



**DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
STATE OF MICHIGAN**

TIMBER SALE PROSPECTUS #7159

REVISION NOTICE #1 - January 13, 2023

SCHEDULED SALE DATE AND TIME: 9:00 a.m. (local time) on Thursday, February 2, 2023

LOCATION: Baraga Mgmt Unit, 427 US 41 North, Baraga, MI 49908

This prospectus has been modified with the following changes.

The sale conditions for the **Pipeline Post** timber sale (12-015-22) have been updated. Please use the attached sale conditions when bidding on this sale and disregard the original sale conditions sent with the prospectus.

- Spec 2.1.1 has been updated to apply to Payment Unit's **1** and **3 - 6**.

We apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused. If you need assistance, please contact Brad Carlson at 906-353-6651.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Pipeline Post

Sale Number: 12-015-22 Seq#: 1

1 - Sale Area

1.2 - Boundaries

1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (9/19)

The sale boundary and Payment Unit boundaries are marked and identified by blue and red. 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

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 and 3 - 6, cut all trees that are two (2) inches or more at DBH, with the following exceptions:

- Within Payment Unit 1, do not cut cherry, red pine, white pine, cedar, oak, and hemlock.
- Within Payment Units 3, 5 and 6, do not cut red pine, white pine, cedar, oak, hemlock, or any green painted white birch trees.

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 2 & 7, all trees are designated for cutting when marked with orange paint above and below stump height, regardless of merchantability. In addition, within Payment Unit 7, all other species which meet minimum piece specifications are designated for cutting, except do not cut white pine, unmarked red pine, cedar and white birch 8" at DBH and smaller.

4 - Transportation

4.1 - Construction

4.1.6 - Road construction (1/09)

Construction of new roads or improvements of existing roads shall be done in such a way as to minimize the environmental and visual impacts. Merchantable trees shall be cut and utilized unless otherwise directed.

Non-merchantable trees shall be severed and laid flat on the ground. Slash shall be scattered, and not left in windrows and kept a minimum of 10 feet back from the road edge. Stumps shall be set upright, not left on edge, and be moved at least 10 feet away from the road edge. Disturbed soil shall be feathered into the woods and not left in berms or windrows.

4.1.7 - Road closure (10/11)

All new roads built into the sale may 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.

4.2 - Maintenance

4.2.1 - Hauling restriction (12/08)

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

4.2.4 - Grading (10/16)

For completion of the sale, state forest roads must be graded. In general, this will require a road grader or bull dozer to shape up the roads after forest products have been hauled off site. This includes cleaning of drainage areas, grading, crowning and filling with gravel, if necessary. The grading equipment to be used must be approved by the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

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

5.1.3 - Well heads and natural gas pipelines (11/15)

The Purchaser is responsible for contacting the Enbridge pipeline company 30 days prior to operating equipment in the vicinity of well heads or natural gas pipelines. Enbridge will require a site visit and permit to allow operations in and crossing of pipeline right of way. Call Lisa Depew at 219-789-8782 or email glr.crossings@enbridge.com.

5.1.7 - Railroad R.O.W. (3/16)

Escanaba & Lake Superior Railroad Company owns the railroad that will need to be crossed to access Payment Unit 1. Please contact Bob Anderson at 906.542.3214 in order to acquire permission and permit to construct a crossing.

5.2 - Conduct of Operations

5.2.1 - Slash

5.2.1.8 - Slash height (12/08)

No slash or tops in Payment Unit 4 may exceed 24 inches in height.

5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

5.2.3.3 - Bark slippage restriction (3/09)

Within Payment Unit(s) 2, 3, 4, 6, and 7, 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.

5.2.22 - Operating Caution

5.2.22.1 - Operating caution (6/11)

It is recommended, but not required, that within Payment Unit(s) 1, cutting and skidding occur during dry summer or frozen winter conditions. The reason for the recommendation is because of wet soils, particularly in the east half.

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 on the pipeline without written permission from Enbridge Pipeline.

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 (7/16)

Operations are to cease immediately if equipment and weather conditions result in rutting of roads and/or 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 (10/20)

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on Turner 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.