



**DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES  
STATE OF MICHIGAN**

**TIMBER SALE PROSPECTUS #6103**

SCHEDULED SALE DATE AND TIME: 3:00 p.m. (local time) on November 27, 2017.

LOCATION: GWINN MGMT UNIT, 410 WEST M-35, GWINN, MI 49841.

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

TECHNO BURMA (32-109-15) / T48N, R29W, SEC. 14, SWSW.

T48N, R29W, SEC. 22, NENW, NE1/4.

Marquette County, Advertised Price \$16,059.00, 91.0 Acres, Hardwood, Spruce/Fir/Tamarack.

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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 land.

## BID INSTRUCTIONS (VER. 09/02/2016):

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

Bids must be received by the Unit Manager, GWINN OFFICE, 410 WEST M-35, GWINN, MI 49841, no later than 3:00 p.m. (local time) on November 27, 2017. For further information concerning this sale, contact Tom Seablom at 906-346-9201.

### 2. Bidder's Qualifications (5/16)

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, the 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 (5/16)

Bid Forms may be completed online thru Michigan DNR Timber Sale Online Bidding (OLB) at [www.michigan.gov/timberbidding](http://www.michigan.gov/timberbidding) or by completing the hardcopy Bid Form found in the Timber Sale Prospectus. Hardcopy Bid Forms shall be manually signed in ink. Registration in OLB is considered your 'signature' for all bids submitted thru that system. 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 hardcopy Bid Form, each erasure or change must be initialed by the person signing the bid.

### 4. Submission of Sealed Bids (5/16)

Bid forms may be obtained from the Unit Manager or thru OLB. Bids may be submitted hardcopy or thru OLB. All hardcopy 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.

It is possible for a bidder to submit multiple bids on a single sale. For example, a bid may be submitted hardcopy and a bid may be submitted thru OLB. Or, two bidders from the same company could both submit bids on the same sale. If this were to happen, the State would accept all bids received and award the contract accordingly. All bidding and contractual requirements would apply to all bids received.

### 5. Public Opening of Sealed Bids (7/16)

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 or announce the withdrawal of their online bid 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](http://www.michigan.gov/timber). Contact the Unit Manager for additional information or a sample contract. Within 21 days of the date of the award letter, the bidder must sign the contract and provide the required down payment, performance security, and verification of worker's disability compensation. The down payment and performance security shall be in accordance with the provisions of the timber sale contract, in the sums stated in this prospectus. If these actions are not taken, then the Bidder, the Bidder's corporation, and the corporation's principals may not be permitted to bid on State timber sales for a period of 1 year. In addition, the Bidder certifies that if awarded this contract, the Bidder will complete the timber sale contract in accordance with its terms and any modifications thereof including requirements to purchase, cut, and remove the included timber by the expiration date.

#### 10. Disclaimer of Estimates and Bidder's Warranty of Inspection (7/16)

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.

#### 12. Good Neighbor Authority (GNA) Requirements (7/16)

If the name of this timber sales contains the acronym GNA, it is authorized by the Good Neighbor Authority (GNA) and covered by various agreements between the U.S. Forest Service and the State. The timber sale occurs on federal land and the following conditions apply:

GNA contracts on US Forest Service land will not be awarded to purchasers on the Federal list of excluded parties. The System for Award Management (SAM) will be checked for active excluded parties prior to award of contract. In addition, the Bidder to whom award is made must complete an Assurance Regarding Felony Conviction or Tax Delinquent Status for Corporate Applicants (AD-3031).

#### 13. Good Neighbor Authority (GNA) Requirements, con't (9/16)

Bidder certifies, by signing this bid form, that to the best of Bidder's knowledge that the following representations are accurate and complete.

- a. That the Bidder and its principals are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntary excluded from timber sales (covered transactions) by any Federal department or agency.
- b. That the Bidder and its principals have not within a 3-year period preceding this bid been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (Federal, State, or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction; violation of Federal or State antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property.

c. That the Bidder and its principals are not presently indicted for or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a governmental entity (Federal, State, or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in paragraph b of this certification.

d. That the Bidder and its principals have not within a 3-year period preceding this bid had one or more public transactions (Federal, State, or local) terminated for breach or default of a timber or forest product contract.

Bidders that cannot certify this requirement, in whole or in part, shall submit an explanation with their bid.

KEITH CREAGH

Director

## TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

### TECHNO BURMA (32-109-15)

T48N, R29W, SEC. 14; T48N, R29W, SEC. 22.  
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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 land.

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

| <u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u> | <u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u> | <u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u> |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Pulpwood                      |                         |                         |
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\* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 13.06 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.
4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 11/30/2020.

## Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

**Sale Name: TECHNO BURMA**

**Sale Number: 32-109-15 Seq#: 5**

### 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 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. Green painted trees designating the 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 (6/14)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 & 2, cut all trees that are four (4) inches or more at DBH. EXCEPT, within Units 1 & 2 all spruce stems must be cut or laid flat on the ground due to forest health concerns (Dwarf Mistletoe). ALSO, within Units 1 & 2, DO NOT CUT: oak, hemlock, cedar, white pine, red pine and yellow birch.

#### 2.2 - Utilization

##### 2.2.9 - No chipping permitted (12/08)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 & 2, all wood must be removed by whole tree, tree segment, or round wood.

### 3 - Payments

#### 3.3 - Pre-measured Sales

##### 3.3.4 - Dividing payment units (7/14)

Payment Unit(s) 1 & 2 may be divided at the request of the Purchaser and upon approval of the Unit Manager. Dividing Payment Units is a contract modification which requires a Timber Sale Contract Supplement. There will be only one division per Payment Unit.

### 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 used to block roads once sale is finished.

##### 4.1.4 - Timber removed for construction (12/09)

Trees cut or damaged in the process of pre-approved road, landing or skid trail construction will be decked in an area separate from other Designated Timber and not removed until measured by the sale administrator. Payment will be made at the specified Purchase Unit Price.

##### 4.1.6 - Road construction (1/09)

Construction of new roads or improvements of existing roads shall be done in such a way as to minimize the environmental and visual impacts. Merchantable trees shall be cut and utilized unless otherwise directed. Non-merchantable trees shall be severed and laid flat on the ground. Slash shall be scattered, and not left in windrows and kept a minimum of 10 feet back from the road edge. Stumps shall be set upright, not left on edge, and be moved at least 10 feet away from the road edge. Disturbed soil shall be feathered into the woods and not left in berms or windrows.

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

All new roads built into the sale must be blocked to vehicle traffic upon completion of the sale. In general, this will require stumps, rocks, tops and slash to be placed during the first 200' of the newly built road. These roads must be rendered impassable to trucks and ORV's. Contact the sale administrator for specific details of design and placement.

## 4.2 - Maintenance

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

Hauling may be restricted by the sale administrator. 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.

## 4.4 - Access

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

Permission for access across private land is the responsibility of the Purchaser. Contact Steve Nelson with Weyerhaeuser @ 906-524-2040.

## 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. 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 blue paint line.

#### 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.

#### 5.2.17 - Crane Mats/Timber Mats (10/14)

Some roads or skid trails may require extra protection such as that afforded by Crane Mats/Timber Mats. If available, Crane Mats/Timber Mats may be borrowed from the DNR and are located at the Marquette ICC and the Grayling Field Office. Contact the sale administrator for specific details. A Timber Sale Contract Supplement will be used to document the Purchaser's use of the DNR's Crane Mats/Timber Mats. It is the responsibility of the Purchaser to contact the sale administrator to schedule pick up and drop off. In addition, all mats must be cleaned prior to drop off. A charge of \$125.00 will be assessed for all damaged or non-returned mats. Damage is defined as misuse resulting in three or more broken cants.

#### 5.2.22 - Operating Caution

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

It is recommended, but not required, that within Payment Unit(s) 1 & 2, cutting, skidding, and hauling occur during dry summer or frozen winter conditions. The reason for the recommendation is due to wet (black spruce) areas within the sale area.

#### 5.2.31 - Landing locations (9/13)

Landing locations must be approved by the sale administrator prior to construction. In general, landings are limited to a "T" turnaround which will accommodate a truck with a 50 foot trailer.

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

No decking is allowed within 150 feet of the Burma Road. Also, no equipment may be parked on the Burma Road and

Clowry Grade at any time.

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

The Burma Road 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. Maintain a 20 foot wide slash, debris, and rut free zone daily using the snowmobile trail as the centerline. If the Burma road is used during the snowmobile season (December 1 to March 31) the producer must leave at least a 4" base of snow on the trail when plowing. NOTE: The Clowry Grade is an access point to this sale and is also a snowmobile trail. This spec also applies to the Clowry Grade.

### 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 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 on skid trails which is 12 inches or greater in depth and 50 feet in length. The Unit Manager or his/her representative may restrict hauling and/or skidding if ruts exceed the specified depth. With the Unit Manager or his/her representative's approval, the Purchaser may return to the area when the risk of rutting has decreased.

#### 5.4.4 - Slope protection (5/15)

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

### 5.8 - Protection of Endangered Species

#### 5.8.5 - Protection of raptor nests (3/13)

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

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

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on the Burma Road and the Clowry Grade prior to beginning operations during the snowmobile season (approximately December 1 to March 31). The trail must be posted 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. Also, the producer must contact Dave Keto with Moose Country at 906-250-7114 to make sure yield signs are placed on the snowmobile trail in coordination with the Snowmobile Trail Signing Handbook.

## 7 - Other Conditions

### 7.3 - Contract Modifications

#### 7.3.1 - Emerald Ash Borer

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

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





# TIMBER SALE MAP

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

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|--|----------------------------|--|---------------------------|------------------|----------------|
| Forest Management Unit<br><b>Gwinn Management Unit</b> | County<br><b>Marquette</b> | Mapped By<br><b>Jason Caron</b>                                  | Date<br><b>04/22/2015</b> | Page<br><b>1</b> | of<br><b>1</b> |
| Township<br><b>48N</b>                                 | Range<br><b>29W</b>        | Section(s) and Subdivision(s)<br><b>14- SWSW 22- NENW,NE 1/4</b> | Scale<br><b>1:15,840</b>  |                  |                |

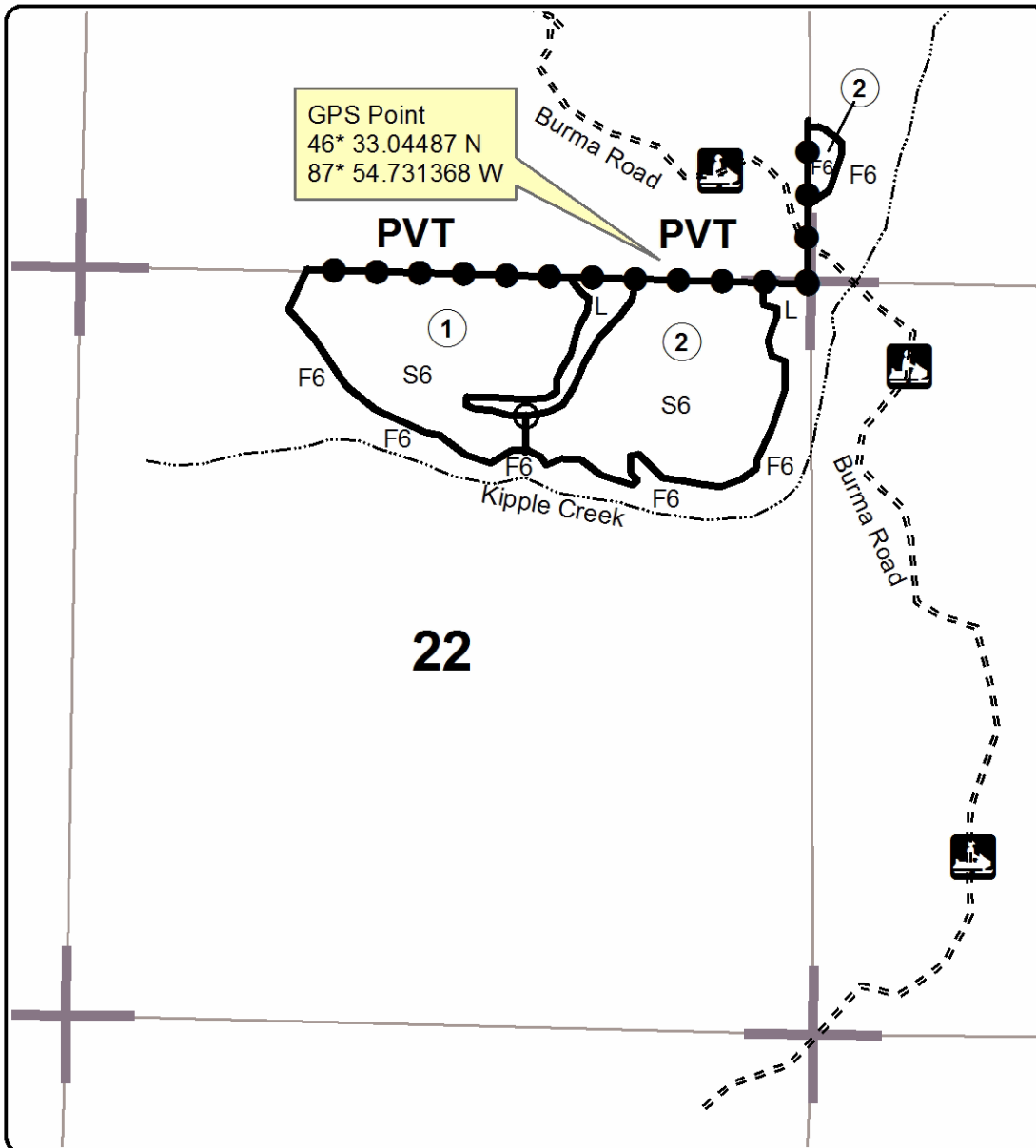
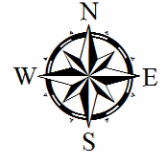
| Cover Type        |                      |                         |                   | Density                     |                        |
|-------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|
| A = Aspen         | 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, 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  | 44    |
| 2  | 47    |

## Techno Burma

### Compartment 212

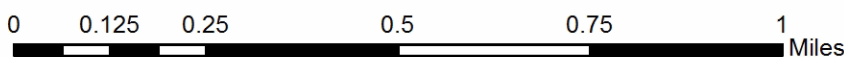
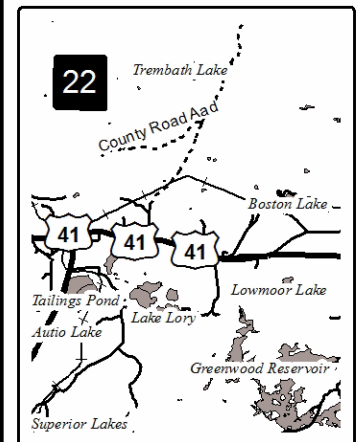
91 Acres



**Legend**

- Section Corners
- Poor Dirt Road
- Sale Boundary
  - Against State (Red)
  - Payment Unit (Green)
  - Private Line (Blue)
- Stream
- Snowmobile Trails

Locator Map  
1:250,000





TECHNO BURMA (32-109-15)  
T48N, R29W, SEC. 14; T48N, R29W, SEC. 22; Marquette COUNTY

In response to the notice of sale to be held 3:00 p.m. (local time) on November 27, 2017, I am hereby submitting my sealed bid (firm offer) for the following forest products to be cut. Bids for individual species must be at or above the advertised price. All non-responsive bid forms may be rejected.

| <u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u> | <u>ESTIMATED VOLUME*</u> | <u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u> | <u>BID PRICE/UNIT</u> |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|
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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**



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

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

As required by Act 317, P.A. 1969 (Worker's Compensation) and  
Part 5 of Act 451 of 1994, as amended.

#### 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 twenty-one (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 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 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 my business has a Worker's Compensation Policy. I will provide an original Certificate of Insurance within twenty-one (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

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|------------------|-------|-------------------------------------|--|
| Name of Business |       | Federal ID (or) Social Security No. |  |
| Address          |       | Telephone<br>(      )               |  |
| City             | State | ZIP                                 |  |

*I hereby certify that the above information is true and correct. I agree to notify the Michigan DNR 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

Please complete the "SEALED BID" information on the next page