



**DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
STATE OF MICHIGAN**

TIMBER SALE PROSPECTUS #5490

SCHEDULED SALE DATE AND TIME: 3:30 p.m. (local time) on October 22, 2015.

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

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

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

HIGH NOON HARDWOOD (61-006-15-01) / T27N, R14W, SEC. 01, SWSW.

T27N, R14W, SEC. 12, W1/2SE, NESE, W1/2NW, NWSW.

Benzie County, Advertised Price \$61,520.80, 79.7 Acres

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

NOBLE RED PINE (61-007-15-01) / T27N, R14W, SEC. 13, N1/2NW.

Benzie County, Advertised Price \$26,843.50, 31.5 Acres

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

BROWN SUGAR HARDWOOD (61-008-15-01) / T27N, R13W, SEC. 18, NE1/4, SW1/4, NWSE.

Benzie County, Advertised Price \$37,252.55, 75.4 Acres

TELAS PINE STRIPS (61-015-15-01) / T24N, R13W, SEC. 06, W1/2NW, SENW, NWNE.

Manistee County, Advertised Price \$56,155.80, 80.0 Acres

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

PURINA MIX (61-043-15-01) / T27N, R14W, SEC. 04, SESE.

T27N, R14W, SEC. 09, NE1/4.

Benzie County, Advertised Price \$31,353.20, 68.1 Acres

BID INSTRUCTIONS (VER. 10/01/2014):

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

Bids must be received by the Unit Manager, TRAVERSE CITY OFFICE, 970 EMERSON, TRAVERSE CITY, MI 49696, no later than 3:30 p.m. (local time) on October 22, 2015. For further information concerning this sale, contact David Lemmien at 231-922-5280 extension 6840.

2. Bidder's Qualifications (2/12)

Purchaser shall obtain workers compensation insurance to cover claims under Michigan's Worker's Disability Compensation Act of 1969 or similar employee benefit act of any other state applicable to an employee. If all or part of a timber sale was prepared by a private contractor, that contractor and that contractor's company are not permitted to bid on the timber sale contract. Bids will not be accepted from individuals or companies appearing on the DNR/FRD No-Bid List. This list contains the names of purchasers who previously failed to execute a contract within 21-days or who have a history of poor performance.

3. Preparation of Sealed Bids (1/11)

Bids shall be manually signed in ink; bid prices must be entered for each species and product in the Bid Price column for all material subject to bidding; and all fill-in blanks must be completed. If erasures or other changes appear on the forms, each erasure or change must be initialed by the person signing the bid.

4. Submission of Sealed Bids (6/11)

Bid forms may be obtained from the Unit Manager. All bids must be submitted on the bid form and in an envelope clearly identified as described in this section. NOTE: Only one bid form per bid envelope. Sealed bids must be submitted to the Unit office designated in the prospectus and must be submitted at or prior to the time established in the prospectus. The envelope should show on the outside (a) the sale name or number and (b) the date and time of bid opening as shown in the prospectus. Bids received after the time specified in the sale prospectus are late bids and will be rejected.

5. Public Opening of Sealed Bids (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 (9/14)

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 expiration 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 (10/14)

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-SF5. 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.

KEITH CREAGH

Director

TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

HIGH NOON HARDWOOD (61-006-15-01)
T27N, R14W, SEC. 01; T27N, R14W, SEC. 12.
Benzie County (Advertised Price \$61,520.80)

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

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

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Black Cherry	26.30 MBF	\$ 266.00 / MBF
Mixed Aspen	71.30 MBF	\$ 98.00 / MBF
Red Maple	54.30 MBF	\$ 174.00 / MBF
Sugar Maple	56.60 MBF	\$ 338.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Mixed Aspen	204.00 Cords	\$ 21.55 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	952.00 Cords	\$ 13.30 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$1,900.80:

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Beech	26.40 MBF	\$ 72.00 / MBF

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 9.83 percent. The estimated units are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

BOND AND PAYMENT SCHEDULE:

1. A bond in the amount of **\$3,076.00** 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	36%
02	24%
03	34%
04	6%
4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 12/31/2017.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: High Noon Hardwood Sale Number: 61-006-15-01

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/or 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 painted boundary line trees are not Included Timber and are to be protected unless marked with orange paint.

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

2.1.1 - Clearcut unit(s) with unmerchantable trees (6/14)

Within Payment Unit(s) 2 and 4, cut all trees that are two (2) inches or more at DBH. Exception: DO NOT cut any conifers, oaks, juneberries, or any trees marked with green paint.

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 and 3, all trees are designated for cutting when marked with orange paint above and below stump height, regardless of merchantability.

2.1.11 - Description of timber note (2/04)

Note that mixed hardwood pulpwood includes sugar maple, red maple, beech, and black cherry, with small amounts of ash and elm.

2.2 - Utilization

2.2.4 - Skidding length (2/14)

Within units 1 and 3, skidding of unlimbed tops or lengths over 17 feet is not permissible.

4 - Transportation

4.1 - Construction

4.1.3 - Slash and earthen piles (8/04)

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

4.1.7 - Road closure (10/11)

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

5 - Operations

5.2 - Conduct of Operations

5.2.1 - Slash

5.2.1.1 - Slash within sale area (2/04)

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

5.2.1.8 - Slash height (12/08)

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

5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

5.2.3.3 - Bark slippage restriction (3/09)

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

5.2.3.9 - Beech hauling restriction (3/11)

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

with beech scale to or through uninfested beech areas from July 15 to November 15. Beech scale is mobile at this time of year and can move from infested wood to live beech. (See Map of current beech scale distribution on the DNR Forest Health Website, www.michigan.gov/dnr.)

5.2.4 - Dead and Down Creation

5.2.4.1 - Dead and down creation, marked trees (10/13)

All trees marked with an orange "X" must be felled and left on site for wildlife.

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

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

5.2.40 - Pathway protection (10/10)

The Shore-to-Shore horse/hiking trail is shown on the Timber Sale Map, near the north edge of unit 3 (but not in the unit). Do not cut trees or damage posts with blue pathway markers. Do not run equipment down the pathway.

5.4 - Soil Protection

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.

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 Fowler 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. The Purchaser will provide these signs.



TIMBER SALE MAP

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

Sale Number	Year
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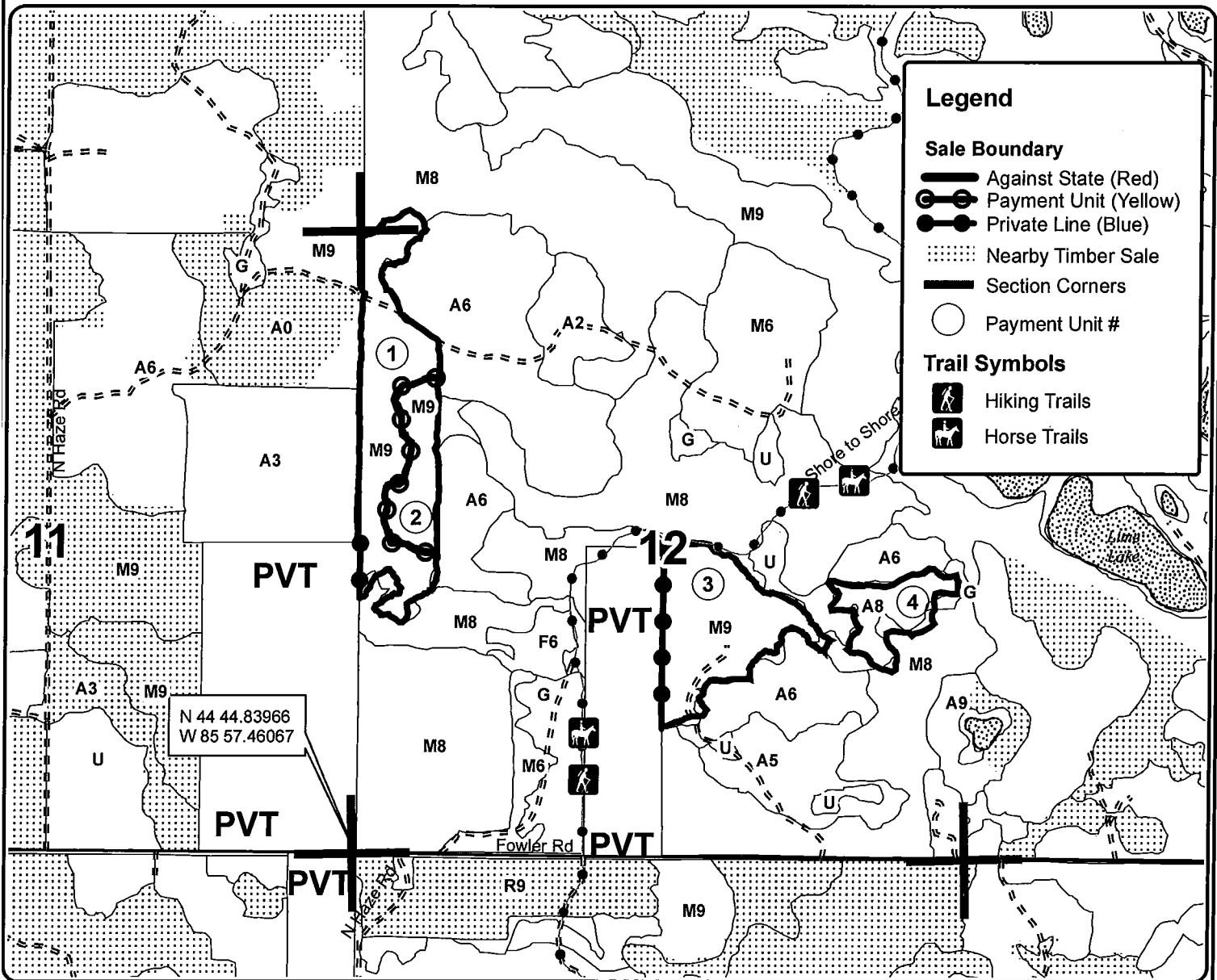
Forest Management Unit	County	Mapped By	Date	Page	of
Traverse City	Benzie	Tim Webb	06/04/2015	1	1
Township	Range	Section(s) and Subdivision(s)	Scale		
27N	14W	sec. 12: W1/2SE, NESE, W1/2NW, NWSW; sec. 1: SWSW	1:15,840		

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

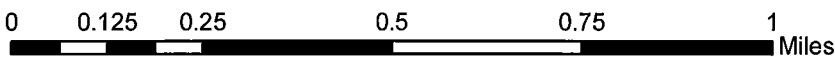
PU	Acres
1	31.0
2	11.2
3	27.1
4	10.4

High Noon Hardwood

79.7 acres



N 44 44.83966
W 85 57.46067



TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

NOBLE RED PINE (61-007-15-01)

T27N, R14W, SEC. 13.

Benzie County (Advertised Price \$26,843.50)

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<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Red Pine	82.50 MBF	\$ 142.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Red Pine	395.00 Cords	\$ 38.30 / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 16.47 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 **\$1,342.00** 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	44%
02	56%
4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 12/31/2017.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Noble Red Pine Sale Number: 61-007-15-01

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 paint. The painted boundary line trees are not Included Timber and are to be protected unless marked with orange paint.

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

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

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

2.2 - Utilization

2.2.4 - Skidding length (2/14)

Skidding of unlimbed tops or lengths over 17 feet is not permissible unless approved by the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

4 - Transportation

4.1 - Construction

4.1.3 - Slash and earthen piles (8/04)

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

4.1.12 - No new roads (1/12)

No new roads will be permitted in any Payment Unit. Skid trails only will be allowed.

5 - Operations

5.2 - Conduct of Operations

5.2.1 - Slash

5.2.1.8 - Slash height (12/08)

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

5.2.3 - 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.

5.2.40 - Pathway protection (10/10)

The Shore-to-Shore horse/hiking trail is shown on the Timber Sale Map. Do not cut trees or damage posts with blue pathway markers. Maintain a 20-foot wide slash, debris, and rut free zone daily, using the pathway as the centerline.

5.4 - Soil Protection

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.

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 Fowler Road and the Shore-to-Shore 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. The Purchaser will provide these signs.



TIMBER SALE MAP

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Forest Management Unit Traverse City	County Benzie	Mapped By Tim Webb	Date 06/04/2015	Page 1	of 1
Township 27N	Range 14W	Section(s) and Subdivision(s) sec. 13 N1/2 NW	Cruised By Todd Green (contractor)		

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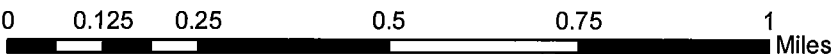
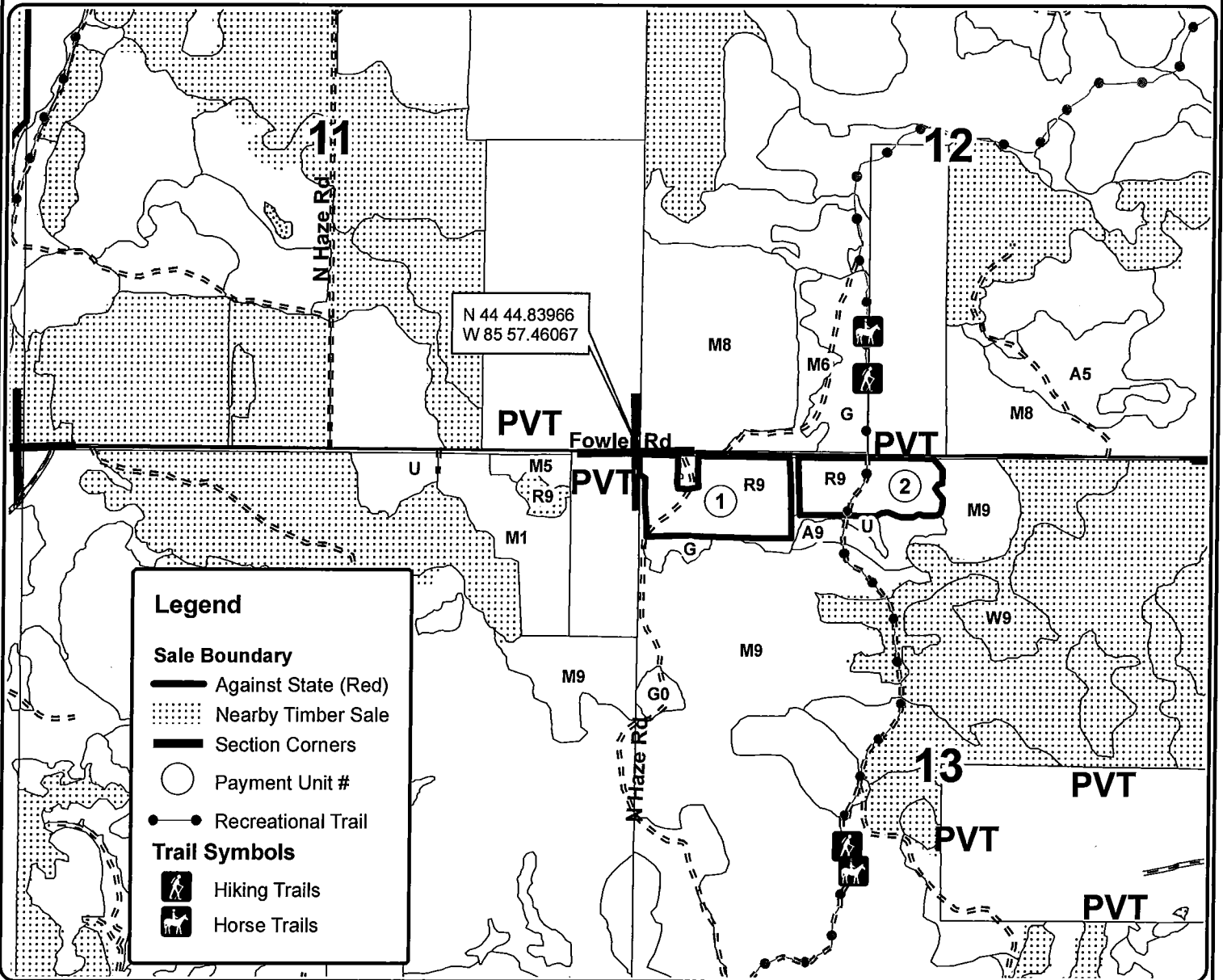
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F = Spruce Fir	MC = Mixed Conifer	S = Black Spruce	Z = Water		
G = Grass	MD = Mixed Deciduous	T = Tamarack			

PU Acres

1	18.2
2	13.3

Noble Red Pine

31.5 Acres



TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

BROWN SUGAR HARDWOOD (61-008-15-01)

T27N, R13W, SEC. 18.

Benzie County (Advertised Price \$37,252.55)

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

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Basswood	38.00 MBF	\$ 176.00 / MBF
Mixed Aspen	24.50 MBF	\$ 97.00 / MBF
Red Maple	18.90 MBF	\$ 176.00 / MBF
Sugar Maple	30.80 MBF	\$ 342.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Mixed Aspen	116.00 Cords	\$ 22.50 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	501.00 Cords	\$ 13.85 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$4,779.20:

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Beech	17.80 MBF	\$ 74.00 / MBF
Black Cherry	5.20 MBF	\$ 258.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Basswood	97.00 Cords	\$ 14.10 / Cord
Mixed Pine	2.00 Cords	\$ 7.35 / Cord
White Ash	60.00 Cords	\$ 12.30 / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 13.75 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 **\$1,863.00** 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	32%
03	23%
04	9%
05	26%
4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 12/31/2017.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Brown Sugar Hardwood Sale Number: 61-008-15-01

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/or 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 painted boundary line trees are not Included Timber and are to be protected unless marked with orange paint.

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

2.1.1 - Clearcut unit(s) with unmerchantable trees (6/14)

Within Payment Unit(s) 2cc and 4, cut all trees that are two (2) inches or more at DBH except for trees marked with green paint.

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.

2.1.11 - Description of timber note (2/04)

Note that mixed hardwood pulpwood includes sugar maple, beech, red maple, and black cherry, with small amounts of ironwood and yellow birch. All included white ash was cruised as pulpwood, regardless of size or condition.

2.2 - Utilization

2.2.4 - Skidding length (2/14)

Skidding of unlimbed tops or lengths over 17 feet is not permissible unless approved by the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

4 - Transportation

4.1 - Construction

4.1.3 - Slash and earthen piles (8/04)

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

4.1.12 - No new roads (1/12)

No new roads will be permitted in any Payment Unit. Skid trails only will be allowed.

5 - Operations

5.2 - Conduct of Operations

5.2.1 - Slash

5.2.1.1 - Slash within sale area (2/04)

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

5.2.1.8 - Slash height (12/08)

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

5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

5.2.3.3 - Bark slippage restriction (3/09)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, 2, 2cc, 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 or through uninfested beech areas from July 15 to November 15. Beech scale is mobile at this time

of year and can move from infested wood to live beech. (See Map of current beech scale distribution on the DNR Forest Health Website, www.michigan.gov/dnr.)

5.2.4 - Dead and Down Creation

5.2.4.1 - Dead and down creation, marked trees (10/13)

All trees marked with an orange "X" must be felled and left on site for wildlife.

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

5.4.3 - 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.

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 Fowler, Rayle, and Spear roads 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.

7 - Other Conditions

7.5 - Loss

7.5.1 - Deteriorating timber (7/09)

The sale area has received damage from emerald ash borer and beech bark disease. The Purchaser should harvest the wood as soon as possible. The Department of Natural Resources is held free of responsibility of any further damage or deterioration due to delay in harvesting.



TIMBER SALE MAP

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Sale Number	Year
61-008	15

Forest Management Unit	County	Mapped By	Date	Page	of
Traverse City	Benzie	Tim Webb	06/04/2015	1	1
Township		Cruised By		Scale	
27N		Todd Green (contractor)		1:15,840	

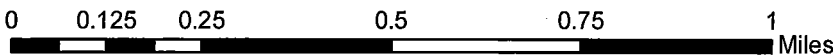
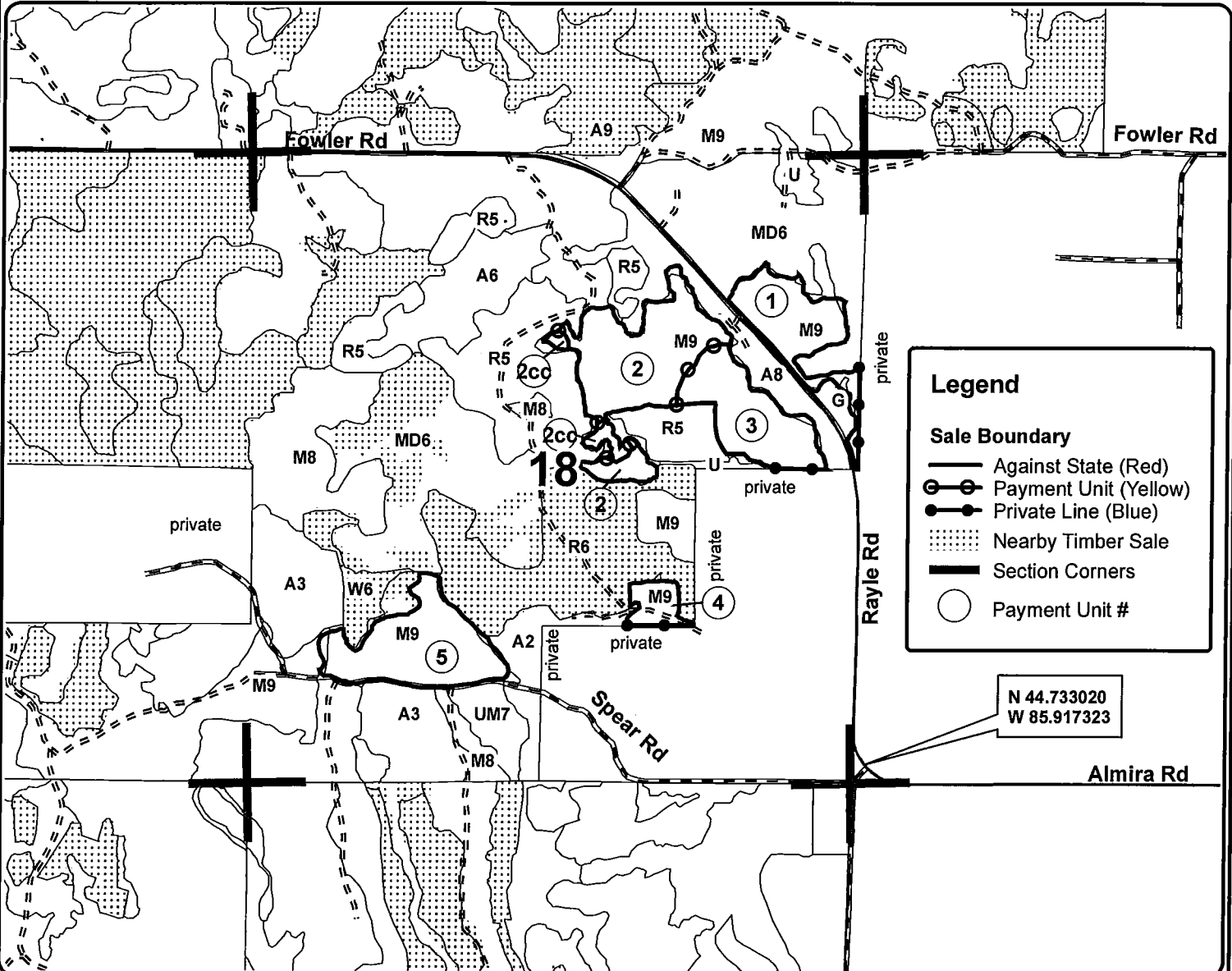
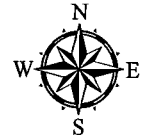
Range	Section(s) and Subdivision(s)
13W	Sec. 18: NE1/4, SW1/4, NWSE

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

PU	Acres	PU	Acres
1	13.0	4	3.6
2	25.2	5	18.8
3	14.8		

Brown Sugar Hardwood

75.4 Acres



TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

TELAS PINE STRIPS (61-015-15-01)

T24N, R13W, SEC. 06.

Manistee County (Advertised Price \$56,155.80)

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

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

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Red Pine	165.10 MBF	\$ 138.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Red Pine	824.00 Cords	\$ 40.50 / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 7.88 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 **\$2,810.00** 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	19%
02	22%
03	39%
04	20%
4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 12/31/2017.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Telas Pine Strips Sale Number: 61-015-15-01

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 paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against private property are marked with blue paint. The portion of unit 4 that borders private is actually slightly off the private boundary line and thus has been marked with red paint and is not identified as a blue paint line on the timber sale map. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. The painted boundary line trees are not Included Timber and are to be protected unless 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, 2, 3 & 4, all trees are designated for cutting when marked with orange paint above and below stump height, regardless of merchantability.

3 - Payments

3.3 - Pre-measured Sales

3.3.4 - Dividing payment units (7/14)

Payment Unit(s) 3 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. There will be only one division per Payment Unit.

3.4 - Damaged Timber

3.4.1 - Damaged timber (6/14)

General Condition and Requirement 3.4 Damaged Timber, defines liquidated damages for undesignated live merchantable trees which are cut or injured. 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

4.1.11 - Permits (2/12)

The Purchaser will secure any necessary 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

4.2.5 - 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. 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

5.2.1.1 - Slash within sale area (2/04)

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

5.2.1.8 - Slash height (12/08)

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

5.2.2 - Hazard Trees/Snags

5.2.2.1 - Den trees (2/04)

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

5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

5.2.3.3 - Bark slippage restriction (3/09)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, 2, 3 & 4, 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.

5.2.41 - Snowmobile trail protection (9/11)

The Betsie Valley Trail is a snowmobile trail and is shown on the Timber Sale Map. Do not cut or damage posts with orange trail markers or traffic control signs. The snowmobile trail may not be used for any timber sale operations and should not be crossed unless approved by the unit manager or his/her representative. No decking of forest products will be permitted along the snowmobile 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.

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 Country Line St and Thompsonville 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.



TIMBER SALE MAP

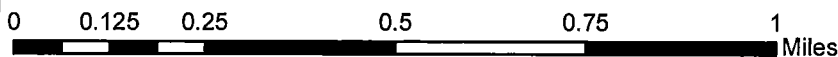
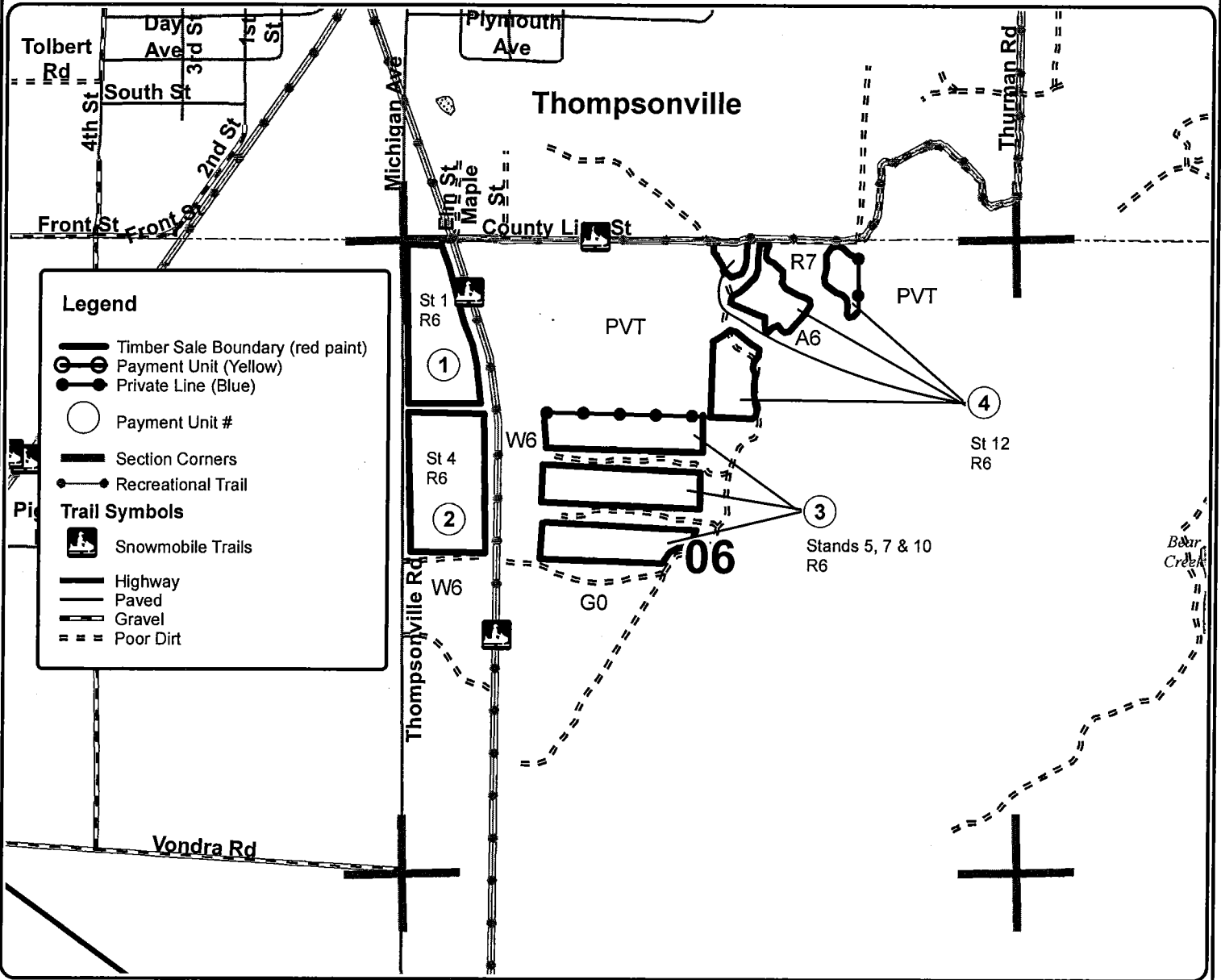
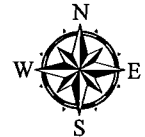
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Forest Management Unit Traverse City		County Manistee	Mapped By Patrick Cotant	Date 06/03/2015	Page 1	of 1	
Township 24N	Range 13W	Section(s) and Subdivision(s) Sec 6 - W1/2NW, SENW, NWNE		Scale 1:15,840			
Cover Type			Density				
A = Aspen B = Paper Birch C = Cedar D = Treed Bog E = Swamp Hdwoods F = Spruce Fir G = Grass	H = Hemlock J = Jack Pine L = Lowland Brush LM = Lowland Mixed M = Mpl, Bch, Brch MC = Mixed Conifer MD = Mixed Deciduous	N = Marsh O = Oak P = Lowland Poplar Q = Mixed Swamp Conifer R = Red Pine S = Black Spruce T = Tamarack	U = Upland Brush UM = Upland Mixed V = Bog or Marsh W = White Pine X = Non Stocked Z = Water	0 = Non Stocked 1 = Seedling Sapling Poor 2 = Seedling Sapling Medium 3 = Seedling Sapling Well 4 = Pole Timber Poor			5 = Pole Timber Medium 6 = Pole Timber Well 7 = Saw Timber Poor 8 = Saw Timber Medium 9 = Saw Timber Well

PU	Acres	PU	Acres
1	14	4	15
2	20		
3	31		

Tela's Pine Strips

80 Acres



TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

PURINA MIX (61-043-15-01)
 T27N, R14W, SEC. 04; T27N, R14W, SEC. 09.
 Benzie County (Advertised Price \$31,353.20)

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

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Red Pine	50.20 MBF	\$ 132.00 / MBF
Sugar Maple	10.90 MBF	\$ 313.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Mixed Hardwood	183.00 Cords	\$ 12.50 / Cord
Red Pine	428.00 Cords	\$ 38.30 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$2,635.20:

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Mixed Aspen	11.50 MBF	\$ 92.00 / MBF
Mixed Hardwood	3.60 MBF	\$ 130.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Mixed Aspen	37.00 Cords	\$ 20.30 / Cord
White Ash	25.00 Cords	\$ 11.90 / Cord
White Pine	4.00 Cords	\$ 15.15 / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 13.56 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 **\$1,568.00** 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	6%
02	25%
03	17%
04	24%
05	28%
4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 12/31/2017.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Purina Mix Sale Number: 61-043-15-01

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 and red paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against private property are marked with blue paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. The painted boundary line trees are not Included Timber and are to be protected unless 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, 2, 4, and 5, all trees are designated for cutting when marked with orange paint above and below stump height, regardless of merchantability. Sapling trees may be cut if necessary to facilitate harvest of marked timber, but must be severed at ground level, not just bent over or broken.

2.1.7 - Leave tree marked unit(s) (6/14)

Within Payment Unit(s) 3, cut all trees that are two (2) inches or more at DBH except conifers less than 5" dbh and trees marked with green paint above and below stump height.

2.1.11 - Description of timber note (2/04)

Note that mixed hardwood sawlogs include beech and red maple; mixed hardwood pulpwood includes sugar maple, beech, red maple, ironwood, and cherry. Included ash is dead/dying, and was cruised as pulpwood regardless of size and condition.

2.2 - Utilization

2.2.4 - Skidding length (2/14)

Skidding of unlimbed tops or lengths over 17 feet is not permissible unless approved by the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

4 - Transportation

4.1 - Construction

4.1.3 - Slash and earthen piles (8/04)

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

4.1.7 - 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. Contact the sale administrator for specific details of design and placement.

4.4 - Access

4.4.2 - Alternate route on private property (2/04)

It is the Purchaser's responsibility to obtain access across private land for any routes other than the route shown on the sale map.

5 - Operations

5.2 - Conduct of Operations

5.2.1 - Slash

5.2.1.1 - Slash within sale area (2/04)

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

5.2.1.8 - Slash height (12/08)

No slash or tree tops may exceed 30 inches in height.

5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

5.2.3.3 - Bark slippage restriction (3/09)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, 2, 4, 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.

5.2.3.6 - Bark beetle restriction (12/08)

In the event drought creates a high risk of pine bark beetle infestation, pine is not to be cut during the period March 1 through July 1, unless all portions of trees greater than two inches in diameter are removed from the sale area, reduced to chips, or treated to the satisfaction of the Unit Manager or his/her representative, within fifteen days of being severed from the stump. Pine log decks, pulpwood piles and treetops that are piled for chipping in the fall or winter within a 1/4 mile of susceptible sites must be removed before March 15. Residual slash must not be placed in piles or rows and must be spread over the site for quick drying. The Department of Natural Resources will exercise this specification if the risk of damage warrants.

5.2.3.9 - Beech hauling restriction (3/11)

American beech wood products with bark still attached, other than chips, are not to be transported from stands infested with beech scale to or through uninfested beech areas from July 15 to November 15. Beech scale is mobile at this time of year and can move from infested wood to live beech. (See Map of current beech scale distribution on the DNR Forest Health Website, www.michigan.gov/dnr.)

5.2.4 - Dead and Down Creation

5.2.4.1 - Dead and down creation, marked trees (10/13)

All trees marked with an orange "X" must be felled and left on site for wildlife.

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

5.4.3 - 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.

7 - Other Conditions

7.5 - Loss

7.5.1 - Deteriorating timber (7/09)

The sale area has received damage from emerald ash borer. The Purchaser should harvest the wood as soon as possible. The Department of Natural Resources is held free of responsibility of any further damage or deterioration due to delay in harvesting.



TIMBER SALE MAP

61-043

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Forest Management Unit Traverse City		County Benzie	Mapped By Tim Webb	Date 07/07/2015	Page 1	of 1
Township 27N		Range 14W	Cruised By Tim Webb	Scale 1:7,920		

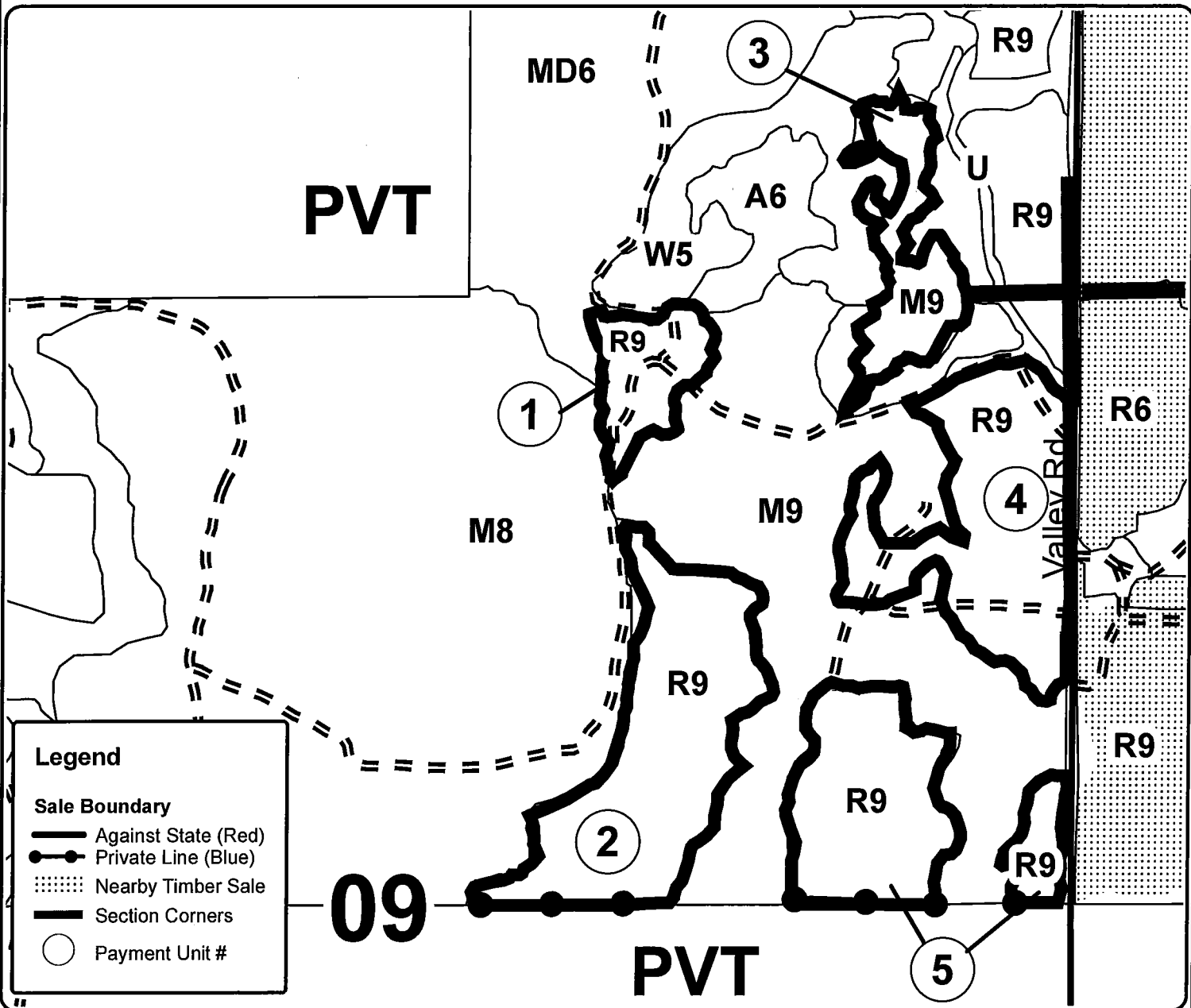
Township	Range	Section(s) and Subdivision(s)	Scale
27N	14W	sec. 4: SESE; sec. 9: NE 1/4	1:7,920

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

PU	Acres	PU	Acres
1	5.5	4	19.0
2	20.7	5	15.5
3	7.4		

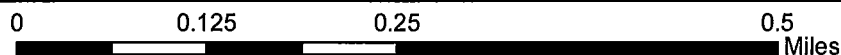
Purina Mix

68.1 Acres



Legend

- Sale Boundary**
 - Against State (Red)
 - Private Line (Blue)
 - Nearby Timber Sale
 - Section Corners
 - Payment Unit #



HIGH NOON HARDWOOD (61-006-15-01)
T27N, R14W, SEC. 01; T27N, R14W, SEC. 12, Benzie County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 3:30 p.m. (local time) on October 22, 2015, I am hereby submitting my sealed bid (firm offer) for the following forest products to be cut. Bids for individual species must be at or above the advertised price. All non-responsive bid forms may be rejected.

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>	<u>BID PRICE</u>
<u>Sawlogs</u>			
Black Cherry	26.30 MBF	\$ 266.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
Mixed Aspen	71.30 MBF	\$ 98.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
Red Maple	54.30 MBF	\$ 174.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
Sugar Maple	56.60 MBF	\$ 338.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
<u>Pulpwood</u>			
Mixed Aspen	204.00 Cords	\$ 21.55 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	952.00 Cords	\$ 13.30 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$1,900.80 :

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
<u>Sawlogs</u>		
Beech	26.40 MBF	\$ 72.00 / MBF

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 9.83 percent. The estimated units are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

I understand that any or all bids may be rejected. All bids must be signed and all bid items must be bid or the bid form may be rejected. I also understand that consideration and awarding a contract will be based upon my past performance and ability to complete the contract based upon equipment and staffing subject to my control.

FEDERAL ID: _____ or SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER: _____

Company or individual bidding: _____

Company representative's name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

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

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

Phone number : _____ Email (optional): _____



TIMBER SALE

VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE

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

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

VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE

- This verification must be completed and submitted within 21 days of contract award and prior to the issuance of the timber sale contract.
- In addition, if boxes 2B or 2C are checked, then Notice of Exclusion or Certificate of Insurance must be submitted within 21 days of the contract award and prior to the issuance of the timber sale contract.
- All Information must be typed or printed except for written signatures.

Please Check Appropriate Categories:

1. My business is organized as (you **must** check one of the boxes below):
 - A. Sole Proprietorship (individual)
 - B. Partnership
 - C. Corporation
2. You **must** check one of the boxes below:
 - A. I certify that my business is a sole proprietorship and it has no employees but the sole proprietor. I am not subject to the Worker's Compensation Laws.
 - B. I certify that my business has satisfied its obligation to the Worker's Compensation Act through the use of an approved Notice of Exclusion (BWC-337, Rev. 5/96). I will provide a copy of the Notice of Exclusion within 21 days of the contract award. (For questions or a copy of the BWC-337, please call the Worker's Compensation Bureau at 517-322-1195).
 - C. I certify that my business has a Worker's Compensation Policy. I will provide an original Certificate of Insurance within 21 days of the contract award.
3. If you have checked item 2(A) or 2(B), you **must** indicate the number of **both** full-time and part-time employees, other than yourself, including family members and active partners (if none, you must enter "0").

_____ Full-time Employees

_____ Part-time Employees

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

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

Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative

Title

Date

NOBLE RED PINE (61-007-15-01)
T27N, R14W, SEC. 13, Benzie County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 3:30 p.m. (local time) on October 22, 2015, I am hereby submitting my sealed bid (firm offer) for the following forest products to be cut. Bids for individual species must be at or above the advertised price. All non-responsive bid forms may be rejected.

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>	<u>BID PRICE</u>
Sawlogs			
Red Pine	82.50 MBF	\$ 142.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
Pulpwood			
Red Pine	395.00 Cords	\$ 38.30 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 16.47 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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_____ Full-time Employees

_____ Part-time Employees

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

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Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative

Title

Date

BROWN SUGAR HARDWOOD (61-008-15-01)
T27N, R13W, SEC. 18, Benzie County

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<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>	<u>BID PRICE</u>
Sawlogs			
Basswood	38.00 MBF	\$ 176.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
Mixed Aspen	24.50 MBF	\$ 97.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
Red Maple	18.90 MBF	\$ 176.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
Sugar Maple	30.80 MBF	\$ 342.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
Pulpwood			
Mixed Aspen	116.00 Cords	\$ 22.50 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	501.00 Cords	\$ 13.85 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$4,779.20 :

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Beech	17.80 MBF	\$ 74.00 / MBF
Black Cherry	5.20 MBF	\$ 258.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Basswood	97.00 Cords	\$ 14.10 / Cord
Mixed Pine	2.00 Cords	\$ 7.35 / Cord
White Ash	60.00 Cords	\$ 12.30 / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 13.75 percent. The estimated units are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

I understand that any or all bids may be rejected. All bids must be signed and all bid items must be bid or the bid form may be rejected. I also understand that consideration and awarding a contract will be based upon my past performance and ability to complete the contract based upon equipment and staffing subject to my control.

FEDERAL ID: _____ or SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER: _____

Company or individual bidding: _____

Company representative's name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

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

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

Phone number : _____ Email (optional): _____

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



TIMBER SALE

VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE

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TELAS PINE STRIPS (61-015-15-01)
T24N, R13W, SEC. 06, Manistee County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 3:30 p.m. (local time) on October 22, 2015, I am hereby submitting my sealed bid (firm offer) for the following forest products to be cut. Bids for individual species must be at or above the advertised price. All non-responsive bid forms may be rejected.

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>	<u>BID PRICE</u>
Sawlogs			
Red Pine	165.10 MBF	\$ 138.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
Pulpwood			
Red Pine	824.00 Cords	\$ 40.50 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 7.88 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): _____



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PURINA MIX (61-043-15-01)

T27N, R14W, SEC. 04; T27N, R14W, SEC. 09, Benzie County

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Sawlogs			
Red Pine	50.20 MBF	\$ 132.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
Sugar Maple	10.90 MBF	\$ 313.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
Pulpwood			
Mixed Hardwood	183.00 Cords	\$ 12.50 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord
Red Pine	428.00 Cords	\$ 38.30 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$2,635.20 :

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Mixed Aspen	11.50 MBF	\$ 92.00 / MBF
Mixed Hardwood	3.60 MBF	\$ 130.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Mixed Aspen	37.00 Cords	\$ 20.30 / Cord
White Ash	25.00 Cords	\$ 11.90 / Cord
White Pine	4.00 Cords	\$ 15.15 / Cord

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Company representative's name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

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