to December 1. If the trail is used for hauling, it must be graded to the satisfaction of the Unit Manager or his/her representative prior to December 1st. The snowmobile trail may not be used for any timber sale operations from December 1 to March 31 without the permission of the Unit Manager or his/her representative. Maintain a 20 foot wide slash, debris, and rut free zone daily using the snowmobile trail as the centerline. No decking of forest products will be permitted along the snowmobile trail. All stumps within 20 feet of the snowmobile trail must be cut at ground level.

#### 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

#### 5.8.5 - 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.

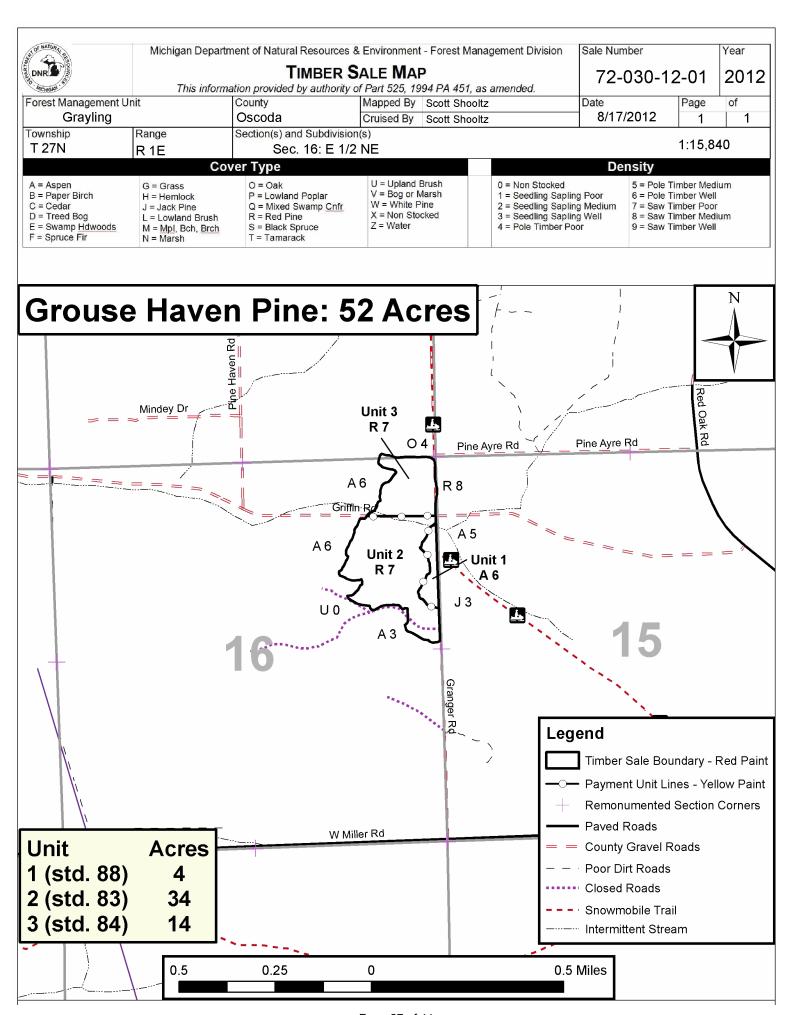
#### 6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

#### 6.2 - Signing

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

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

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#### TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

#### COYOTE SCRAMBLER (72-044-12-01)

T27N, R01E, SEC. 18.

Oscoda County (Advertised Price \$7,235.40)

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

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

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	<u>ADV</u>	ERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs			
Jack Pine	29.90 MBF	\$	26.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
Jack Pine	245.00 Cords	\$	22.95 / Cord
Mixed Oak	33.00 Cords	\$	12.30 / Cord
Q. Aspen	31.00 Cords	\$	13.85 / Cord

<sup>\*</sup> The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 19.66 percent. The estimated units are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

#### **BOND AND PAYMENT SCHEDULE:**

- 1. A bond in the amount of **\$1,000.00** to insure faithful performance of the conditions of the contract will be deposited by the successful bidder within 21 days of the sale award.
- 2. Cutting in any sale or unit without the required advance payment would be considered a trespass.
- 3. Total payment must be paid in advance or according to the following schedule:
  - (a) Ten percent (10%) of the sale value must be paid within 21 days of the sale award.
  - (b) The 10% down payment will be credited towards the first unit cut.
  - (c) Payment for each of the following units must be made before cutting begins in that unit:

PAYMENT UNIT NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALE VALUE
01	13%
02	43%
03	44%

- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 06/30/2016.

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

Sale Name: Coyote Scrambler Sale Number: 72-044-12-01

#### 1 - Sale Area

#### 1.2 - Boundaries

#### 1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (1/14)

The sale boundary and Payment Unit boundaries are marked and identified by blue, red, yellow, and green 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. Retention pockets are marked with green paint. The painted boundary line trees are not Included Timber and are to be protected. Yellow painted trees designating an interior Payment Unit boundary are only to be cut when all surrounding Payment Units have been paid.

#### 2 - Timber Specifications

#### 2.1 - Included Timber

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, cut all trees that are two (2) inches or more in diameter measured at a point four and one-half (4-1/2) feet above ground level regardless of merchantability. In unit 2, cut all trees two inches or more in diameter and cut all oak with a diameter eight (8) inches or greater at breast height (i.e; 4.5 feet above ground level). Do not cut any Red Pine or White Pine in Unit 2. In unit 3, cut all trees two inches (2") or more in diameter measured at a point four and one half (4.5) feet above ground level regardless of merchantability, except Do Not Cut any Red Pine. 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)

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

#### 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. A written waiver of this requirement may be obtained if wet summer weather makes winter logging necessary.

#### 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 10% of trees (> 4.5" DBH) within a specified area of the sale are damaged, liquidated damages will be assessed for all trees damaged. Rates will be in accordance with General Condition and Requirement 3.4 Damaged Timber.

#### 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 red and white pine with in units 2 and 3 as well as oak below eight (8) inches DBH in unit 2. 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 double the price per species as agreed apon in the

Timber Sale Contract 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

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

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

#### 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 or utilized in a road barrier as described in spec. 4.1.7, Road Closures. 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. 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. Contact the sale administrator for specific details of design and placement.

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

The Purchaser will secure any necessary highway and county road 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 spring breakup or wet weather conditions.

#### 4.2.3 - Road maintenance (8/13)

The following road maintenance may be needed: routine grading of tunouts on to Griffin Rd. to prevent rutting or excessive pot holes in the road.

#### 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 (10/11)

A pre-sale conference 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.

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

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

#### 5.2 - Conduct of Operations

#### 5.2.1 - Slash

#### 5.2.1.1 - Slash within sale area (2/04)

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

#### 5.2.32 - Decking/landing restoration (9/13)

All decking and landing areas must have the surface area restored to a condition equal to or better than before. This is to ensure the proper regeneration of the stand. Wood debris, chips and "cookies" from trimmings must be removed or scattered away from landing and loading areas and may not be windrowed on the edge.

#### 5.2.37 - No decking areas (12/08)

No decking is allowed within 50 feet of Griffin Rd. or surrounding private property without permission of the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

#### 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.

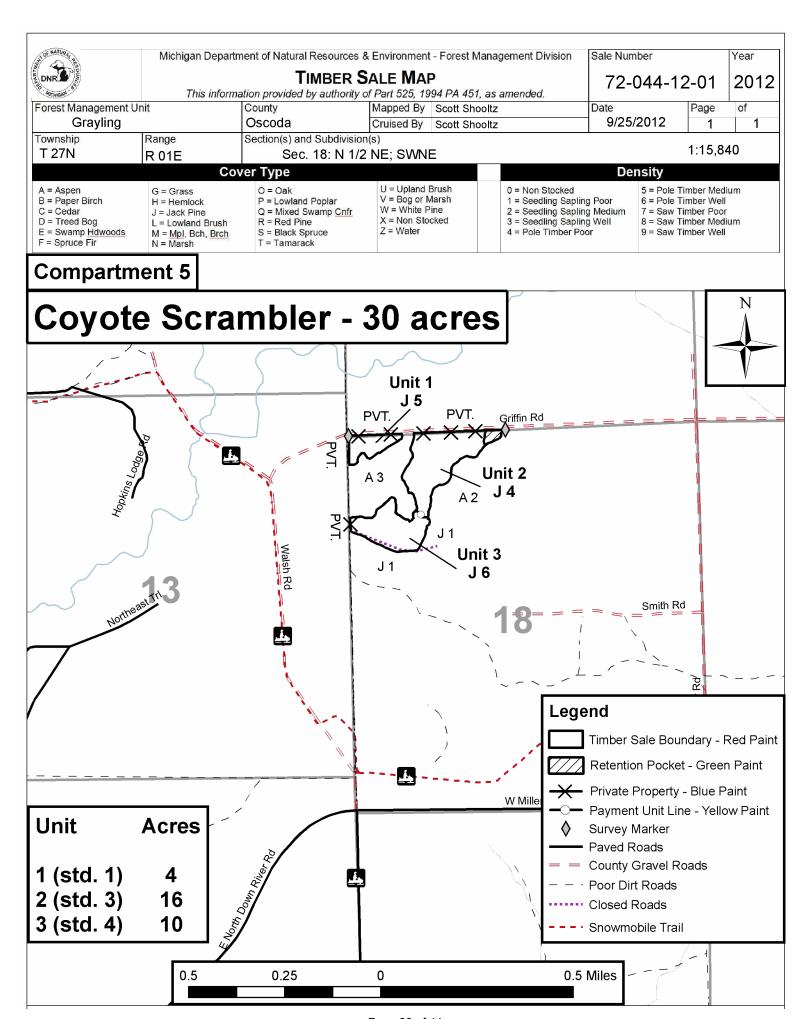
#### 6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

#### 6.2 - Signing

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

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on Griffin Rd. prior to beginning operations. The road must be posted 200 feet 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.

Section Name: Sale Specific Current as of 3/4/2014 11:37:47AM



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#### **BID FORM**

### FIRE TOWER OAK/ASPEN (72-013-13-01) T27N, R01E, SEC. 18, Oscoda County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 11:00 a.m. (local time) on April 28, 2014, I am hereby submitting my sealed bid (firm offer) for the following forest products to be cut. Bids for individual species must be at or above the advertised price. All non-responsive bid forms may be rejected.

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*		AD\	/ERTISED PRICE	BID PF	RICE
Sawlogs						
Mixed Oak	94.40	MBF	\$	101.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF
Red Oak	60.70	MBF	\$	248.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF
Red Pine	18.10	MBF	\$	132.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF
Pulpwood						
Mixed Aspen	280.00	Cords	\$	15.00 / Cord	\$	/ Cord
Red Maple	192.00	Cords	\$	10.85 / Cord	\$	/ Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$5,687.05:

<b>ESTIMATED UNITS*</b>	AD\	VERTISED PRICE
45.30 MBF	\$	40.00 / MBF
11.80 MBF	\$	44.00 / MBF
206.00 Cords	\$	9.35 / Cord
35.00 Cords	\$	40.85 / Cord
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<sup>\*</sup> The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 11.97 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.

or SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER:

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Michigan Department of Natural Resources & Environment Forest Management Division

# TIMBER SALE VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE

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

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

	VERIFICATION OF WO	RKER'S DISABIL	ITY COMPEN	ISATION ACT COMPLIANCE				
•	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 e	except for written s	ignatures.					
Ple	ease Check Appropriate Categories:							
1.	<ul> <li>My business is organized as (you <b>must</b> check <u>one</u> of the boxes below):</li> <li>A. ☐ Sole Proprietorship (individual)</li> <li>B. ☐ Partnership</li> <li>C. ☐ Corporation</li> </ul>							
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3.	C.  I certify that my business has a Wordays of the contract award.	rker's Compensatio	n Policy. I will p	provide an original Certificate of Insurance within 21 both full-time and part-time employees, other ou must enter "0").				
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City		State	ZIP					
occ	ereby certify that the above information is our in factors affecting my coverage during Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative			otify the Michigan DNRE of any changes that operations.				

Date

PRODUCTS & SPECIES

Phone number :\_\_\_\_\_

Red Oak

Sawlogs

#### **BID FORM**

**GRAYLING MANAGEMENT UNIT GRAYLING OFFICE** 

upon

**BID PRICE** 

\$ / MBF

#### FOSTERS TO WALSH DOWN OAK (72-027-12-01)

T27N, R01E, SEC. 17; T27N, R01E, SEC. 18; T27N, R01E, SEC. 19, Oscoda County

ADVERTISED PRICE

\_\_\_\_\_ Email (optional):\_\_\_\_\_

225.00 / MBF

In response to the notice of sale to be held 11:00 a.m. (local time) on April 28, 2014, I am hereby submitting my sealed bid (firm offer) for the following forest products to be cut. Bids for individual species must be at or above the advertised price. All non-responsive bid forms may be rejected.

ESTIMATED UNITS\*

329.50 MBF

Pulpwood Red Oak	2,059.00 Cords	\$ 7.75 / Cord	\$	/ Cord	
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PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	ADVERTISED PRICE	- -		
Pulpwood Red Maple	58.00 Cords	\$ 12.65 / Cord			
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Individual or company representative's			Date:		



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1.	<ul> <li>My business is organized as (you must check one of the boxes below):</li> <li>A. Sole Proprietorship (individual)</li> <li>B. Partnership</li> <li>C. Corporation</li> </ul>						
2.	<ul> <li>You must check one of the boxes below:</li> <li>A.    I certify that my business is a sole proprietorship and it has no employees but the sole proprietor. I am not subject to the Worker's Compensation Laws.</li> <li>B.    I certify that my business has satisfied its obligation to the Worker's Compensation Act through the use of an 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).</li> <li>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.</li> </ul>						
3.	<ol> <li>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").</li> <li>Full-time Employees</li> </ol>						
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7	Title		Date				

#### **BID FORM**

### BEAVER CHIP ASPEN (72-029-12-01) T27N, R01E, SEC. 20; T27N, R01E, SEC. 21, Oscoda County

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PRODUCTS & SPECIES	<b>ESTIMATE</b>	D UNITS*	AD\	/ERTISED PRICE	BID PR	RICE
Sawlogs						
Mixed Aspen	22.00	MBF	\$	47.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF
Red Pine	51.50	MBF	\$	139.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF
Pulpwood						
Mixed Aspen	282.00	Cords	\$	14.75 / Cord	\$	/ Cord
Mixed Softwood	98.00	Cords	\$	15.10 / Cord	\$	/ Cord
Red Pine	32.00	Cords	\$	32.00 / Cord	\$	/ Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$700.80:

ESTIMATED UNITS*	AD\	/ERTISED PRICE
20.00 Cords	\$	11.70 / Cord
3.00 Cords	\$	8.00 / Cord
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<sup>\*</sup> The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 23.20 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.

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Michigan Department of Natural Resources & Environment Forest Management Division

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FOR DEPARTMENT USE ONLY	
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Forest Management Unit:	

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2.	<ul> <li>A.</li></ul>				
	Full-time En	nployees	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.					
5	Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative				

Date

**BID PRICE** 

TIMBER SALE / SEALED BID STATE OF MICHIGAN / DNR

PRODUCTS & SPECIES

Sawlogs

#### **BID FORM**

ADVERTISED PRICE

GROUSE HAVEN PINE (72-030-12-01) T27N, R01E, SEC. 16, Oscoda County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 11:00 a.m. (local time) on April 28, 2014, I am hereby submitting my sealed bid (firm offer) for the following forest products to be cut. Bids for individual species must be at or above the advertised price. All non-responsive bid forms may be rejected.

ESTIMATED UNITS\*

Red Pine	463.80	MBF	\$	195.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF	
Pulpwood							
Red Pine	334.00	Cords	\$	33.30 / Cord	\$	/ Cord	
In addition, the successful bidde	er agrees to purchase	the following	species at the	e indicated advertis	ed price for a t	otal value of \$1,825.50 :	
PRODUCTS & SPECIES	<u>ESTIMATE</u>	D UNITS*	ADVI	ERTISED PRICE			
Sawlogs							
Mixed Aspen	13.80	MBF	\$	42.00 / MBF			
Pulpwood							
Mixed Aspen	71.00	Cords	\$	11.10 / Cord			
Mixed Oak	13.00	Cords	\$	12.60 / Cord			
Mixed Pine	27.00	Cords	\$	7.70 / Cord			
Red Maple	14.00	Cords	\$	6.15 / Cord			
* The total volume is statistically Prospective bidders are urged to	•	` '				and not subject to adjust	ment.
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Company or individual bidding: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

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Individual or company representative's signature: Date:						
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#### **BID FORM**

COYOTE SCRAMBLER (72-044-12-01) T27N, R01E, SEC. 18, Oscoda County

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PRODUCTS & SPECIES	<u>ESTIMATE</u> I	D UNITS*	ADV	ERTISED PRICE	BID P	RICE
Sawlogs						
Jack Pine	29.90	MBF	\$	26.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF
Pulpwood						
Jack Pine	245.00	Cords	\$	22.95 / Cord	\$	/ Cord
Mixed Oak	33.00	Cords	\$	12.30 / Cord	\$	/ Cord
Q. Aspen	31.00	Cords	\$	13.85 / Cord	\$	/ Cord

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<sup>\*</sup> The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 19.66 percent. The estimated units are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.



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## TIMBER SALE VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE

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

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•	All Information must be typed or printed except for written signatures.					
F	Please Check Appropriate Categories:					
1	<ul> <li>My business is organized as (you <b>must</b> check <u>one</u> of the boxes below):</li> <li>A. Sole Proprietorship (individual)</li> <li>B. Partnership</li> <li>C. Corporation</li> </ul>					
2	<ul> <li>You must check one of the boxes below:</li> <li>A.  I certify that my business is a sole proprietorship and it has no employees but the sole proprietor. I am not subject to the Worker's Compensation Laws.</li> <li>B.  I certify that my business has satisfied its obligation to the Worker's Compensation Act through the use of an 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).</li> <li>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.</li> </ul>					
3	B. If you have checked item 2(A) or 2(B), you <b>must</b> indicate the number of <b>both</b> full-time and part-time employees, other than yourself, including family members and active partners (if none, you must enter "0").					
N	ame of Business Federal ID (or) Social Security No.					
A	ddress Telephone					

VEDICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE

I hereby certify that the above information is true and correct. I agree to notify the Michigan DNRE of any changes that occur in factors affecting my coverage during any of my present and future operations.

Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative

State

Date