



**DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
STATE OF MICHIGAN
TIMBER SALE PROSPECTUS #7404**

SCHEDULED SALE DATE AND TIME: 9:00 a.m. (local time) on April 9, 2024.

LOCATION: GAYLORD MGMT UNIT, 1732 WEST M 32, GAYLORD, MI 49735.

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

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

Some Beech Mix (52-110-23) / T35N, R01W, SEC. 17, N1/2NW,NE,N1/2SW,SESW,NESE.

T35N, R01W, SEC. 8 , SWSW.

Cheboygan County, Advertised Price \$163,378.60, 129.7 Acres, Aspen, Hardwood.

SALE NOTE: Payment Unit 1 requires a 6" stump height and treatment of slash. Payment Units 2 & 3 have oak wilt restrictions for all operations; Payment Unit 1 has oak wilt restrictions for road work only. Note that the beech is deteriorating in Payment Unit 1.

Hydrargyrum Mix (52-111-23) / T34N, R03W, SEC. 3 , NWNW.

T35N, R03W, SEC. 33, E1/2SE.

T35N, R03W, SEC. 34, NW,W1/2SW.

Cheboygan County, Advertised Price \$47,429.15, 72.9 Acres, Aspen, Jack Pine.

SALE NOTE: Oak wilt restrictions (no exceptions) apply.

Snowmobile trail may not be used for operations during the snowmobile season, but alternate access may be considered during this time.

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.

First Time Popple and Pine (52-119-23) / T36N, R01W, SEC. 26, N1/2NW.

T36N, R01W, SEC. 27, SENW,NENE,S1/2NE.

Cheboygan County, Advertised Price \$41,632.05, 55.9 Acres, Red Pine, Hardwood.

SALE NOTE: Primary access for Payment Unit 1 will be the snowmobile trail. Possible alternative access through private to the north. Primary access to Payment Unit 2 will be through private to the west. Alternative route will be the snowmobile trail. Payment Unit 1 has fair quality red pine. Payment Unit 2 has pockets of large DBH/higher volume of aspen and red maple with pockets of low ground, low volume. Recommended summer or winter harvest.

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.

Way Back There Mix (52-122-23) / T38N, R04W, SEC. 17, S1/2NW,N1/2SW,NWSE.

T38N, R04W, SEC. 18, NE,N1/2SE.

Emmet County, Advertised Price \$109,027.50, 151.5 Acres, Hardwood, Aspen.

SALE NOTE: Payment Unit 1 includes some large DBH, over-mature aspen. Drier ground in center portion of the Payment Unit, wetter ground along east side of Payment Unit. Payment Unit 2 has a high volume of red maple sawlog and pulpwood. Two wet areas in the western portion of the Payment Unit. Payment Unit 3 has a high volume of red maple and cedar with some individual tree blowdown. Recommend summer or winter harvest.

BID INSTRUCTIONS (VER. 10/10/2022):

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

Bids must be received by the Unit Manager, GAYLORD OFFICE, 1732 West M 32, Gaylord, MI 49735, no later than 9:00 a.m. (local time) on April 9, 2024. For further information concerning this sale, contact Lucas Merrick at 989-732-3541 extension .

2. Bidder's Qualifications (10/22)

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. A person must be 18 years of age or older to purchase timber. Permanent employees of the Department of Natural Resources or members of their immediate household may not bid. Former employees, in the permanent or seasonal class, may not bid until 3 months after the last day of active duty. 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 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. Worker's Compensation (10/22)

Purchaser shall obtain worker's 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. Verification of Worker's Disability Compensation Act Compliance must be completed and submitted within 21 days of contract award and prior to the issuance of the timber sale contract. In addition, if applicable, Notice of Exclusion or Certificate of Insurance must also be submitted.

10. Timber Sale Contract (10/22)

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 3 months after the first offense, 6 months after the second offense, and 1 year after the third offense. An offense will only be counted against the Bidder for 5 years. 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.

Payment Unit values in the State Forest Timber Sale Contract are calculated based on the advertised value of the Payment Unit as a percentage of the total advertised value of the contract. The advertised value of each Payment Unit is given in the Description of Timber by Payment Unit table on the Timber Sale Information page. For example, if the value of Payment Unit 1 is advertised as \$1,500 and the total Timber Sale value is advertised as \$10,000, the contract price for Payment Unit 1 will be 15% of the total bid price ($\$1,500/\$10,000 * 100$).

11. Disclaimer of Estimates and Bidder's Warranty of Inspection (10/22)

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.

12. Certification and Chain-of-Custody (10/22)

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.

13. Good Neighbor Authority (GNA) Requirements (10/22)

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).

14. Good Neighbor Authority (GNA) Requirements, con't (10/22)

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.

Scott Bowen
Director

TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

Some Beech Mix (52-110-23)
 T35N, R01W, SEC. 17; T35N, R01W, SEC. 8.
 Cheboygan County (Advertised Price \$163,378.60)

SALE NOTE: Payment Unit 1 requires a 6" stump height and treatment of slash. Payment Units 2 & 3 have oak wilt restrictions for all operations; Payment Unit 1 has oak wilt restrictions for road work only. Note that the beech is deteriorating in Payment Unit 1.

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. All units of volume listed below were estimated using the Inventory Manager computer program and the new Michigan taper model. Bids must be at or above the following advertised price for each product and species:

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawtimber		
Basswood	94.2 MBF	\$ 88.00 / MBF
Beech	23.8 MBF	\$ 45.00 / MBF
Mixed Aspen	661.9 MBF	\$ 60.00 / MBF
Paper Birch	2.7 MBF	\$ 50.00 / MBF
Red Maple	24.3 MBF	\$ 181.00 / MBF
Red Pine	3.0 MBF	\$ 132.00 / MBF
Sugar Maple	150.8 MBF	\$ 313.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Basswood	98 Cords	\$ 16.00 / Cord
Mixed Aspen	1,610 Cords	\$ 20.60 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	1,099 Cords	\$ 23.20 / Cord
Paper Birch	2 Cords	\$ 16.30 / Cord
Red Oak	43 Cords	\$ 39.75 / Cord
Red Pine	1 Cords	\$ 49.05 / Cord
White Pine	4 Cords	\$ 38.15 / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 9.06 percent. There are an estimated 5,087 cords on this timber sale, plus or minus 461 cords at the 95% confidence level. 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 \$8,169.00 to insure faithful performance of the conditions of the contract will be deposited by the successful bidder within 21 days of the sale award.
2. Cutting in any sale or unit without the required advance payment would be considered a trespass.
3. Total payment must be paid in advance or according to the following schedule :
 - (a) Ten percent (10%) of the sale value must be paid within 21 days of the sale award.
 - (b) The 10% down payment will be credited towards the first unit cut.
 - (c) Payment for each of the following units must be made before cutting begins in that unit:

PAYMENT UNIT NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALE VALUE
01	23.2%
02	32.1%
03	44.7%

4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 06/30/2027.

SALE STATISTICS

Volumes were calculated in cubic feet using the Michigan taper model. Cubic foot volume includes all wood inside bark for the product indicated. For display purposes, cubic feet were converted to cords and MBF using a simple conversion factor, e.g. 79 cubic feet per cord and 185 cubic feet per MBF. The cubic foot volumes are precise; the cords and MBF volumes are not. Cubic foot volume cannot be directly converted to cords or boards with precision.

SALE VOLUMES

The total estimated sale volume may not equal the sum of the species/products due to the nature of statistical calculations associated with double sampling methodology.

VOLUME			STATISTICAL RANGE IN CORDS	
TOTAL CUBIC FEET	TOTAL CORDS	PERCENT ERROR	MINIMUM	MAXIMUM
401,911	5,087	9.06%	4,626	5,549

VDU VOLUMES

A VDU is a Volume Determination Unit. Volumes and their associated statistics are calculated at the VDU level and summarized to the sale level. There is often a one to one relationship between a VDU and a Payment Unit, but not always, depending on the cruise design. Refer to the VDU TO PAYMENT UNIT table.

	VOLUME			RANGE IN CORDS	
VDU	TOTAL CUBIC FEET	TOTAL CORDS	PERCENT ERROR	MINIMUM	MAXIMUM
7	111,984	1,418	18.12%	1,161	1,674
21	84,557	1,070	18.57%	872	1,269
25	100,725	1,275	17.84%	1,047	1,503
40	104,645	1,325	17.98%	1,086	1,563
TOTAL:	401,911	5,087		4,166	6,009

VDU TO PAYMENT UNIT

When a VDU is associated with more than one Payment Unit (PU), the VDU volumes are assigned to the PU based on acres of the VDU within the PU.

VDU	VDU ACRES	PU	PU ACRES
7	34.6	2	34.6
21	23.5	3	23.5
25	42.8	1	42.8
40	28.8	3	28.8
TOTAL:	129.7		129.7

DESCRIPTION OF TIMBER BY PAYMENT UNIT (PU)

PU	MARKET GROUP	PRODUCT	QUANTITY	UNIT	ACRES	ADVERTISE PRICE	
1	Basswood	Sawtimber	32.7	MBF	42.8	\$37,857.70	
	Beech		20.7	MBF			
	Mixed Aspen		31.0	MBF			
	<i>B. T. Aspen</i>		31.0	MBF			
	Red Maple		20.4	MBF			
	Red Pine		3.0	MBF			
	Sugar Maple		22.5	MBF			
	Basswood		Pulpwood	47			Cords
	Mixed Aspen			358			Cords
	<i>B. T. Aspen</i>			352			Cords
	<i>Quaking Aspen</i>			6			Cords
	Mixed Hardwood			475			Cords
	<i>Beech</i>			224			Cords
	<i>Ironwood</i>			2			Cords
	<i>Red Maple</i>	58		Cords			
	<i>Sugar Maple</i>	191		Cords			
	Red Oak	43		Cords			
	<i>Red Oak</i>	Sawtimber	3.9	MBF			
	<i>Red Oak</i>		Pulpwood	35			Cords
	Red Pine	1		Cords			
White Pine	4	Cords					
2	Basswood	Sawtimber	36.7	MBF	34.6	\$52,390.80	
	Beech		2.5	MBF			
	Mixed Aspen		221.1	MBF			
	<i>B. T. Aspen</i>		188.0	MBF			
	<i>Balsam Poplar</i>		4.8	MBF			
	<i>Quaking Aspen</i>		28.3	MBF			
	Paper Birch		2.7	MBF			
	Sugar Maple		69.9	MBF			
	Basswood		Pulpwood	32			Cords
	Mixed Aspen			330			Cords
	<i>B. T. Aspen</i>			297			Cords
	<i>Balsam Poplar</i>			6			Cords
	<i>Quaking Aspen</i>			27			Cords
	Mixed Hardwood			277			Cords
	<i>Beech</i>	56		Cords			
	<i>Ironwood</i>	2		Cords			
	<i>Striped Maple</i>	2		Cords			
	<i>Sugar Maple</i>	217		Cords			
	Paper Birch	2	Cords				
	3	Basswood	Sawtimber	24.8			MBF
Beech		0.6		MBF			
Mixed Aspen		409.8		MBF			
<i>B. T. Aspen</i>		392.2		MBF			
<i>Quaking Aspen</i>		17.6		MBF			
Red Maple		3.9		MBF			
Sugar Maple		58.4		MBF			
Basswood		Pulpwood		19	Cords		
Mixed Aspen				922	Cords		
<i>B. T. Aspen</i>				821	Cords		
<i>Quaking Aspen</i>			101	Cords			
Mixed Hardwood			347	Cords			
<i>Beech</i>			7	Cords			
<i>Black Cherry</i>		7	Cords				
<i>Red Maple</i>		30	Cords				
<i>Sugar Maple</i>		278	Cords				

DESCRIPTION OF TIMBER BY PAYMENT UNIT (PU), CON'T

PU	MARKET GROUP	PRODUCT	QUANTITY	UNIT	ACRES	ADVERTISE PRICE
3 con't	<i>White Ash</i>	<i>Pulpwood</i>	25	<i>Cords</i>		
TOTAL:			960.7	MBF		
TOTAL:			2,857	Cords		

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Some Beech Mix

Sale Number: 52-110-23 Seq#: 2

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 paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against private property are marked with blue paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. Retention patches are marked with red paint; no harvesting activities may occur within these areas. The painted boundary line trees are not Included Timber and are to be protected.

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, cut all trees that are two (2) inches or more at DBH, except do not cut any trees marked with teal paint.

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 2 & 3, cut all trees which meet minimum piece specifications in 2.2 Utilization, except do not cut any conifer species or oak.

2.2 - Utilization

2.2.2 - Chipping required (2/18)

Payment Unit 1 must be chip harvested to facilitate subsequent planting operations. If market conditions limit the practicality of chipping, tops and slash must be arranged in a way that will not inhibit future planting operations, as directed by the Sale Administrator. A chipping exemption can be obtained if proposed operations are determined to be suitable for planting by reforestation staff. This exemption must be granted in writing. Other tactics to mitigate slash for site preparation may include skidding slash onto steeper hillsides and/or the Payment Unit perimeter, as directed by the Timber Sale Administrator. The requirement to retain approximately 1/6 to 1/3 of tree tops and limbs less than four inches in diameter does not apply (G. C. & R. 2.2). This is to facilitate future planting operations.

2.2.3 - Stump heights (4/07)

Stump heights within Payment Unit 1 shall not exceed 6 inches for all trees. This is in order to facilitate planting operations. An exception may be made on hillsides with 45% slope or greater.

3 - Payments

3.6 - Payment Unit Cutting Schedule

3.6.1 - Order of cutting (1/09)

Payment Units shall be cut in numerical order.

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 if not otherwise utilized by the Producer.

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. Stumps shall be set upright, not left on edge, and be moved at least 10 feet away from the road edge unless utilized to block new roads upon closure of the sale, or if otherwise directed by the Sale Administrator. Disturbed soil shall be feathered into the woods and not left in berms or

windrows. Disturbed soil may alternatively be used to rehabilitate the road upon closure if directed by the Sale Administrator.

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 may require constructing a four (4') foot high berm of stumps and logs covered with earth. These roads must be rendered impassable to cars and trucks. Temporary berms may be required if no sale activity occurs for 30 or more consecutive days. Contact the Sale Administrator for specific details of design and placement.

5 - Operations

5.2 - Conduct of Operations

5.2.2 - Hazard Trees/Snags

5.2.2.1 - Den trees (10/16)

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

5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

5.2.3.4 - Oak wilt restriction, no exceptions (1/18)

Within Payment Units 2 & 3, cutting, skidding, hauling within the sale and brushing of access roads to the sale are not permitted during the period of April 15 to July 15. No exceptions will be granted. This is necessary to reduce the spread of oak wilt. Within Payment Unit 1, road work is not permitted during the period of April 15 to July 15.

5.2.4 - Dead and Down Creation

5.2.4.4 - Dead and down creation, grouse (6/18)

To encourage grouse and other wildlife, in Payment Unit(s) 2 & 3, leave one 12" or larger diameter (or largest diameter trees within stand) whole tree on the ground for every 2 acres, preferably a hardwood species. These will be evenly scattered throughout the Payment Unit.

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.

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

6.2.1 - Road posting (10/20)

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on Carter Road and M-33 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 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

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

Forest Management Unit Gaylord		County Cheboygan	Mapped By TSP	Date 09/12/2023	Page 1	of 1
Township 35N	Range 01W	Section(s) and Subdivision(s) 8: SWSW; 17: N1/2NW, NE, N1/2SW, SESW, NESE		Scale 1:15,840		

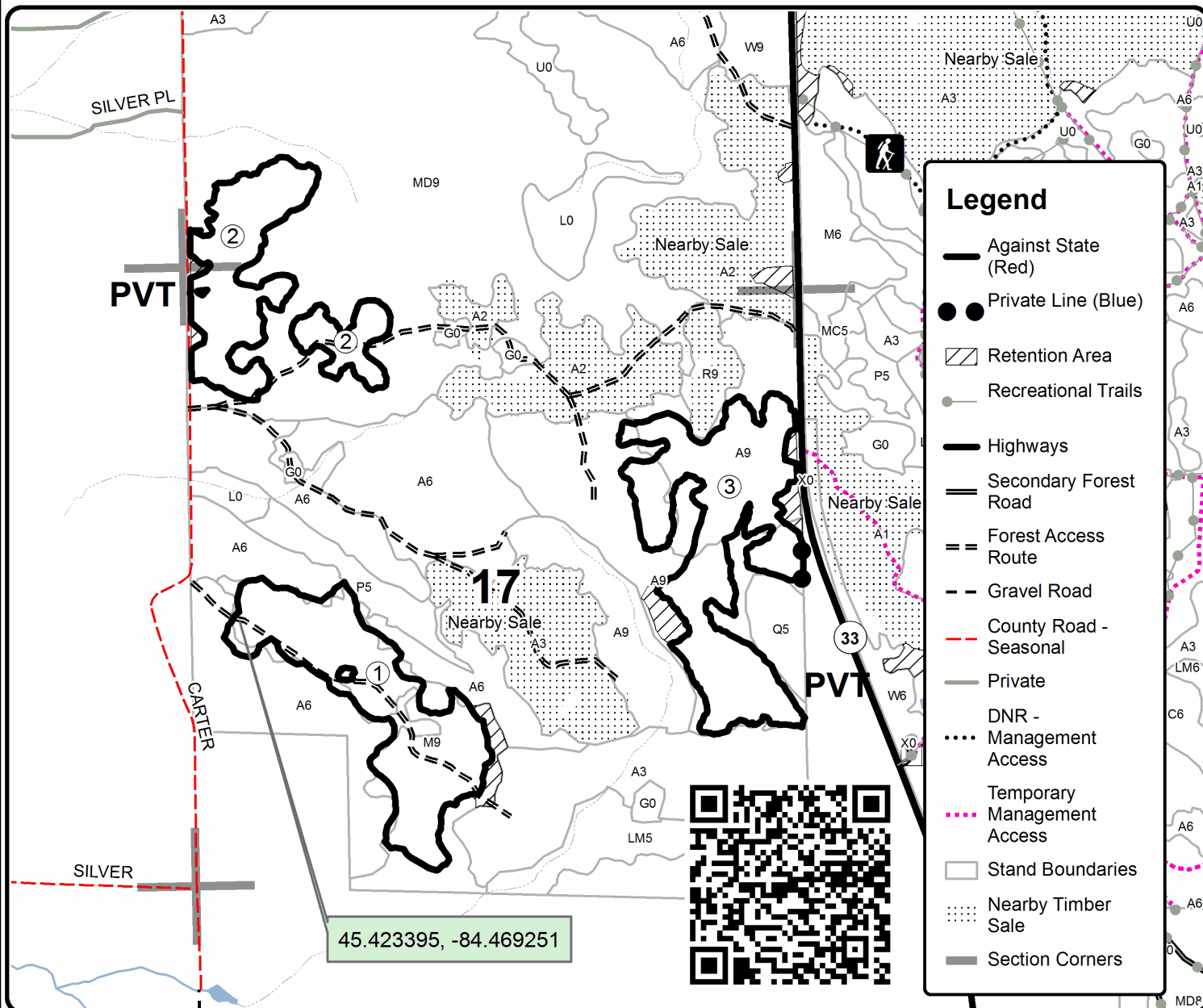
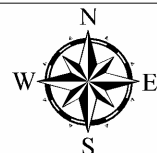
Cover Type				Density	
A = Aspen	H = Hemlock	N = Marsh	U = Upland Brush	0 = Non Stocked	5 = Pole Timber Medium
B = Paper Birch	J = Jack Pine	O = Oak	UM = Upland Mixed	1 = Seedling Sapling Poor	6 = Pole Timber Well
C = Cedar	L = Lowland Brush	P = Lowland Poplar	V = Bog or Marsh	2 = Seedling Sapling Medium	7 = Saw Timber Poor
D = 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	42.8
2	34.6
3	52.3

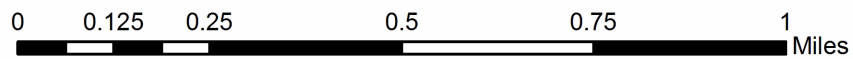
Some Beech Mix

Compartment 181

129.7 Acres



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TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

Hydrargyrum Mix (52-111-23)
 T34N, R03W, SEC. 3; T35N, R03W, SEC. 33; T35N, R03W, SEC. 34.
 Cheboygan County (Advertised Price \$47,429.15)

SALE NOTE: Oak wilt restrictions (no exceptions) apply.

Snowmobile trail may not be used for operations during the snowmobile season, but alternate access may be considered during this time.

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. All units of volume listed below were estimated using the Inventory Manager computer program and the new Michigan taper model. Bids must be at or above the following advertised price for each product and species:

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawtimber		
Jack Pine	21.8 MBF	\$ 33.00 / MBF
Mixed Aspen	230.8 MBF	\$ 60.00 / MBF
Red Maple	16.0 MBF	\$ 181.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Balsam Fir	2 Cords	\$ 17.55 / Cord
Jack Pine	227 Cords	\$ 18.05 / Cord
Mixed Aspen	818 Cords	\$ 20.60 / Cord
Northern Pin Oak	69 Cords	\$ 39.75 / Cord
Red Maple	138 Cords	\$ 23.20 / Cord
Red Oak	22 Cords	\$ 39.75 / Cord
Red Pine	20 Cords	\$ 49.05 / Cord
White Pine	31 Cords	\$ 38.15 / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 26.01 percent. There are an estimated 1,969 cords on this timber sale, plus or minus 512 cords at the 95% confidence level. 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 \$2,371.00 to insure faithful performance of the conditions of the contract will be deposited by the successful bidder within 21 days of the sale award.
2. Cutting in any sale or unit without the required advance payment would be considered a trespass.
3. Total payment must be paid in advance or according to the following schedule :
 - (a) Ten percent (10%) of the sale value must be paid within 21 days of the sale award.
 - (b) The 10% down payment will be credited towards the first unit cut.
 - (c) Payment for each of the following units must be made before cutting begins in that unit:

PAYMENT UNIT NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALE VALUE
01	24.4%
02	29.9%
03	29.7%
04	16.0%

4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.

5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 06/30/2026.

SALE STATISTICS

Volumes were calculated in cubic feet using the Michigan taper model. Cubic foot volume includes all wood inside bark for the product indicated. For display purposes, cubic feet were converted to cords and MBF using a simple conversion factor, e.g. 79 cubic feet per cord and 185 cubic feet per MBF. The cubic foot volumes are precise; the cords and MBF volumes are not. Cubic foot volume cannot be directly converted to cords or boards with precision.

SALE VOLUMES

The total estimated sale volume may not equal the sum of the species/products due to the nature of statistical calculations associated with double sampling methodology.

VOLUME			STATISTICAL RANGE IN CORDS	
TOTAL CUBIC FEET	TOTAL CORDS	PERCENT ERROR	MINIMUM	MAXIMUM
155,548	1,969	26.01%	1,457	2,481

VDU VOLUMES

A VDU is a Volume Determination Unit. Volumes and their associated statistics are calculated at the VDU level and summarized to the sale level. There is often a one to one relationship between a VDU and a Payment Unit, but not always, depending on the cruise design. Refer to the VDU TO PAYMENT UNIT table.

	VOLUME			RANGE IN CORDS	
VDU	TOTAL CUBIC FEET	TOTAL CORDS	PERCENT ERROR	MINIMUM	MAXIMUM
8	38,716	490	35.15%	318	662
10	91,803	1,162	26.21%	858	1,467
43	25,029	317	38.52%	195	439
TOTAL:	155,548	1,969		1,370	2,568

VDU TO PAYMENT UNIT

When a VDU is associated with more than one Payment Unit (PU), the VDU volumes are assigned to the PU based on acres of the VDU within the PU.

VDU	VDU ACRES	PU	PU ACRES
8	15.0	1	15.0
10	40.5	2	20.4
		3	20.1
43	17.4	4	17.4
TOTAL:	72.9		72.9

DESCRIPTION OF TIMBER BY PAYMENT UNIT (PU)

PU	MARKET GROUP	PRODUCT	QUANTITY	UNIT	ACRES	ADVERTISE PRICE
1	Mixed Aspen	Sawtimber	76.5	MBF	15.0	\$11,550.40
	<i>B. T. Aspen</i>		76.5	<i>MBF</i>		
	Mixed Aspen	Pulpwood	266	Cords		
	<i>B. T. Aspen</i>		266	<i>Cords</i>		
	Northern Pin Oak		10	Cords		
	<i>Northern Pin Oak</i>		10	<i>Cords</i>		
	Red Maple		9	Cords		
	Red Oak		22	Cords		
	<i>Red Oak</i>	<i>Sawtimber</i>	8.1	<i>MBF</i>		
	<i>Red Oak</i>	<i>Pulpwood</i>	6	<i>Cords</i>		
2	Jack Pine	Sawtimber	4.6	MBF	20.4	\$14,257.30
	Mixed Aspen		75.2	MBF		
	<i>B. T. Aspen</i>		72.3	<i>MBF</i>		
	<i>Quaking Aspen</i>		2.9	<i>MBF</i>		
	Red Maple		5.8	MBF		
	Jack Pine	Pulpwood	28	Cords		
	Mixed Aspen		267	Cords		
	<i>B. T. Aspen</i>		221	<i>Cords</i>		
	<i>Quaking Aspen</i>		46	<i>Cords</i>		
	Northern Pin Oak		30	Cords		
	<i>Northern Pin Oak</i>	<i>Sawtimber</i>	3.9	<i>MBF</i>		
	<i>Northern Pin Oak</i>	<i>Pulpwood</i>	22	<i>Cords</i>		
	Red Maple		58	Cords		
3	Jack Pine	Sawtimber	4.5	MBF	20.1	\$14,084.90
	Mixed Aspen		74.1	MBF		
	<i>B. T. Aspen</i>		71.2	<i>MBF</i>		
	<i>Quaking Aspen</i>		2.9	<i>MBF</i>		
	Red Maple		5.7	MBF		
	Jack Pine	Pulpwood	28	Cords		
	Mixed Aspen		264	Cords		
	<i>B. T. Aspen</i>		218	<i>Cords</i>		
	<i>Quaking Aspen</i>		46	<i>Cords</i>		
	Northern Pin Oak		30	Cords		
	<i>Northern Pin Oak</i>	<i>Sawtimber</i>	3.8	<i>MBF</i>		
	<i>Northern Pin Oak</i>	<i>Pulpwood</i>	22	<i>Cords</i>		
	Red Maple		57	Cords		
4	Jack Pine	Sawtimber	12.7	MBF	17.4	\$7,576.30
	Mixed Aspen		5.0	MBF		
	<i>B. T. Aspen</i>		5.0	<i>MBF</i>		
	Red Maple		4.5	MBF		
	Balsam Fir	Pulpwood	2	Cords		
	Jack Pine		171	Cords		
	Mixed Aspen		21	Cords		
	<i>B. T. Aspen</i>		21	<i>Cords</i>		
	Red Maple		14	Cords		
	Red Pine		20	Cords		
	<i>Red Pine</i>	<i>Sawtimber</i>	6.2	<i>MBF</i>		
	<i>Red Pine</i>	<i>Pulpwood</i>	8	<i>Cords</i>		
	White Pine		31	Cords		
	<i>White Pine</i>	<i>Sawtimber</i>	7.9	<i>MBF</i>		
<i>White Pine</i>	<i>Pulpwood</i>	15	<i>Cords</i>			
TOTAL:			268.6	MBF		
TOTAL:			1,328	Cords		

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Hydrargyrum Mix

Sale Number: 52-111-23 Seq#: 2

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 red paint, along with a snowmobile trail. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. Interior Payment Unit boundaries are unpainted and identified by the snowmobile trail (see Timber Sale Map). The painted boundary line trees are not Included Timber and are to be protected.

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 4, cut all trees that are two (2) inches or more at DBH, except do not cut any red and white pine that are twenty-four (24) inches or more at DBH, oak, or hemlock.

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1-3, cut all trees which meet minimum piece specifications in 2.2 Utilization, with the following exceptions:

- Within Payment Unit 1, do not cut any oak that are twenty-four (24) inches or more at DBH, red pine, white pine, or white oak.
- Within Payment Units 2 & 3, do not cut any oak that are twenty (20) inches or more at DBH, red pine, white pine, or white oak.

2.2 - Utilization

2.2.9 - No chipping permitted (12/08)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1-4, all wood must be removed by roundwood. No chipping is permitted.

4 - Transportation

4.1 - Construction

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

5.2 - Conduct of Operations

5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

5.2.3.4 - Oak wilt restriction, no exceptions (1/18)

Within Payment Units 1-4, cutting, skidding, hauling within the sale and brushing of access roads to the sale are not permitted during the period of April 15 to July 15. No exceptions will be granted. This is necessary to reduce the spread of oak wilt.

5.2.4 - Dead and Down Creation

5.2.4.2 - Dead and down creation, hare and grouse (1/14)

To improve habitat for snowshoe hare, grouse, and other species, the Purchaser is to leave two trees, nine (9) inches or larger in diameter on the ground for every two acres. If possible, the logs or trees should be felled so they overlap. Note these pieces should have a minimum length of 10 feet. They can be of any tree species and can be an un-merchantable piece of wood or a full tree.

5.2.29 - Shrub protection (1/20)

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

5.2.39 - ORV trail/route protection (4/18)

The ORV route is shown on the Timber Sale Map. Do not cut trees or damage posts with yellow ORV markers. Maintain a 20-foot-wide slash, debris, and rut free zone daily using the ORV trail or route as the centerline. Skidding across the trail or route may only occur in locations approved by the Sale Administrator.

5.2.41 - Snowmobile trail protection (9/11)

Snowmobile Trail 767 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 from December 1 to March 31. Maintain a 10-foot-wide slash, debris, and rut free zone daily using the snowmobile trail as the centerline. No decking of forest products will be permitted along the snowmobile trail. All stumps within 10 feet of the snowmobile trail must be cut at ground level or with a minimum 4-foot stump.

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.

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 (10/20)

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on Snowmobile Trail 767 prior to beginning operations during the snowmobile season (approximately December 1 to March 31). The trail must be posted at appropriate distances from the Sale Area to warn of logging activity and truck traffic. Signs must be removed when harvest operations are suspended or completed. The Purchaser will provide these signs.

6.2.3 - Recreational trail posting (10/20)

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on the ORV route prior to beginning operations. The trail must be posted at appropriate distances from the Sale Area to warn of logging activity and truck traffic at both ends of the trail. Signs must be removed when harvest operations are suspended or completed. The Purchaser will provide these signs.



TIMBER SALE MAP

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

Forest Management Unit Gaylord		County Cheboygan	Mapped By TSP	Date 09/28/2023	Page 1	of 1
Township 34N & 35N	Range 03W	Section(s) and Subdivision(s) 34N 03W Sec 3: NWNW; 35N 03W Sec 33: E1/2SE; 34: NW, W1/2SW		Scale 1:15,840		

Cover Type

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

Density

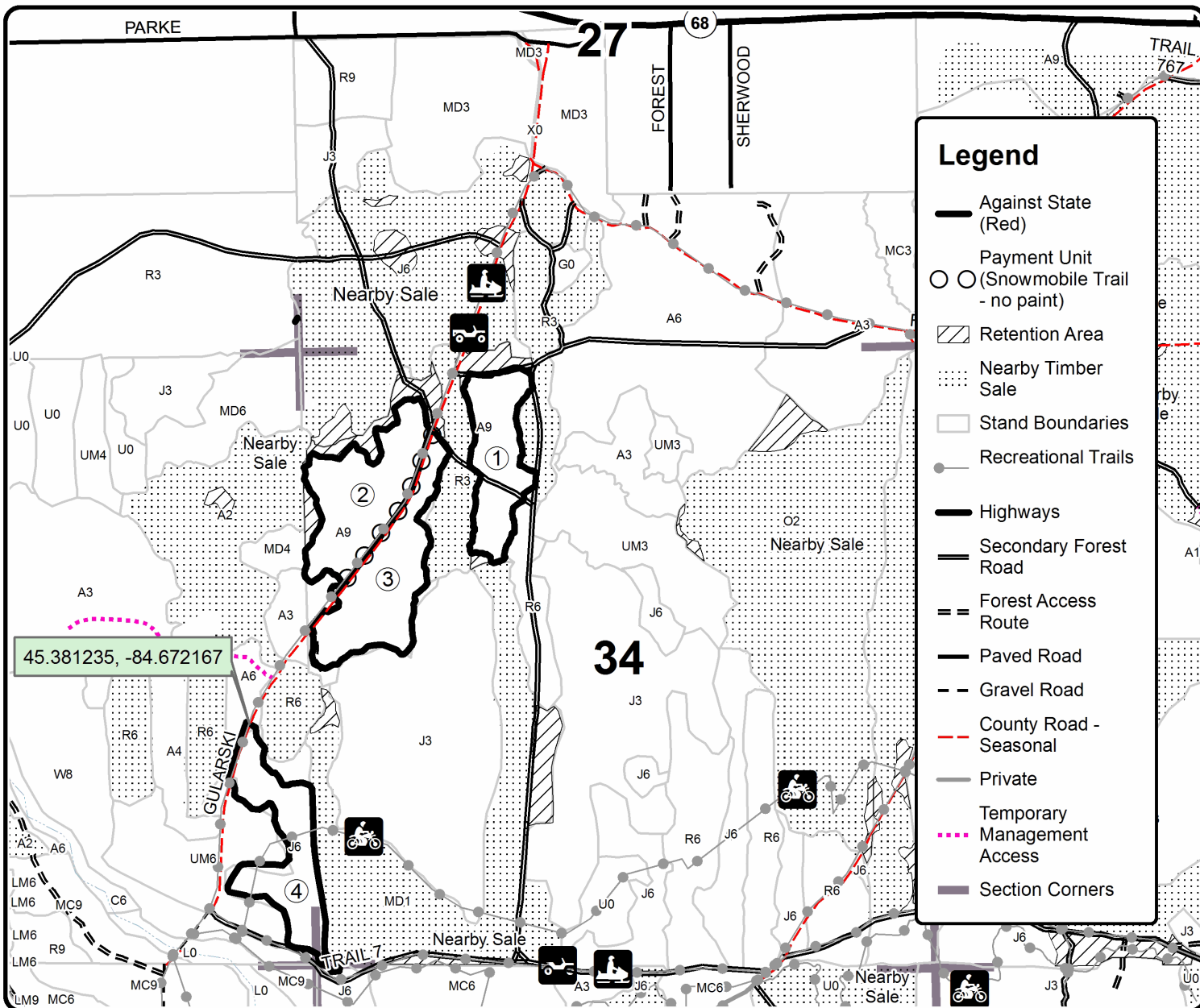
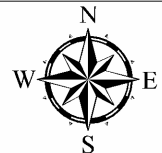
0 = Non Stocked	5 = Pole Timber Medium
1 = Seedling Sapling Poor	6 = Pole Timber Well
2 = Seedling Sapling Medium	7 = Saw Timber Poor
3 = Seedling Sapling Well	8 = Saw Timber Medium
4 = Pole Timber Poor	9 = Saw Timber Well

PU	Acres	PU	Acres
1	15.0	4	17.4
2	20.4		
3	20.1		

Hydrargyrum Mix

Compartment 142 & 151

72.9 Acres



TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

First Time Popple and Pine (52-119-23)
 T36N, R01W, SEC. 26; T36N, R01W, SEC. 27.
 Cheboygan County (Advertised Price \$41,632.05)

SALE NOTE: Primary access for Payment Unit 1 will be the snowmobile trail. Possible alternative access through private to the north. Primary access to Payment Unit 2 will be through private to the west. Alternative route will be the snowmobile trail. Payment Unit 1 has fair quality red pine. Payment Unit 2 has pockets of large DBH/higher volume of aspen and red maple with pockets of low ground, low volume. Recommended summer or winter harvest.

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. All units of volume listed below were estimated using the Inventory Manager computer program and the new Michigan taper model. Bids must be at or above the following advertised price for each product and species:

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawtimber		
Red Maple	33.0 MBF	\$ 181.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
B. T. Aspen	277 Cords	\$ 20.60 / Cord
Balsam Fir	131 Cords	\$ 17.55 / Cord
Paper Birch	14 Cords	\$ 16.30 / Cord
Quaking Aspen	60 Cords	\$ 20.60 / Cord
Red Maple	317 Cords	\$ 23.20 / Cord
Red Pine	384 Cords	\$ 49.05 / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 15.83 percent. There are an estimated 1,249 cords on this timber sale, plus or minus 198 cords at the 95% confidence level. The estimated units are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

BOND AND PAYMENT SCHEDULE:

1. A bond in the amount of \$4,163.00 to insure faithful performance of the conditions of the contract will be deposited by the successful bidder within 21 days of the sale award.
2. Cutting in any sale or unit without the required advance payment would be considered a trespass.
3. Total payment must be paid in advance or according to the following schedule :
 - (a) Ten percent (10%) of the sale value must be paid within 21 days of the sale award.
 - (b) The 10% down payment will be credited towards the first unit cut.
 - (c) Payment for each of the following units must be made before cutting begins in that unit:

PAYMENT UNIT NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALE VALUE
01	45.2%
02	54.8%

4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 06/30/2027.

SALE STATISTICS

Volumes were calculated in cubic feet using the Michigan taper model. Cubic foot volume includes all wood inside bark for the product indicated. For display purposes, cubic feet were converted to cords and MBF using a simple conversion factor, e.g. 79 cubic feet per cord and 185 cubic feet per MBF. The cubic foot volumes are precise; the cords and MBF volumes are not. Cubic foot volume cannot be directly converted to cords or boards with precision.

SALE VOLUMES

The total estimated sale volume may not equal the sum of the species/products due to the nature of statistical calculations associated with double sampling methodology.

VOLUME		STATISTICAL RANGE IN CORDS		
TOTAL CUBIC FEET	TOTAL CORDS	PERCENT ERROR	MINIMUM	MAXIMUM
98,673	1,249	15.83%	1,051	1,447

VDU VOLUMES

A VDU is a Volume Determination Unit. Volumes and their associated statistics are calculated at the VDU level and summarized to the sale level. There is often a one to one relationship between a VDU and a Payment Unit, but not always, depending on the cruise design. Refer to the VDU TO PAYMENT UNIT table.

VDU	VOLUME		PERCENT ERROR	RANGE IN CORDS	
	TOTAL CUBIC FEET	TOTAL CORDS		MINIMUM	MAXIMUM
9	68,352	865	20.02%	692	1,038
17	30,321	384	30.05%	268	499
TOTAL:	98,673	1,249		961	1,538

VDU TO PAYMENT UNIT

When a VDU is associated with more than one Payment Unit (PU), the VDU volumes are assigned to the PU based on acres of the VDU within the PU.

VDU	VDU ACRES	PU	PU ACRES
9	39.2	2	39.2
17	16.7	1	16.7
TOTAL:	55.9		55.9

DESCRIPTION OF TIMBER BY PAYMENT UNIT (PU)

PU	MARKET GROUP	PRODUCT	QUANTITY	UNIT	ACRES	ADVERTISE PRICE
1	Red Pine	Pulpwood	384	Cords	16.7	\$18,835.20
2	Red Maple	Sawtimber	33.0	MBF	39.2	\$22,796.85
	B. T. Aspen	Pulpwood	277	Cords		
	Balsam Fir		131	Cords		
	Paper Birch		14	Cords		
	Quaking Aspen		60	Cords		
	Red Maple		317	Cords		
TOTAL:			33.0	MBF		
TOTAL:			1,183	Cords		

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: First Time Popple and Pine

Sale Number: 52-119-23 Seq#: 2

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 paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against private property are marked with blue paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint.

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 2, cut all trees which meet minimum piece specifications in 2.2 Utilization, except do not cut any oak or pine species.

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

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

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.

4.1.6 - Road construction (1/09)

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

4.1.7 - Road closure (10/11)

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

4.2 - Maintenance

4.2.4 - Grading (10/16)

For completion of the sale, any private access roads used must be graded. In general, this will require a road grader or bulldozer 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.

4.4 - Access

4.4.1 - Private property access (3/11)

Permission for access across private land may be possible. If private access permissions are denied at time of harvest, both Payment Units can be accessed off of the North Eastern State Trail.

5 - Operations

5.1 - Notification

5.1.1 - Pre-sale conference (10/16)

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

5.1.4 - Post-sale conference (10/16)

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

5.2.2 - Hazard Trees/Snags

5.2.2.1 - Den trees (10/16)

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

5.2.4 - Dead and Down Creation

5.2.4.2 - Dead and down creation, hare and grouse (1/14)

To improve habitat for snowshoe hare, grouse, and other species, the Purchaser is to leave two trees, nine (9) inches or larger in diameter on the ground for every two acres. If possible, the logs or trees should be felled so they overlap. Note these pieces should have a minimum length of 10 feet. They can be of any tree species and can be an un-merchantable piece of wood or a full tree.

5.2.17 - Timber Mats and Interlocking Composite Mats (5/23)

Timber mats or interlocking composite mats may be needed if accessing Payment Unit 2 from the east via the North Eastern State Trail. If available, mats may be borrowed from the DNR. A Timber Sale Contract Amendment will be used to document the Purchaser's use of the DNR's mats. Contact the Sale Administrator regarding availability and pick-up. The Purchaser is responsible for picking up and hauling the mats to and from the site. The composite mats will require DNR staff onsite for installation and removal. Contact the Sale Administrator to schedule at least 30 days before desired install/removal date. All mats must be cleaned prior to drop off. This may include, but is not limited to, power washing and brushing to remove mud and debris. A charge of \$700.00 per timber mat and \$2,000.00 per composite mat will be assessed for all damaged or non-returned mats. Damage for the crane/timber mats is defined as three or more broken cants. Damage for the composite mats is defined as cracked or broken mats.

5.2.22 - Operating Caution

5.2.22.1 - Operating caution (6/11)

It is recommended, but not required, that within Payment Unit(s) 2, cutting, skidding, and hauling occur during dry summer or frozen winter conditions with tracked equipment. The reason for the recommendation is due to pockets of wetter ground within and east of the Payment Unit.

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.

5.2.41 - Snowmobile trail protection (9/11)

The North Eastern State 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. If the trail is used for hauling, it can only be used during winter (frozen) or summer (dry) conditions and must be graded to the satisfaction of the Unit Manager or his/her representative prior to December 1. If the trail road is to be used for hauling during the snowmobile season, then a snow-covered base must be left on the trail.

5.4 - Soil Protection

5.4.1 - Rutting restriction, general (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.

5.8 - Protection of Endangered Species

5.8.3 - Red shoulder hawk or goshawk (1) (2/16)

In the event that an active red shoulder hawk or goshawk nest is found, the contract may be amended to protect the nest site until the nest is determined to be inactive. The value of the trees in this excluded area will be refunded or credited to the Purchaser. The nest will be buffered with a five-chain radius (eight acre) protection area, centered on the nest tree, in which there will be no cutting or new roads constructed. Avoid human disturbance, including loading and skidding, in the protection area.

An additional zone of five chains (ten chains centered on the active nest tree) will be established in which there is no management activity from March 15 to July 15 (NLP). Limit biomass harvesting and chipping operations within this ten-chain zone, retain the maximum one-third of residues per the Woody Biomass Harvesting Guidelines (Michigan DNR 2010). Nests determined to be inactive will be protected with a one-chain no-harvest buffer.

6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

6.2 - Signing

6.2.2 - Snowmobile trail posting (10/20)

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on the North Eastern State Trail prior to beginning operations during the snowmobile season (approximately December 1 to March 31). The trail must be posted at appropriate distances from the Sale Area to warn of logging activity and truck traffic. Signs must be removed when harvest operations are suspended or completed.



TIMBER SALE MAP

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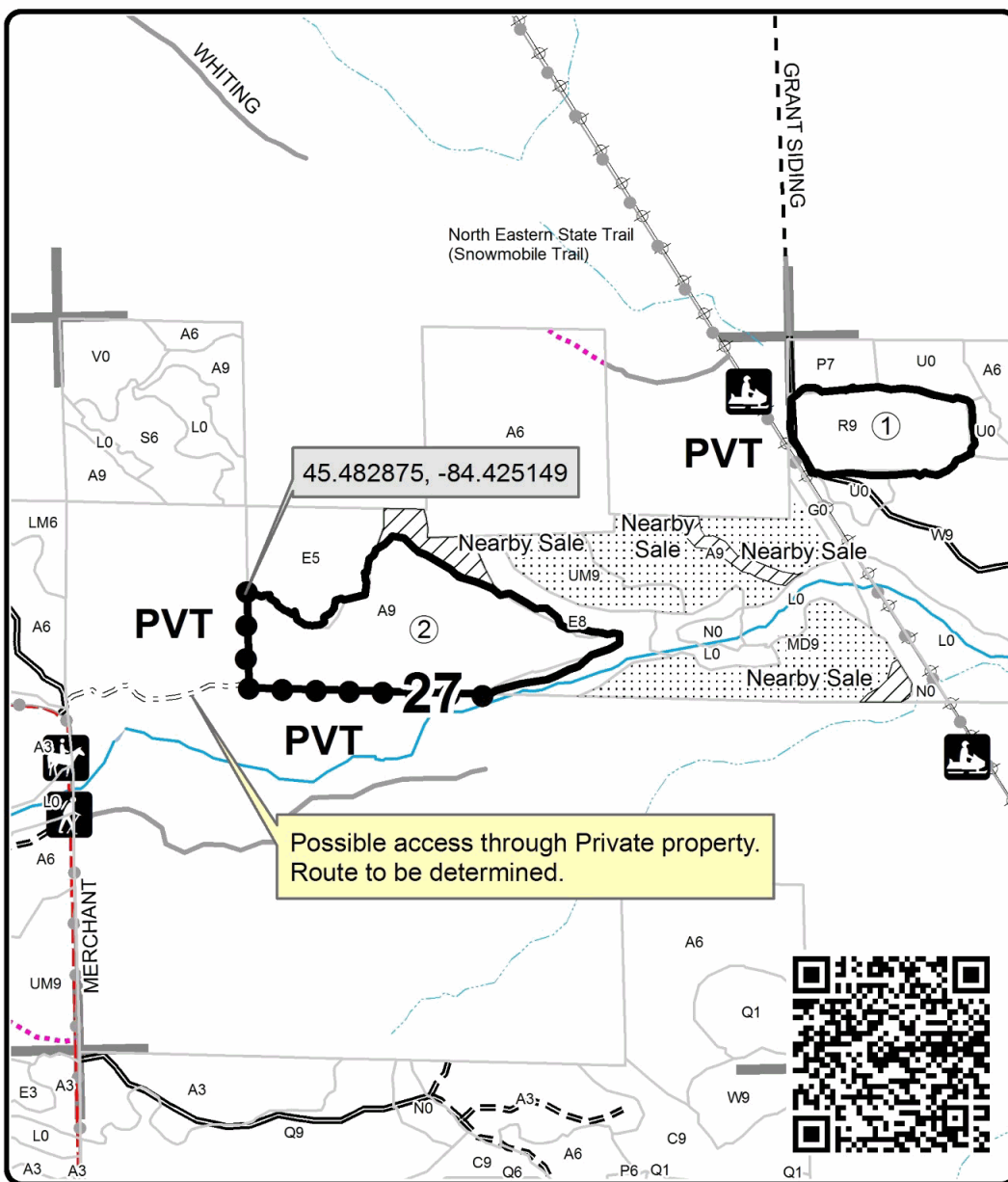
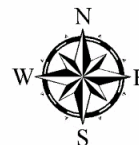
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F = Spruce Fir	MC = Mixed Conifer	S = Black Spruce	Z = Water				
G = Grass	MD = Mixed Deciduous	T = Tamarack					

PU	Acres
1	16.7
2	39.2

First Time Popple and Pine

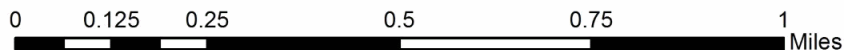
Compartment 189
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Legend

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- Private
- Temporary Management Access
- Intermittent Stream
- Perennial River
- Lakes and Rivers
- Section Corners

Locator Map
1:200,000



TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

Way Back There Mix (52-122-23)
 T38N, R04W, SEC. 17; T38N, R04W, SEC. 18.
 Emmet County (Advertised Price \$109,027.50)

SALE NOTE: Payment Unit 1 includes some large DBH, over-mature aspen. Drier ground in center portion of the Payment Unit, wetter ground along east side of Payment Unit. Payment Unit 2 has a high volume of red maple sawlog and pulpwood. Two wet areas in the western portion of the Payment Unit. Payment Unit 3 has a high volume of red maple and cedar with some individual tree blowdown. Recommend summer or winter harvest.

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. All units of volume listed below were estimated using the Inventory Manager computer program and the new Michigan taper model. Bids must be at or above the following advertised price for each product and species:

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawtimber		
Paper Birch	6.1 MBF	\$ 50.00 / MBF
Red Maple	116.0 MBF	\$ 181.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Balsam Fir	296 Cords	\$ 17.55 / Cord
Mixed Aspen	1,217 Cords	\$ 20.60 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	1,387 Cords	\$ 23.20 / Cord
N. White Cedar	764 Cords	\$ 17.35 / Cord
Paper Birch	324 Cords	\$ 16.30 / Cord
White Spruce	515 Cords	\$ 13.10 / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 9.81 percent. There are an estimated 4,888 cords on this timber sale, plus or minus 480 cords at the 95% confidence level. 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 \$10,903.00 to insure faithful performance of the conditions of the contract will be deposited by the successful bidder within 21 days of the sale award.
2. Cutting in any sale or unit without the required advance payment would be considered a trespass.
3. Total payment must be paid in advance or according to the following schedule :
 - (a) Ten percent (10%) of the sale value must be paid within 21 days of the sale award.
 - (b) The 10% down payment will be credited towards the first unit cut.
 - (c) Payment for each of the following units must be made before cutting begins in that unit:

PAYMENT UNIT NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALE VALUE
01	30.8%
02	44.3%
03	24.9%

4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 06/30/2028.

SALE STATISTICS

Volumes were calculated in cubic feet using the Michigan taper model. Cubic foot volume includes all wood inside bark for the product indicated. For display purposes, cubic feet were converted to cords and MBF using a simple conversion factor, e.g. 79 cubic feet per cord and 185 cubic feet per MBF. The cubic foot volumes are precise; the cords and MBF volumes are not. Cubic foot volume cannot be directly converted to cords or boards with precision.

SALE VOLUMES

The total estimated sale volume may not equal the sum of the species/products due to the nature of statistical calculations associated with double sampling methodology.

VOLUME		STATISTICAL RANGE IN CORDS		
TOTAL CUBIC FEET	TOTAL CORDS	PERCENT ERROR	MINIMUM	MAXIMUM
386,179	4,888	9.81%	4,409	5,368

VDU VOLUMES

A VDU is a Volume Determination Unit. Volumes and their associated statistics are calculated at the VDU level and summarized to the sale level. There is often a one to one relationship between a VDU and a Payment Unit, but not always, depending on the cruise design. Refer to the VDU TO PAYMENT UNIT table.

VDU	VOLUME		PERCENT ERROR	RANGE IN CORDS	
	TOTAL CUBIC FEET	TOTAL CORDS		MINIMUM	MAXIMUM
25	138,457	1,753	14.88%	1,492	2,013
36	152,409	1,929	18.61%	1,570	2,288
38	95,313	1,206	17.79%	992	1,421
TOTAL:	386,179	4,888		4,054	5,723

VDU TO PAYMENT UNIT

When a VDU is associated with more than one Payment Unit (PU), the VDU volumes are assigned to the PU based on acres of the VDU within the PU.

VDU	VDU ACRES	PU	PU ACRES
25	50.4	1	50.4
36	63.9	2	63.9
38	37.2	3	37.2
TOTAL:	151.5		151.5

DESCRIPTION OF TIMBER BY PAYMENT UNIT (PU)

PU	MARKET GROUP	PRODUCT	QUANTITY	UNIT	ACRES	ADVERTISE PRICE				
1	Balsam Fir	Pulpwood	120	Cords	50.4	\$33,538.05				
	Mixed Aspen		934	Cords						
	<i>B. T. Aspen</i>		60	<i>Cords</i>						
	<i>Balsam Poplar</i>		53	<i>Cords</i>						
	<i>Quaking Aspen</i>		821	<i>Cords</i>						
	Mixed Hardwood		156	Cords						
	<i>Red Maple</i>		149	<i>Cords</i>						
	<i>White Ash</i>		7	<i>Cords</i>						
	N. White Cedar		331	Cords						
	White Spruce		216	Cords						
	2		Paper Birch	Sawtimber			6.1	MBF	63.9	\$48,355.35
Red Maple		79.9	MBF							
Balsam Fir		Pulpwood	123	Cords						
Mixed Aspen			188	Cords						
<i>B. T. Aspen</i>			79	<i>Cords</i>						
<i>Quaking Aspen</i>			109	<i>Cords</i>						
Mixed Hardwood			879	Cords						
<i>Red Maple</i>			810	<i>Cords</i>						
<i>Sugar Maple</i>			69	<i>Cords</i>						
N. White Cedar			180	Cords						
Paper Birch			133	Cords						
White Spruce			143	Cords						
3			Red Maple	Sawtimber	36.1	MBF	37.2	\$27,134.10		
			Balsam Fir	Pulpwood	53	Cords				
	Mixed Aspen	95	Cords							
	<i>Quaking Aspen</i>	95	<i>Cords</i>							
	Mixed Hardwood	352	Cords							
	<i>Red Maple</i>	318	<i>Cords</i>							
	<i>White Ash</i>	34	<i>Cords</i>							
	N. White Cedar	253	Cords							
	Paper Birch	191	Cords							
	White Spruce	156	Cords							
TOTAL:			122.1		MBF					
TOTAL:			4,503	Cords						

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Way Back There Mix

Sale Number: 52-122-23 Seq#: 2

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, red and yellow paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against private property are marked with blue paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. Interior Payment Unit boundaries are marked with yellow paint. Retention patches are marked with red paint; no harvesting activities may occur within these areas.

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1-3, cut all trees which meet minimum piece specifications in 2.2 Utilization, with the following exceptions:

- Within Payment Units 1 & 3, do not cut hemlock or white pine.
- Within Payment Unit 2, do not cut any white pine that are twenty-two (22) inches or more at DBH or hemlock.

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.

4.1.6 - Road construction (1/09)

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

4.1.7 - Road closure (10/11)

All new roads built into the sale must be blocked to vehicle traffic upon completion of the sale. In general, this will require constructing a four (4') foot high berm of stumps and logs covered with earth. All stumps from road building and landing construction must be reserved to block any newly constructed roads upon completion of the sale. These stumps must be scattered along the road system to prohibit vehicular movement. Contact the Sale Administrator for specific details of design and placement.

4.2 - Maintenance

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 bulldozer 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.

5 - Operations

5.1 - Notification

5.1.1 - Pre-sale conference (10/16)

A pre-sale conference on site between the Purchaser and sale administrator is required prior to beginning any operations to

determine landing and road locations. The Unit Manager or his/her representative must be contacted at least 3 days in advance to schedule the conference.

5.1.4 - Post-sale conference (10/16)

A post-sale conference on site between the Purchaser and sale administrator is required 3 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

5.2.2 - Hazard Trees/Snags

5.2.2.1 - Den trees (10/16)

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

5.2.4 - Dead and Down Creation

5.2.4.2 - Dead and down creation, hare and grouse (1/14)

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

5.2.17 - Timber Mats and Interlocking Composite Mats (5/23)

Skid trails in Payment Units 1 & 2 may require extra protection such as that afforded by timber mats and interlocking composite mats. If available, mats may be borrowed from the DNR. A Timber Sale Contract Amendment will be used to document the Purchaser's use of the DNR's mats. Contact the Sale Administrator regarding availability and pick-up. The Purchaser is responsible for picking up and hauling the mats to and from the site. The composite mats will require DNR staff onsite for installation and removal. Contact the Sale Administrator to schedule at least 30 days before desired install/removal date. All mats must be cleaned prior to drop off. This may include, but is not limited to, power washing and brushing to remove mud and debris. A charge of \$700.00 per timber mat and \$2,000.00 per composite mat will be assessed for all damaged or non-returned mats. Damage for the crane/timber mats is defined as three or more broken cants. Damage for the composite mats is defined as cracked or broken mats.

5.2.22 - Operating Caution

5.2.22.1 - Operating caution (6/11)

It is recommended, but not required, that within Payment Unit(s) 1-3, cutting, skidding, and hauling occur during dry summer (June, July, & August) or frozen winter (January, February, & March) conditions with tracked equipment. The reason for the recommendation is due to the wet soil conditions within all Payment Units.

5.2.29 - Shrub protection (1/20)

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

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.

5.4 - 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.

5.4.5 - Soil caution (11/04)

Care must be taken to minimize soil damage due to the wet soils.

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

6.2.1 - Road posting (10/20)

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

7 - Other Conditions

7.5 - Loss

7.5.1 - Deteriorating timber (7/09)

The sale area has received damage from individual tree windthrow and over-maturity. 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.



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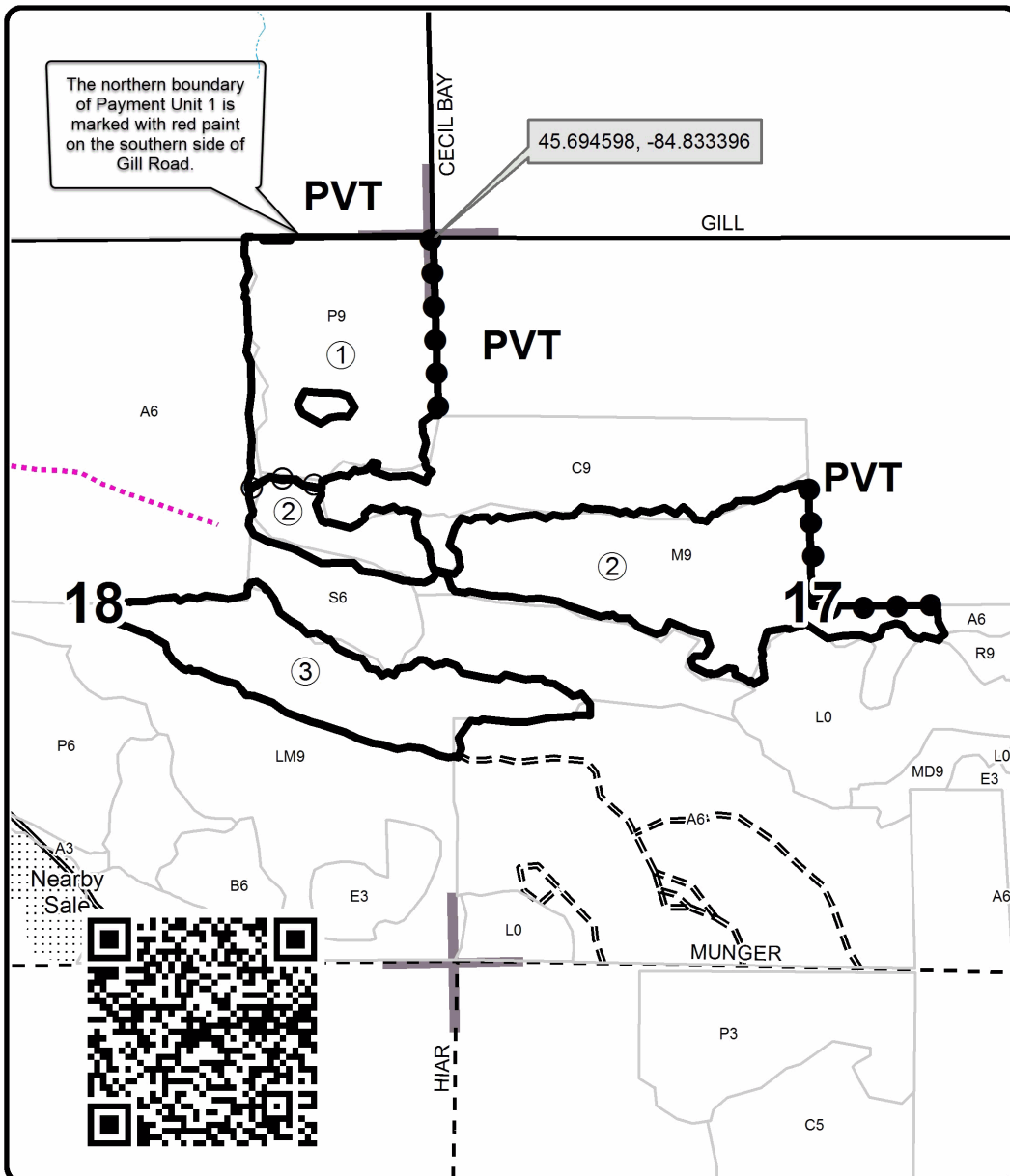
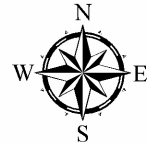
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Way Back There Mix

Compartment 120
151.5 Acres

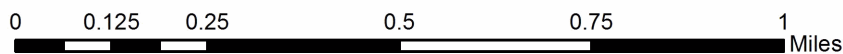
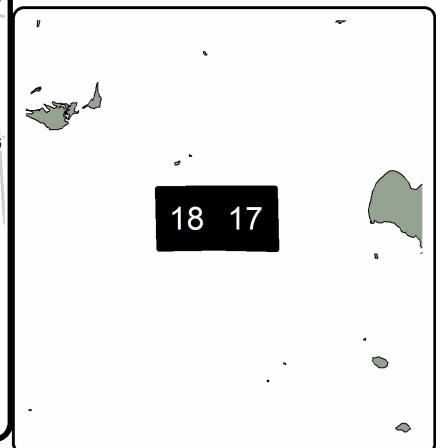


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Locator Map

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First Time Popple and Pine (52-119-23)
T36N, R01W, SEC. 26; T36N, R01W, SEC. 27; Cheboygan COUNTY

In response to the notice of sale to be held 9:00 a.m. (local time) on April 9, 2024, 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 VOLUME*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>	<u>BID PRICE/UNIT</u>
Sawtimber			
Red Maple	33.0 MBF	\$ 181.00/MBF	\$ _____
Pulpwood			
B. T. Aspen	277 Cords	\$ 20.60/Cord	\$ _____
Balsam Fir	131 Cords	\$ 17.55/Cord	\$ _____
Paper Birch	14 Cords	\$ 16.30/Cord	\$ _____
Quaking Aspen	60 Cords	\$ 20.60/Cord	\$ _____
Red Maple	317 Cords	\$ 23.20/Cord	\$ _____
Red Pine	384 Cords	\$ 49.05/Cord	\$ _____

*The volumes are statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 15.83 percent at 95% confidence level. These estimated volumes 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



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

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 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

Hydrargyrum Mix (52-111-23)

T34N, R03W, SEC. 3; T35N, R03W, SEC. 33; T35N, R03W, SEC. 34; Cheboygan

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Jack Pine	21.8 MBF	\$ 33.00/MBF	\$ _____
Mixed Aspen	230.8 MBF	\$ 60.00/MBF	\$ _____
Red Maple	16.0 MBF	\$ 181.00/MBF	\$ _____
Pulpwood			
Balsam Fir	2 Cords	\$ 17.55/Cord	\$ _____
Jack Pine	227 Cords	\$ 18.05/Cord	\$ _____
Mixed Aspen	818 Cords	\$ 20.60/Cord	\$ _____
Northern Pin Oak	69 Cords	\$ 39.75/Cord	\$ _____
Red Maple	138 Cords	\$ 23.20/Cord	\$ _____
Red Oak	22 Cords	\$ 39.75/Cord	\$ _____
Red Pine	20 Cords	\$ 49.05/Cord	\$ _____
White Pine	31 Cords	\$ 38.15/Cord	\$ _____

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Company or individual bidding: _____

Company representative's name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

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 - 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

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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 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

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Some Beech Mix (52-110-23)
T35N, R01W, SEC. 17; T35N, R01W, SEC. 8; Cheboygan COUNTY

In response to the notice of sale to be held 9:00 a.m. (local time) on April 9, 2024, 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 VOLUME*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>	<u>BID PRICE/UNIT</u>
Sawtimber			
Basswood	94.2 MBF	\$ 88.00/MBF	\$ _____
Beech	23.8 MBF	\$ 45.00/MBF	\$ _____
Mixed Aspen	661.9 MBF	\$ 60.00/MBF	\$ _____
Paper Birch	2.7 MBF	\$ 50.00/MBF	\$ _____
Red Maple	24.3 MBF	\$ 181.00/MBF	\$ _____
Red Pine	3.0 MBF	\$ 132.00/MBF	\$ _____
Sugar Maple	150.8 MBF	\$ 313.00/MBF	\$ _____
Pulpwood			
Basswood	98 Cords	\$ 16.00/Cord	\$ _____
Mixed Aspen	1,610 Cords	\$ 20.60/Cord	\$ _____
Mixed Hardwood	1,099 Cords	\$ 23.20/Cord	\$ _____
Paper Birch	2 Cords	\$ 16.30/Cord	\$ _____
Red Oak	43 Cords	\$ 39.75/Cord	\$ _____
Red Pine	1 Cords	\$ 49.05/Cord	\$ _____
White Pine	4 Cords	\$ 38.15/Cord	\$ _____

*The volumes are statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 9.06 percent at 95% confidence level. These estimated volumes 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

As required by Act 317, P.A. 1969 (Worker's Compensation) and
Part 5 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 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:

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Way Back There Mix (52-122-23)
T38N, R04W, SEC. 17; T38N, R04W, SEC. 18; Emmet COUNTY

In response to the notice of sale to be held 9:00 a.m. (local time) on April 9, 2024, 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 VOLUME*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>	<u>BID PRICE/UNIT</u>
Sawtimber			
Paper Birch	6.1 MBF	\$ 50.00/MBF	\$ _____
Red Maple	116.0 MBF	\$ 181.00/MBF	\$ _____
Pulpwood			
Balsam Fir	296 Cords	\$ 17.55/Cord	\$ _____
Mixed Aspen	1,217 Cords	\$ 20.60/Cord	\$ _____
Mixed Hardwood	1,387 Cords	\$ 23.20/Cord	\$ _____
N. White Cedar	764 Cords	\$ 17.35/Cord	\$ _____
Paper Birch	324 Cords	\$ 16.30/Cord	\$ _____
White Spruce	515 Cords	\$ 13.10/Cord	\$ _____

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

TIMBER SALE VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE

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VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE

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