



Compartment Review Presentation

Baraga Forest Management Unit

Compartment 11075

Entry Year 2018

Acreage: 2,960

County Keweenaw

Management Area: Keweenaw Tip

Revision Date: 2016-05-12

Stand Examiner: Jason Mittlestat

Legal Description:

Grant Township
T58N R27W, Sections 10, 15, 19, 20, 21, 22, 29, 30
T58N R26W, Section 16

Identified Planning Goals:

Manage primarily for recreation and resource protection.

Soil and topography:

The topography is level to rolling. The upland soils are very rocky. Soils are Arcadian-Nipissing-Rock Outcrop complex; Arcadian-Dishno-Rock Outcrop complex, Pacquin Finch complex, Wallace-Rubicon sands, Net-Witbeck complex, and Copper Harbor-Bete Grise complex on the upland; Lupton and Tawas muck, Dawson and Loxley peat, Cathro-Witbeck complex, and Tawas-Deford mucks on the lowlands.

Ownership Patterns, Development, and Land Use in and Around the Compartment:

State Forest adjoins to the north and west. There are scattered private parcels within the compartment. Land use is mostly for recreation.

Unique Natural Features:

There are rare, threatened and endangered plants within the compartment. The lakeshore area contains many elemental occurrences of species and habitats of concern.

Archeological, Historical, and Cultural Features:

No archeological sites are identified; however it is likely that some may exist.

Special Management Designations or Considerations:

This compartment is part of the Keweenaw Point block.

Watershed and Fisheries Considerations:

Stream crossings should be upgraded as resources become available.

Wildlife Habitat Considerations:

This compartment features threatened and endangered plant species. The Keweenaw Tip is a critical raptor migration corridor and breeding area for merlins large conifers should be retained for raptors to perch. Managing habitat for; black bear, blackburnian warbler, pileated woodpecker, ruffed grouse, northern goshawk and American marten should also be considered when planning harvest specifications in this this compartment. There is also a deer wintering complex in this compartment.

Mineral Resource and Development Concerns and/or Restrictions

Surface sediments consist of coarse-textured glacial till and lacustrine (lake) sand and gravel thin to discontinuous along the coastline. There is insufficient data to determine the glacial drift thickness. The Precambrian Copper Harbor Conglomerate and Portage Lake Conglomerate subcrop below the glacial drift. The Copper Harbor was previously mined for small amounts of copper. There are no gravel pits in the area, but there may be some potential. Abandoned copper mines are located to the west. The Compartment has not been leased for metallic exploration. There is no economic oil and gas production in the UP.

Vehicle Access:

Access is poor. There are internal logging roads, but these are old and in poor condition.

Survey Needs:

Survey work will be needed in the area of Bay Lake for timber sale activity.

Recreational Facilities and Opportunities:

Snowmobile trail 3 crosses part of the compartment.

Fire Protection:

The Keystone Bay wildfire was a large project fire that burned in this compartment in 2006 and is what can be expected from future fires, the remote location is primary issue for fire suppression activities.

Additional Compartment Information:

The following reports from the Inventory are attached:

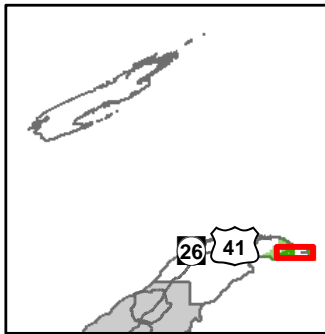
- Total Acres by Cover Type and Age Class**
- Cover Type by Harvest Method**
- Proposed Treatments – No Limiting Factors**
- Proposed Treatments – With Limiting Factors**
- Stand Details (Forested and Nonforested)**
- Dedicated and Proposed Special Conservation Areas**
- Site Condition Details**

The following information is displayed, where pertinent, on the attached compartment maps:

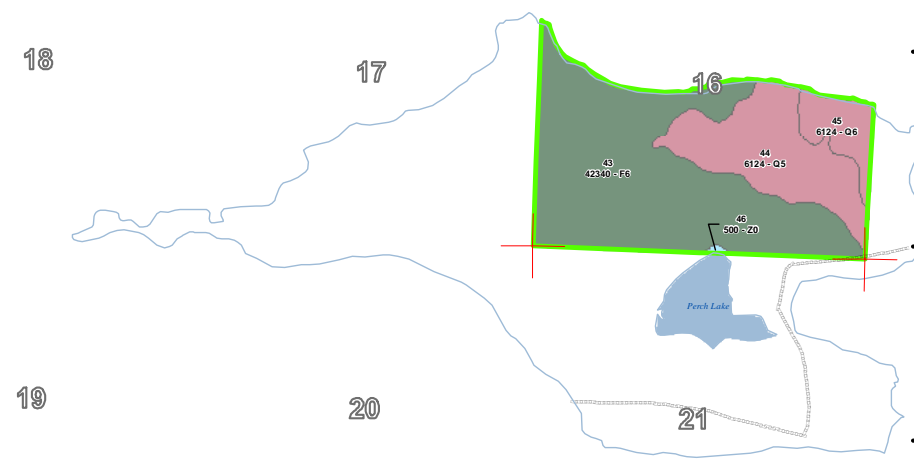
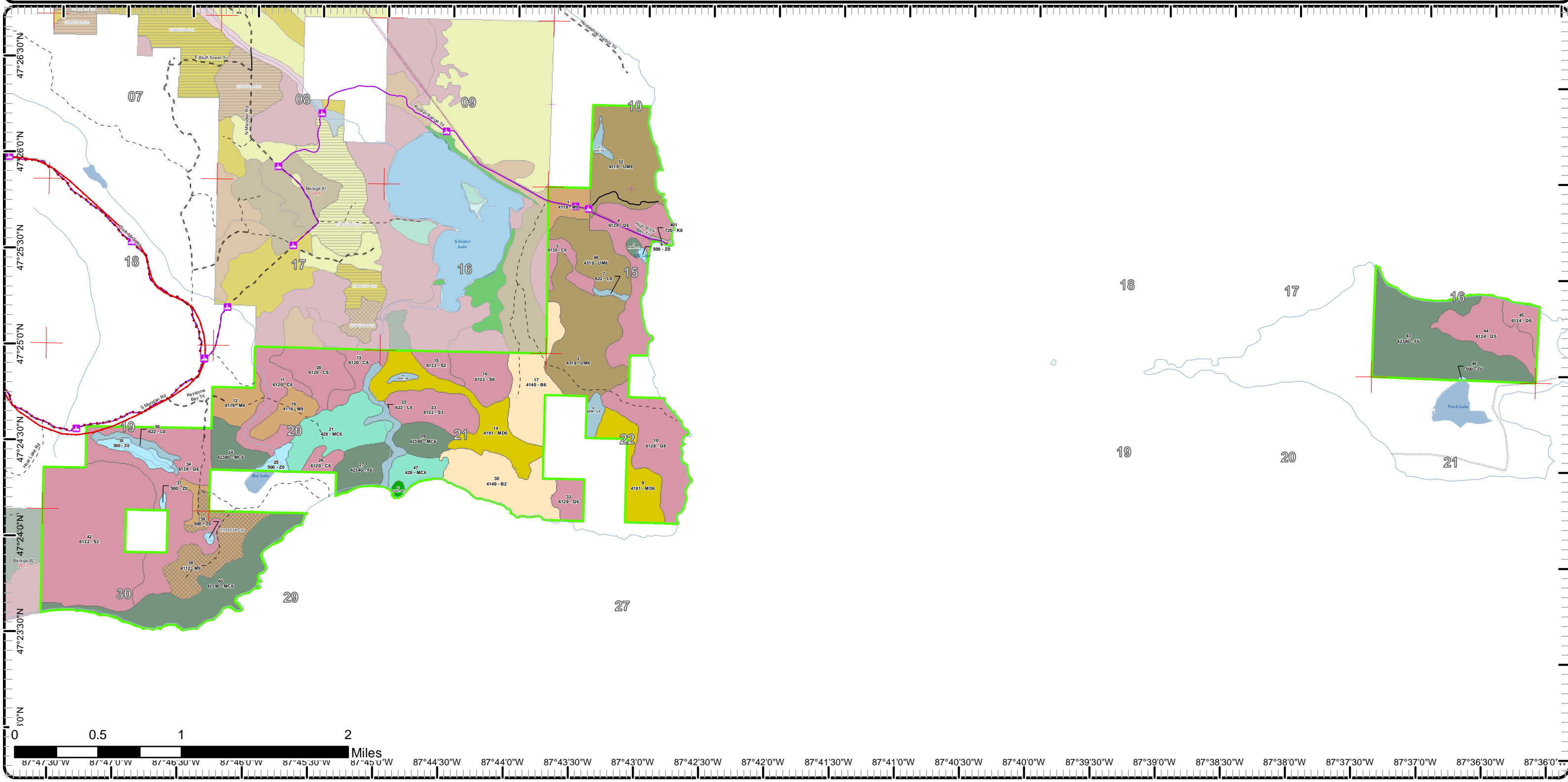
- Base feature information, stand boundaries, cover types, and numbers**
- Proposed treatments**
- Site condition boundaries**
- Details on the road access system**

Cover Type & Treatments Map

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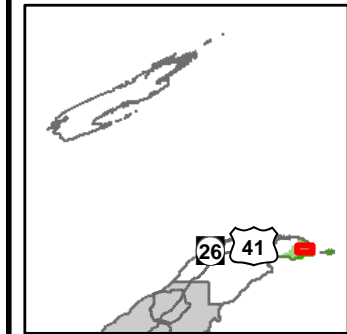


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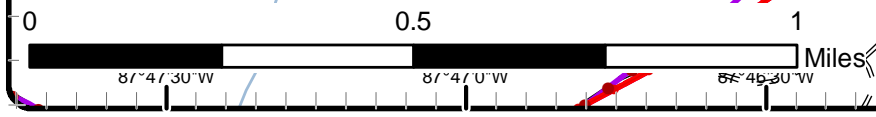
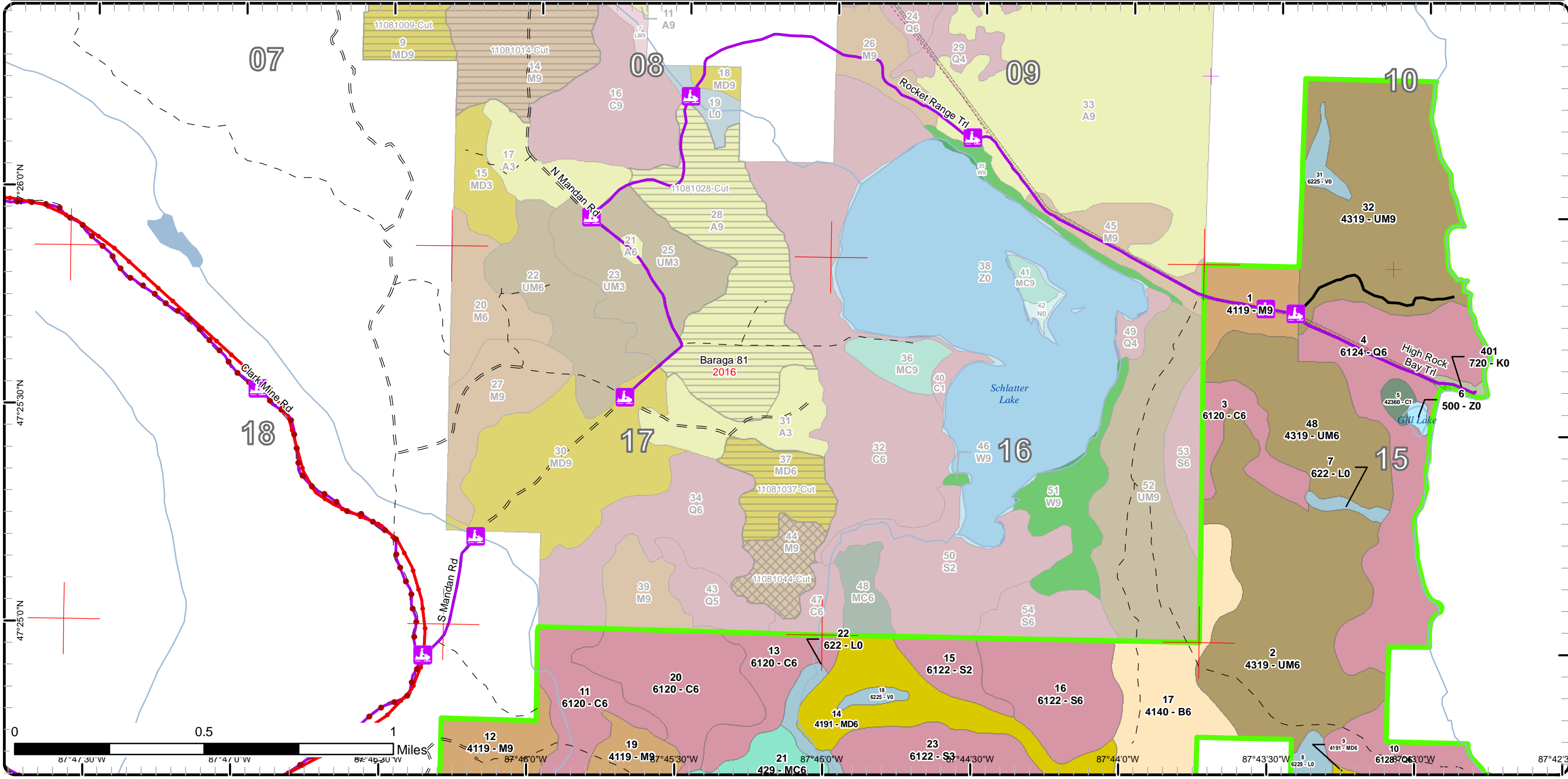


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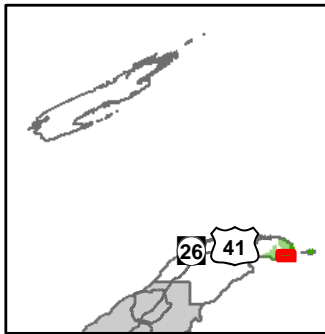


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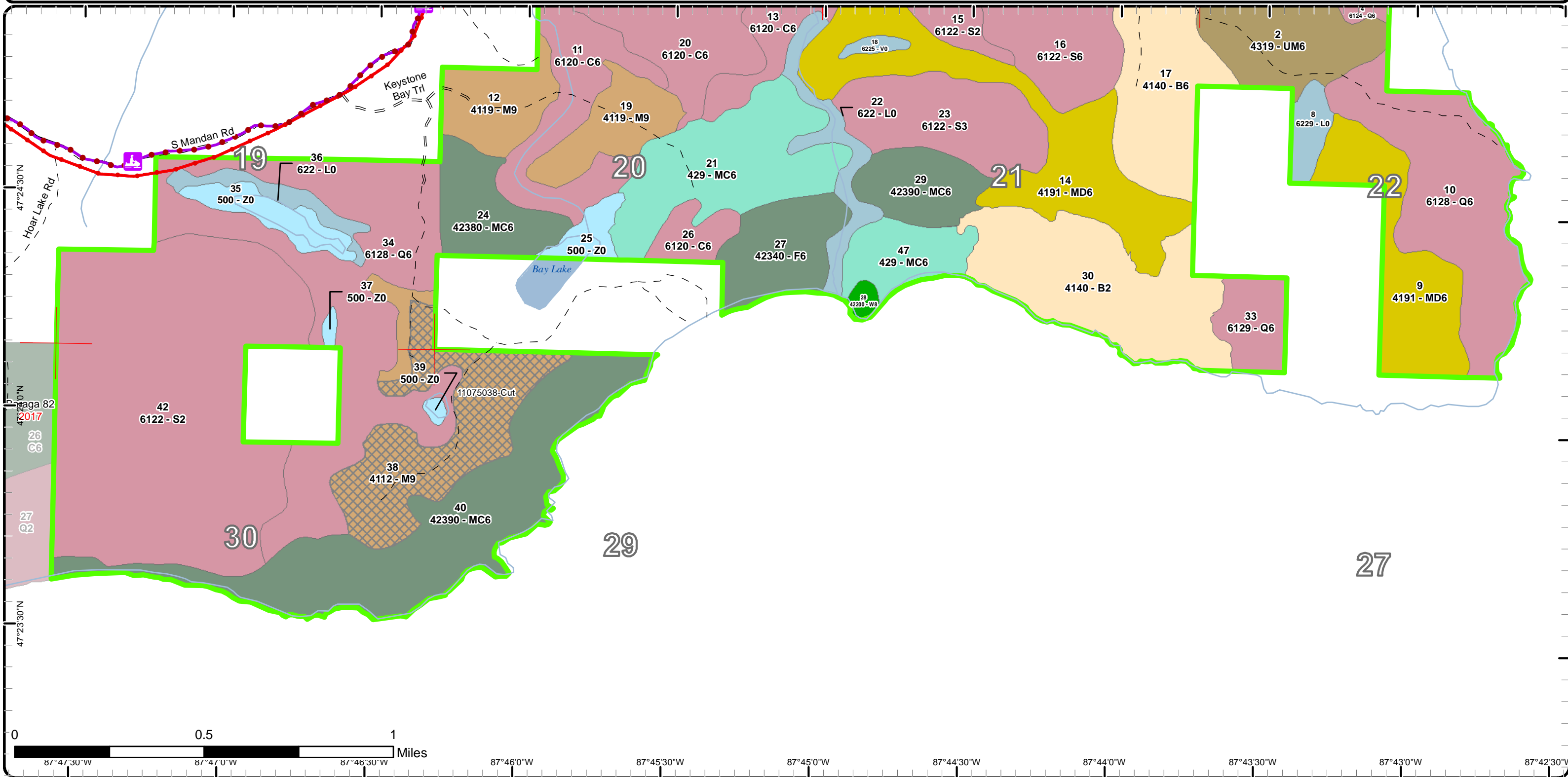


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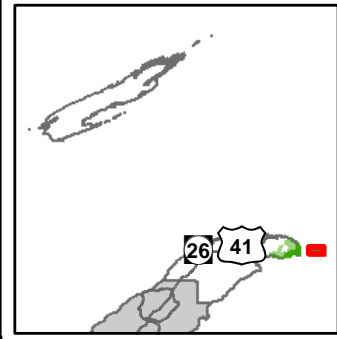


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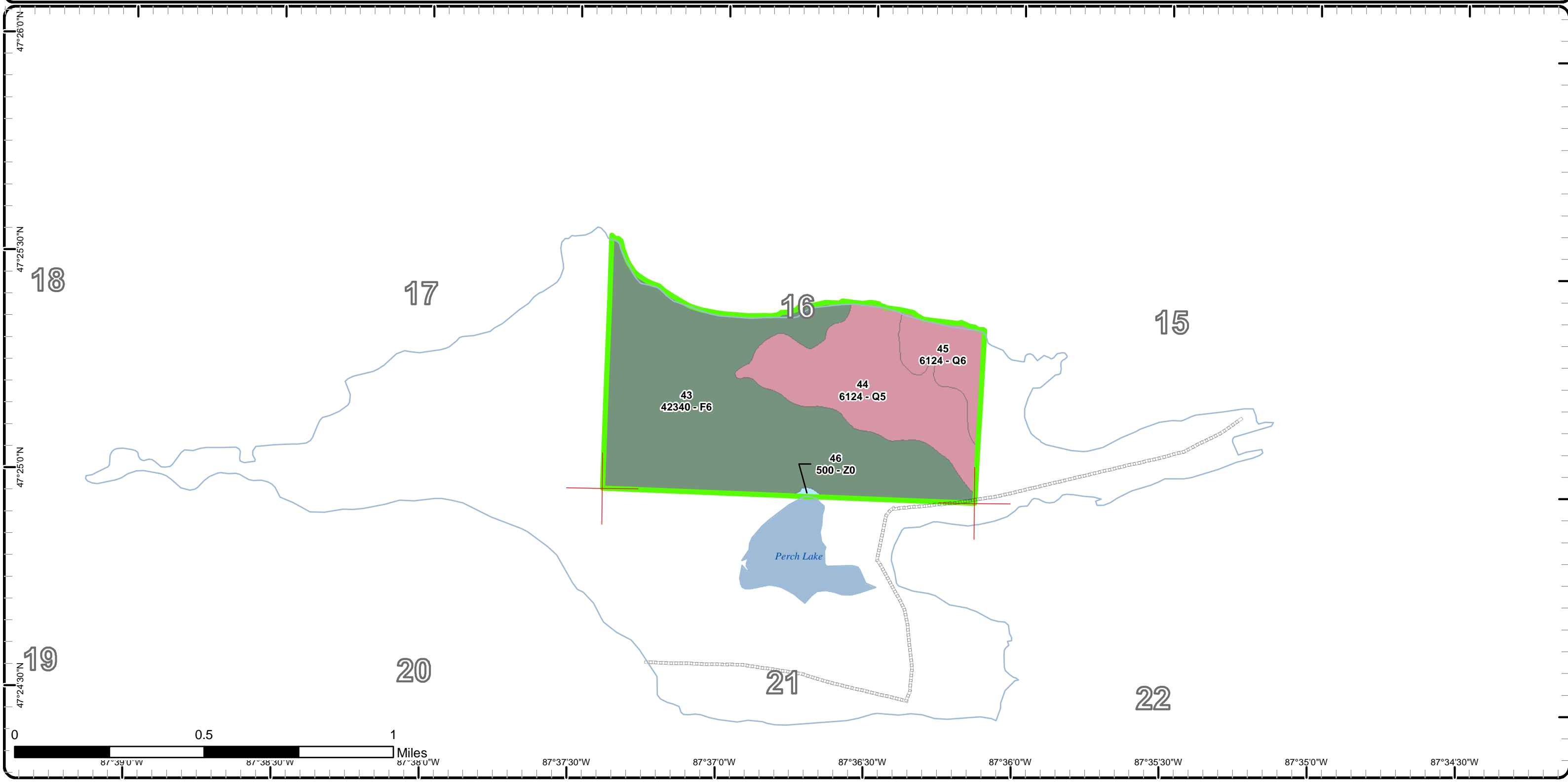


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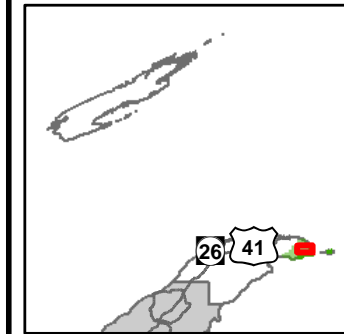


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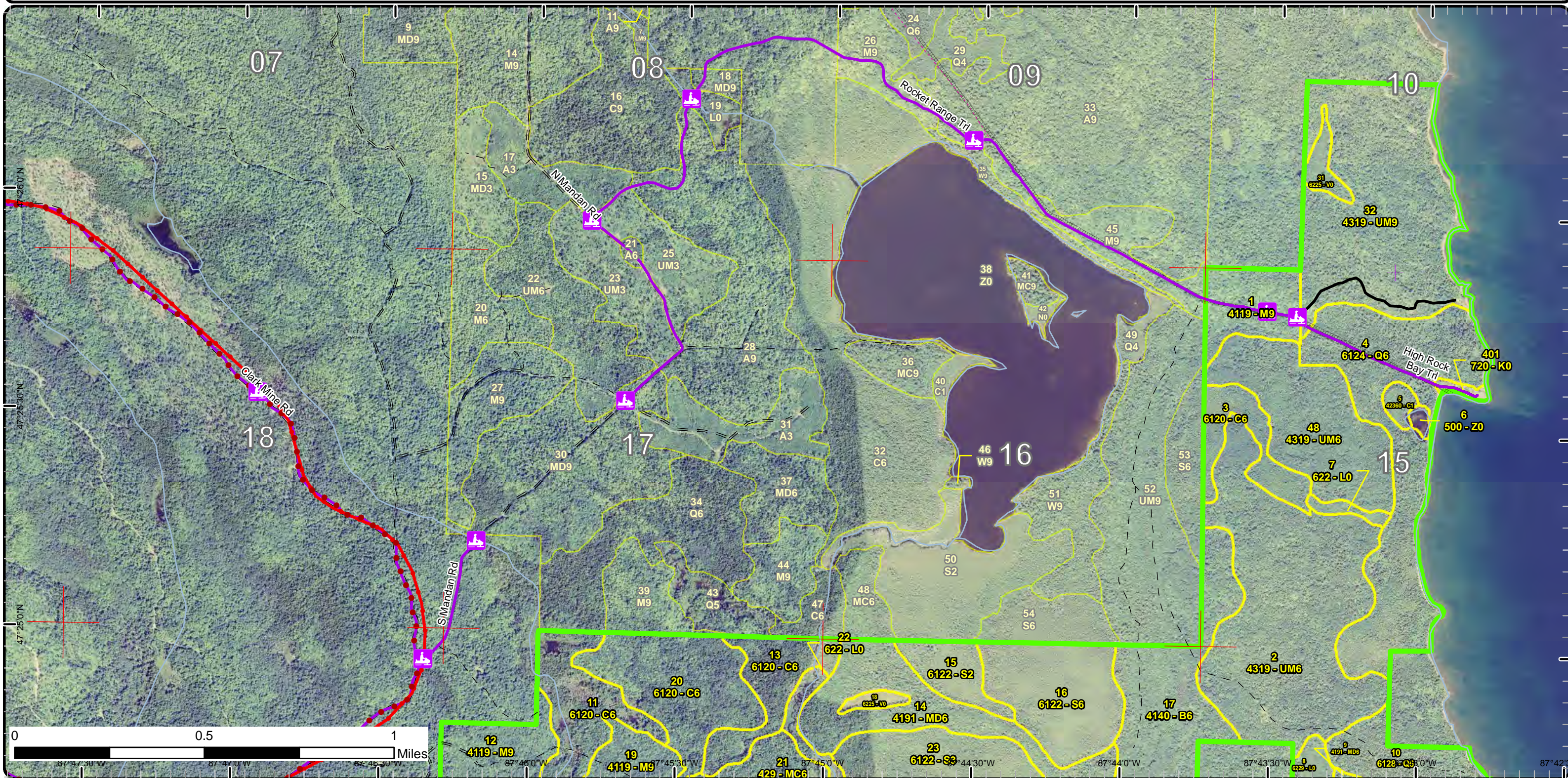


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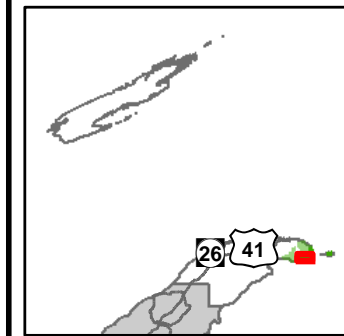


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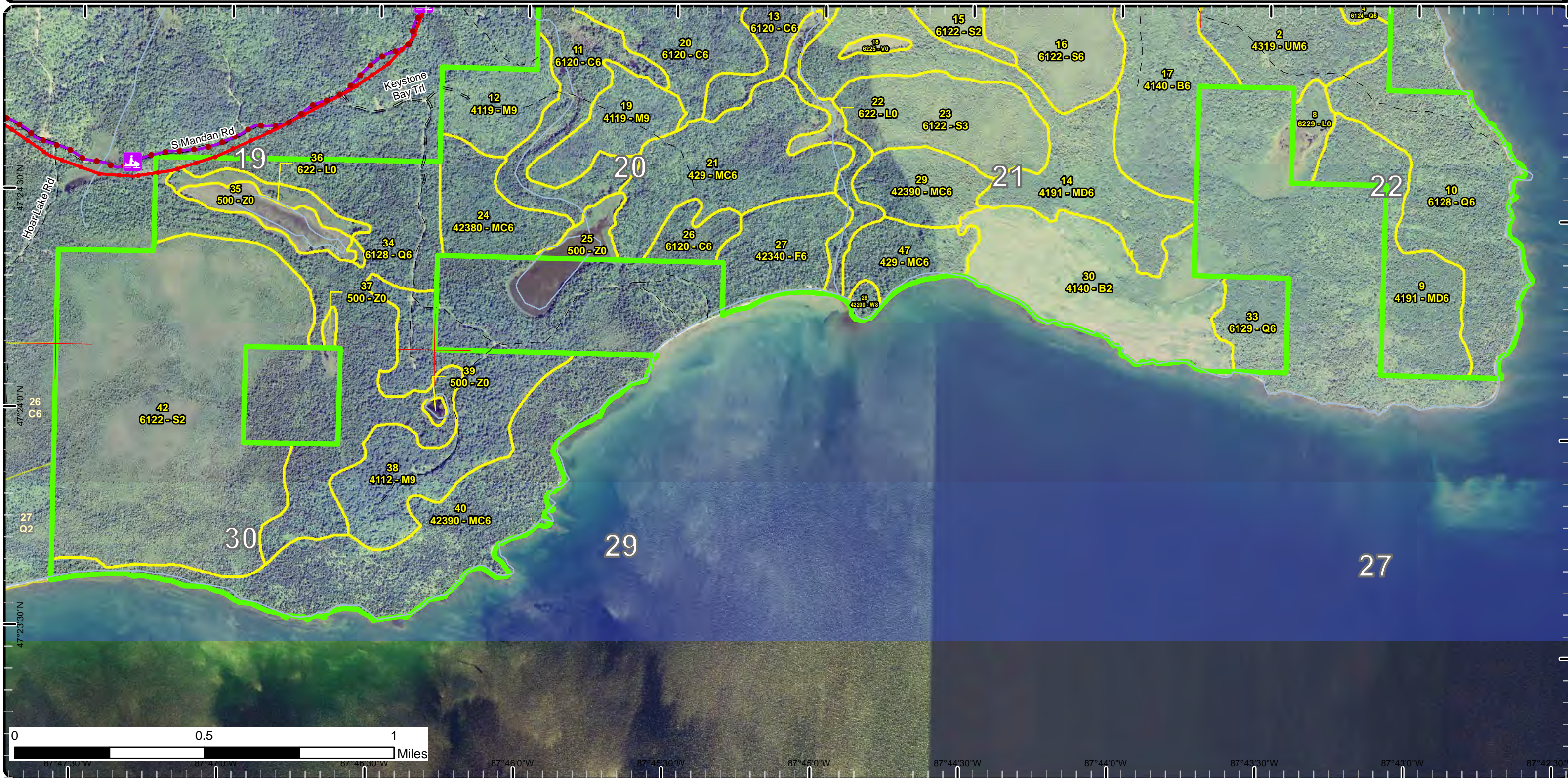


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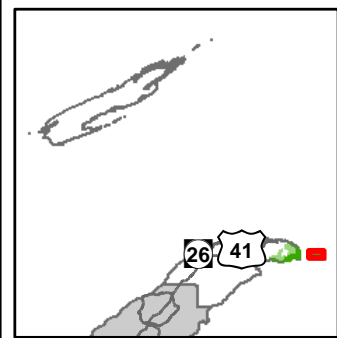


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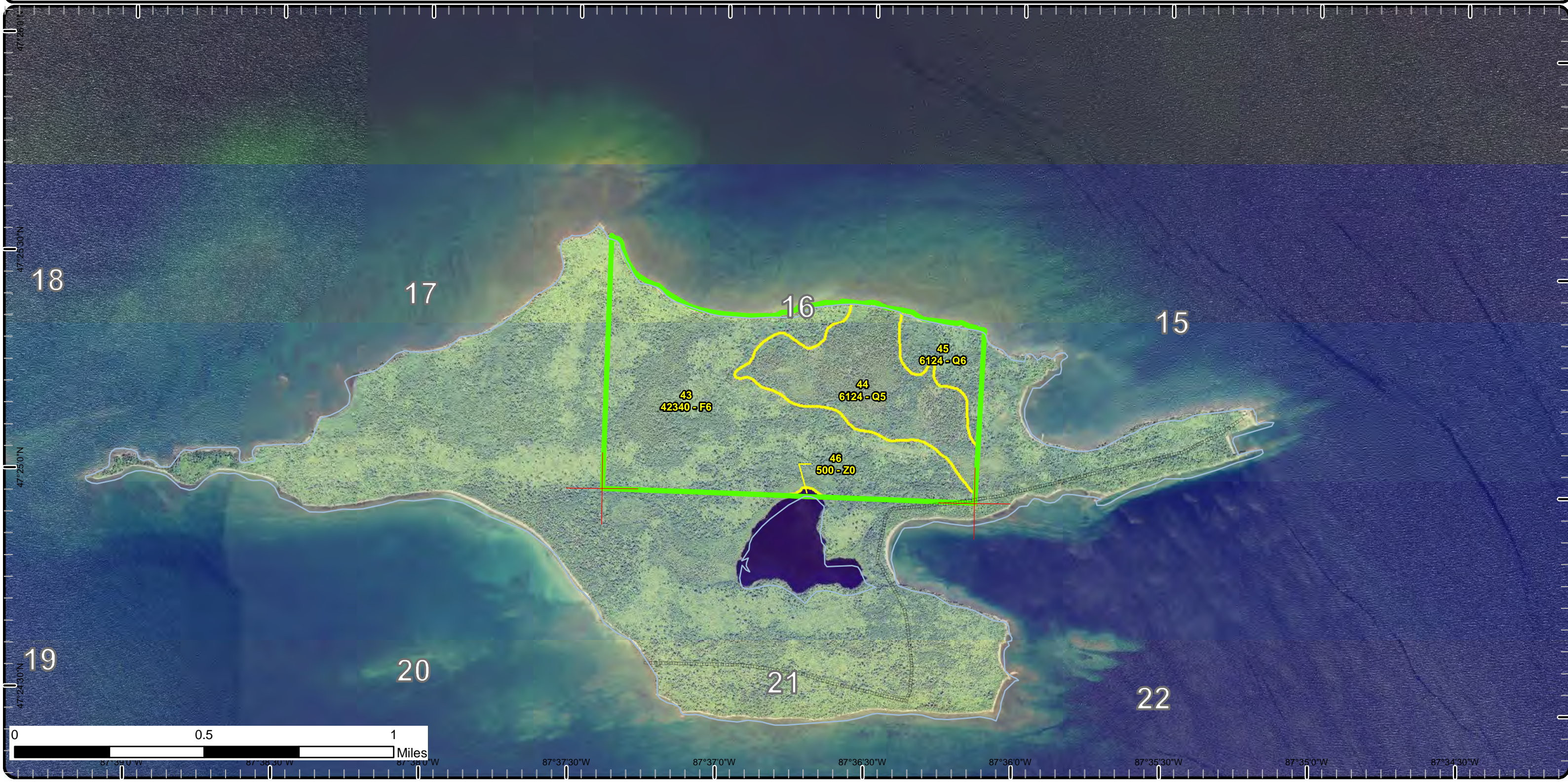


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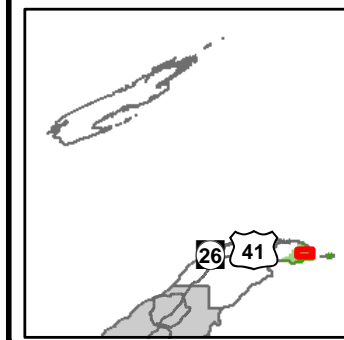


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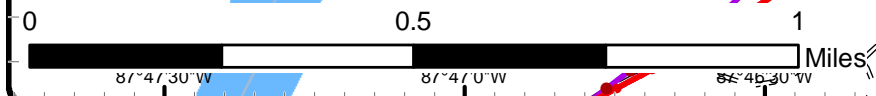
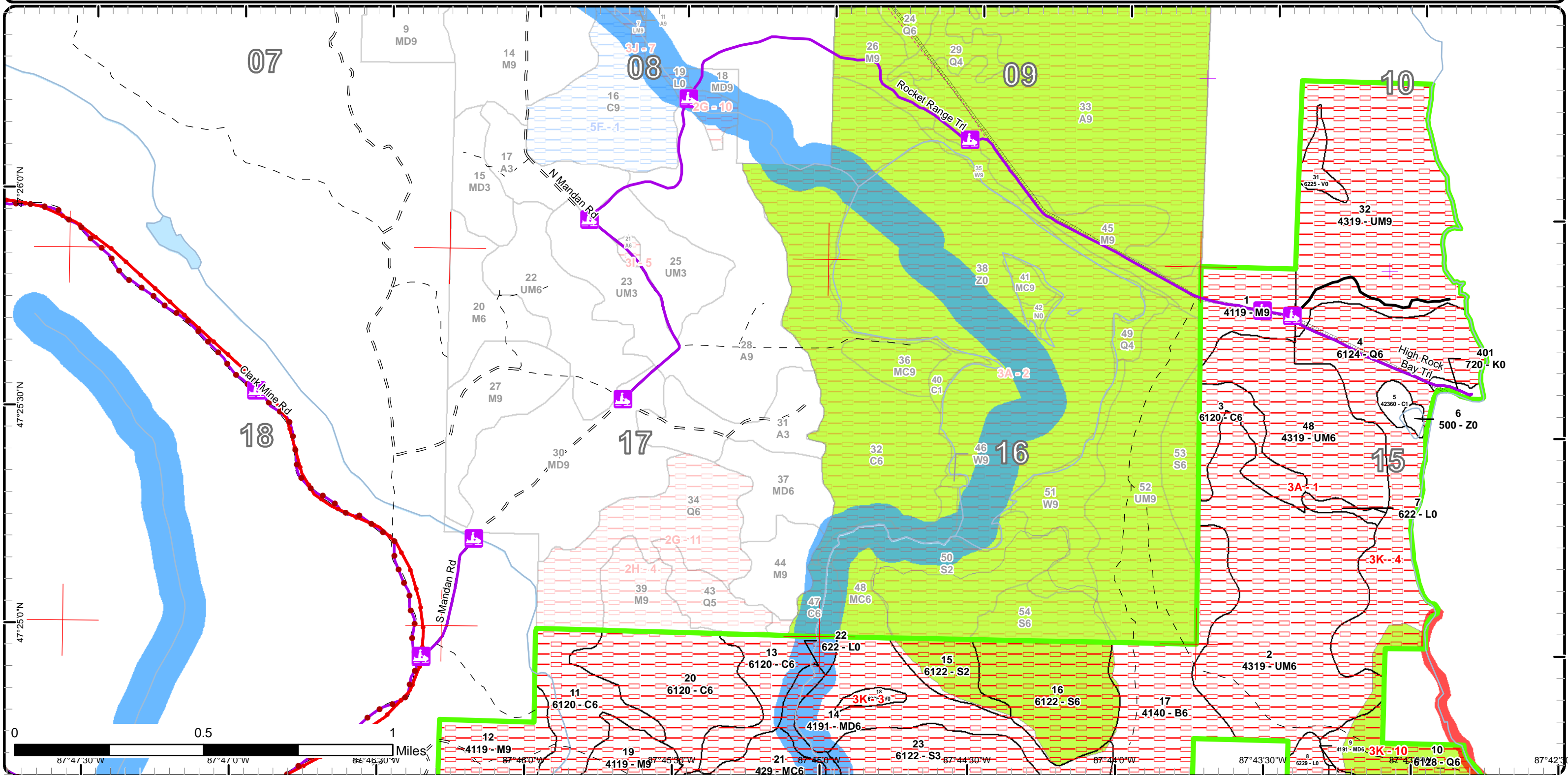


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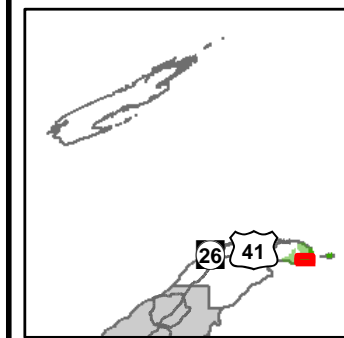
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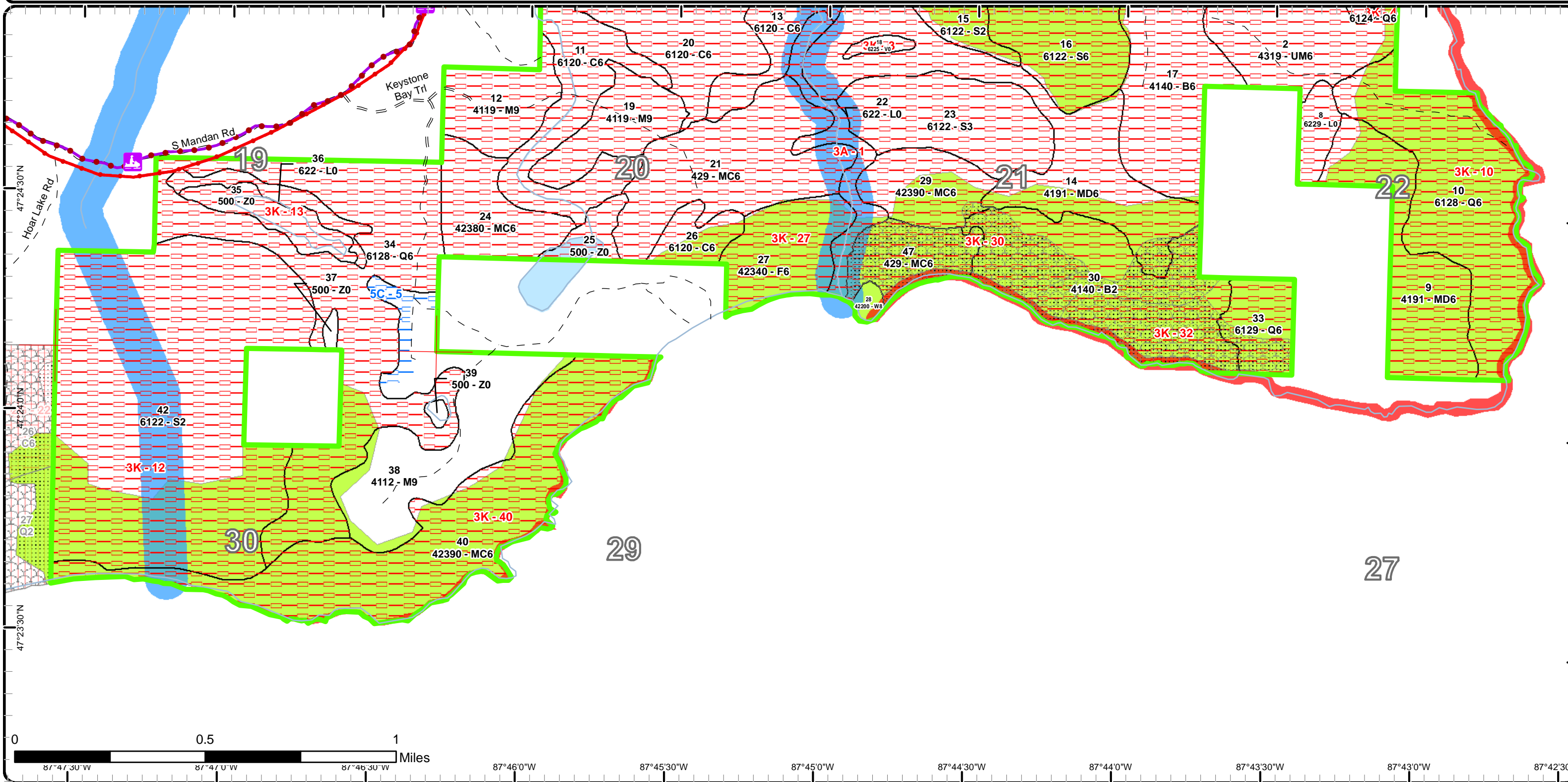
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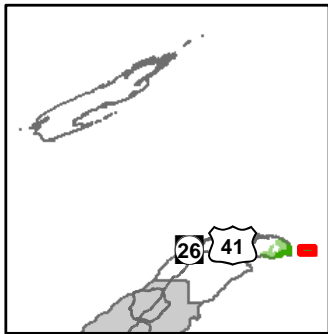


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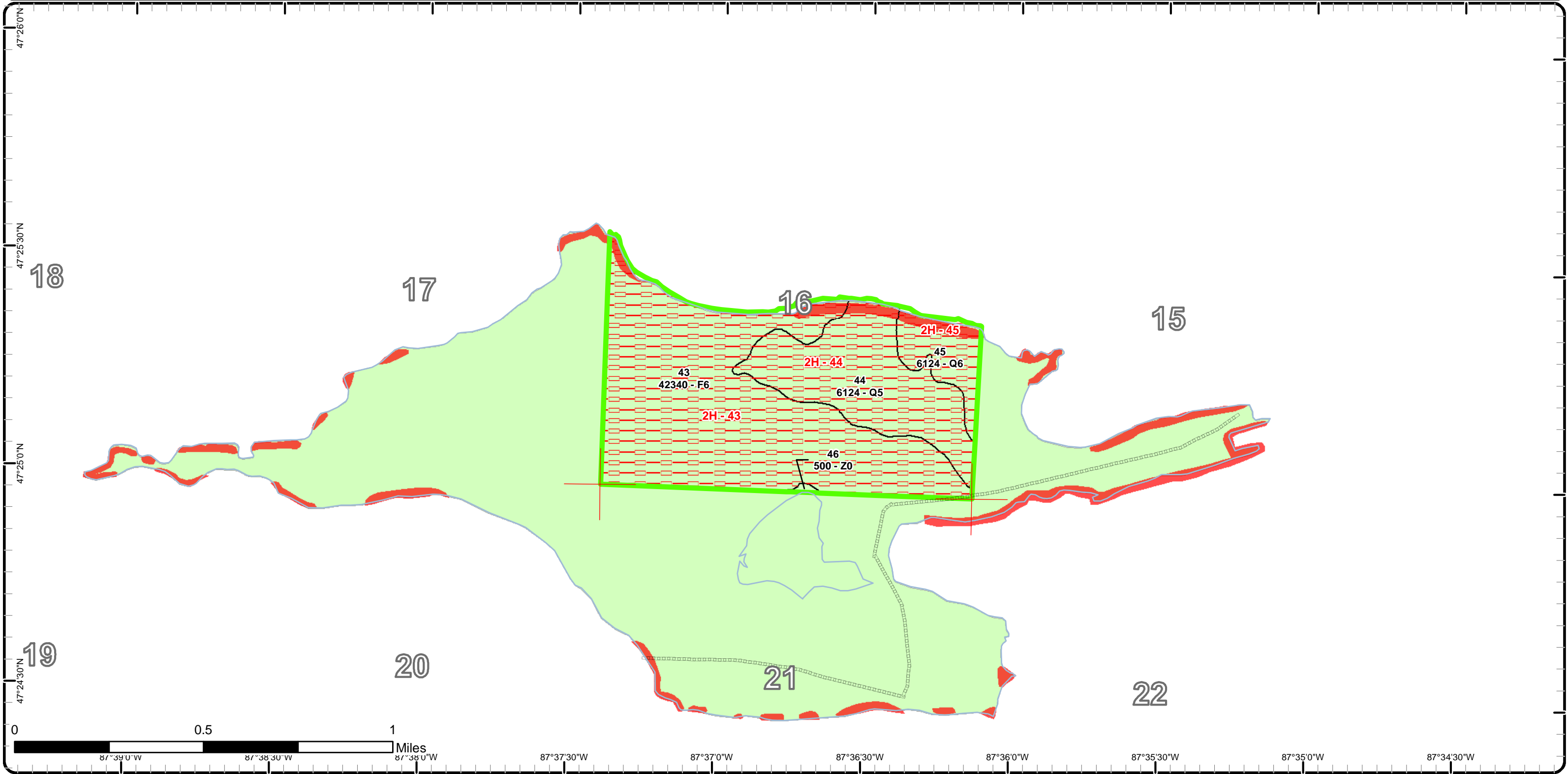


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- 2H: Blocked by physical obstacle (e.g. upland stand in a lowland area)
- Stand Boundaries
- Special Conservation Areas
- Ecological Reference Areas
- Great Lakes Islands



Report 1 – Total Acres by Cover Type and Age Class



Age Class

| | Non-Forest | 0-9 | 10-19 | 20-29 | 30-39 | 40-49 | 50-59 | 60-69 | 70-79 | 80-89 | 90-99 | 100-109 | 110-119 | 120-129 | 130-139 | 140-149 | 150+ | Uneven-Aged | Total |
|------------------------|------------|----------|------------|----------|----------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-----------|-----------|------------|------------|-----------|------------|-------------|-------------|
| Bog | 12 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12 |
| Cedar | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 32 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 158 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 212 |
| Exposed Rock | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| Lowland Conifers | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 27 | 0 | 25 | 241 | 0 | 0 | 179 | 0 | 82 | 0 | 0 | 554 |
| Lowland Shrub | 59 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 59 |
| Lowland Spruce/Fir | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 20 | 0 | 443 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 463 |
| Mixed Upland Deciduous | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 71 | 120 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 191 |
| Northern Hardwood | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 209 | 209 |
| Paper Birch | 0 | 0 | 117 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 93 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 210 |
| Upland Conifers | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 94 | 43 | 0 | 36 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 33 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 159 | 0 | 365 |
| Upland Mixed Forest | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 240 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 141 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 381 |
| Upland Spruce/Fir | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 211 | 0 | 0 | 46 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 257 |
| Water | 41 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 41 |
| White Pine | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 4 |
| Total | 115 | 0 | 117 | 0 | 0 | 94 | 499 | 147 | 479 | 236 | 387 | 17 | 79 | 179 | 158 | 82 | 163 | 209 | 2961 |



Report 2 – Treatment Summary

Baraga Mgt. Unit

Year of Entry:

Acres of Harvest

Compartment 75
Total Compartment Acres: 2,960

Commercial Harvest - 93
Harvests with Site Condition - 0
Next Step Harvest - 0
Habitat Cut - 0

Cover Type by Harvest Method

| | | Clearcut | Selection | Patch Clearcut | Seed Tree | Shelterwood | Thinning | Overstory Removal | Salvage | Other | Total Acres |
|-------------------|--------------|----------|-----------|----------------|-----------|-------------|----------|-------------------|----------|----------|-------------|
| Northern Hardwood | | 0 | 93 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 93 |
| | Total | 0 | 93 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 93 |

Proposed and Next Step Treatments by Method

| | | Harvest | Site Prep | Planting | Seeding | Burning | Pesticide | Monitoring | Other | Non-Forest Mgt. | Total Acres |
|-----------|--------------|-----------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|------------|----------|-----------------|-------------|
| Current | | 93 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 93 |
| Next Step | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 93 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 93 |
| | Total | 93 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 93 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 186 |



| S t a n d | Treatment Name | Acres | Stand CoverType | Size Density | Stand Age | BA Range | Treatment Type | Treatment Method | Cover Type Objective | Age Structure | Approval Status |
|-----------------------|-------------------|-------|---|-------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| 38 | 11075038-Cut | 93.1 | 4112 - Maple, Beech, Cherry Association | Sawtimber Well | 99 | 141- 170 | Harvest | Single Tree Selection | 411 - Northern Hardwood | Uneven- Aged | Proposal |

Habitat Cut: No**Site Condition:**

Prescription Selectively thin hardwoods to 70-90 square feet of basal area. Favor oak, hemlock, white pine and cedar where present. Oak should be released on 3 sides to an average BA of 60 sqft. Where 30 sqft or more of hemlock occurs thin to less than 100 sqft of BA. Follow all guidelines set forth in "The Complete Marker".

Next Step Monitoring, Natural Regen (Re-Inventory)
Treatments:

Acceptable Any combination of the original stand's over story species prior to harvest.
Regen:

Other Move the treatment up to FY17 to do with stands in Compartment 82 near Hoar Lake.

Comment:

Proposed Start Date: 10/01/2016

**Total Treatment
Acreage Proposed: 93.1**

Report 5 – Site Conditions

Baraga Mgt. Unit
Jason Mittlestat : Examiner

Compartment: 75
Year of Entry: 2018

Availability for Management

| Total Acres | Acres Available | Acres Avail | | Dominant Site Conditions | 5C | 2H | 3A | 3K |
|----------------|--------------------|----------------|---------------|--------------------------|----|-----|-------|-----|
| | | With Condition | Not Available | | | | | |
| 12 | 0 | 0 | 12 | Bog | | | 8 | 4 |
| 212 | 5 | 0 | 207 | Cedar | | | 207 | |
| 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | Exposed Rock | | | | |
| 554 | 0 | 0 | 554 | Lowland Conifers | | 107 | 206 | 241 |
| 59 | 0 | 0 | 59 | Lowland Shrub | | | 45 | 14 |
| 463 | 0 | 0 | 463 | Lowland Spruce/Fir | | | 147 | 316 |
| 190 | 0 | 0 | 190 | Mixed Upland Deciduous | | | 190 | |
| 209 | 94 | 10 | 106 | Northern Hardwood | 10 | | 106 | |
| 210 | 0 | 0 | 210 | Paper Birch | | | 141 | 68 |
| 365 | 0 | 0 | 365 | Upland Conifers | | | 172 | 193 |
| 381 | 0 | 0 | 381 | Upland Mixed Forest | | | 381 | |
| 257 | 0 | 0 | 257 | Upland Spruce/Fir | | 211 | | 46 |
| 41 | 7 | 0 | 34 | Water | | | 13 | 21 |
| 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | White Pine | | | | |
| 2,960 | 113 | 10 | 2,838 | Total Forested Acres | 10 | 318 | 1,615 | 905 |
| | 4% | 0% | 96% | Relative Percent | | | | |

**Due to limitations in the current Site Conditions Analysis tool, all nonforested acres are considered available. Future development will enable analysis of nonforested types.*

| Site No. | Dominant Site Cond Availability | Dominant Site Condition | Acres | Other Site Condition | Other Site Condition | Other Site Condition | Other Site Condition |
|--|---------------------------------|---|-------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| 1 | Unavailable | 3A: Potential old growth / biodiversity | 1,615 | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| Comments: Potential type 2 old growth | | | | | | | |
| 3 | Unavailable | 3K: Rare or unique landforms | 4 | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| Comments: ERA: Keweenaw Point Bog G3G5, S4 | | | | | | | |

Report 5 – Site Conditions

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Jason Mittlestat : Examiner

Compartment: 75

Year of Entry: 2018

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| 4 | Unavailable | 3K: Rare or unique landforms | 75 | 3B: Threatened, endangered, and special concern species/communities | 3G: Other Influence zones - See comments | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| Comments: ERA Boreal Forest GU-S3 | | | | | | | |
| 5 | Available | 5C: Delay treatment for age/size class diversity or exceptional site quality | 10 | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| Comments: BA in this area is low. | | | | | | | |
| 10 | Unavailable | 3K: Rare or unique landforms | 122 | 3B: Threatened, endangered, and special concern species/communities | 3G: Other Influence zones - See comments | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| Comments: ERA Boreal Forest GU-S3 | | | | | | | |
| 12 | Unavailable | 3K: Rare or unique landforms | 316 | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| Comments: ERAs: Northern Fen G3S3, Patterned Fen GUS2, Boreal Forest GUS3, | | | | | | | |
| 13 | Unavailable | 3K: Rare or unique landforms | 36 | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| Comments: ERAs: Northern Fen G3S3, Emergent Marsh GUS4, Submergent Marsh GUS4 | | | | | | | |
| 27 | Unavailable | 3K: Rare or unique landforms | 46 | 3J: Water quality / BMPs (stream, river, or lake) | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| Comments: ERA Boreal Forest GU-S3 | | | | | | | |

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| 30 | Unavailable | 3K: Rare or unique landforms | 63 | 3J: Water quality / BMPs (stream, river, or lake) | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| Comments: ERA Boreal Forest GU-S3 | | | | | | | |
| 32 | Unavailable | 3K: Rare or unique landforms | 51 | 3J: Water quality / BMPs (stream, river, or lake) | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| Comments: ERA Boreal Forest GU-S3 | | | | | | | |
| 40 | Unavailable | 3K: Rare or unique landforms | 193 | 3J: Water quality / BMPs (stream, river, or lake) | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| Comments: ERA Boreal Forest GU-S3 | | | | | | | |
| 43 | Unavailable | 2H: Blocked by physical obstacle (e.g. upland stand in a lowland area) | 211 | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| Comments: | | | | | | | |
| 44 | Unavailable | 2H: Blocked by physical obstacle (e.g. upland stand in a lowland area) | 83 | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| Comments: | | | | | | | |
| 45 | Unavailable | 2H: Blocked by physical obstacle (e.g. upland stand in a lowland area) | 25 | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| Comments: | | | | | | | |

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Report 6 – PROPOSED SPECIAL CONSERVATION AREA* (SCA) DETAILS

* This is a partial list of SCAs for this compartment. Not included are those areas identified under other Department initiatives (Natural Rivers, Deer Wintering Areas, etc.). Those will be identified in separate, future map and report products.

| SCA Name | SCA Category | Detail Type | Recommendation | Acres |
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Report 7 – EXISTING SPECIAL CONSERVATION AREA DETAILS

* This is a list of SCA's for this compartment along with a 1/4 mile buffer surrounding the compartment. Refer to the Special Conservation Area Map for locations of the below listed Conservation Areas.

ERA = Ecological Reference Area
 HCVA = High Conservation Value Area
 SCA = Special Conservation Area

| Conservation Area | Type | Description |
|-------------------|----------------------------|--|
| SCA | Cold Water Lake | A coldwater lake has temperature and dissolved oxygen conditions that allow naturally-reproduced or stocked trout populations and those of other coldwater fish species to persist from year to year. Suitable conditions for coldwater fishes may occur in Michigan lakes if they are relatively deep, have substantial groundwater inflows, or are located in colder (northern) areas of the state. Such lakes are established by Director's action and designated as trout resources by Fisheries Order 200. |
| SCA | Cold Water Stream | A coldwater stream has temperature and dissolved oxygen conditions that allow naturally-reproduced or stocked trout populations and those of other coldwater fish species (e.g., slimy sculpin) to persist from year to year. Coldwater streams in Michigan typically provide these conditions due to substantial contributions of groundwater to their stream flows. Such streams are established by Director's action and designated as trout resources by Fisheries Order 210. |
| SCA | Great Lakes Islands | Great Lakes Islands provide significant habitat for numerous species, including many rare plants and animals, several of which are endemic or largely restricted to the Great Lakes region. Due to their isolation, islands provide good examples of many Great Lakes-associated natural communities and ecosystems, and thus have potential to provide insights for understanding the consequences of human disturbance on the increasingly fragmented ecosystems of the mainland. |
| SCA | Riparian Area | A transitional area between aquatic and terrestrial ecosystems in which the terrestrial ecosystem influences the aquatic ecosystem and vice-versa. Because of the unique conditions adjacent to lakes, streams and open water wetlands, riparian areas harbor a high diversity of plants and wildlife. Riparian communities are ecologically and socially significant in their effects on water quality and quantity, as well as aesthetics, habitat, bank stability, timber production, and their contribution to overall biodiversity. |
| ERA | Ecological Reference Areas | Ecological Reference Areas (ERAs) are high quality examples of natural communities that have been identified as Element Occurrences (EOs) by the Michigan Natural Features Inventory (MNFI) within the context of their natural community classification system. Element Occurrences with viability ranks of A (Excellent) or B (Good) and a Global (G) or State (S) element (rarity) ranking of endangered (1), threatened (2), or rare (3) serve as an initial base of ERAs. They may be located upon any ownership in the State. The system is comprised of individual or associations of natural community types that are managed for restoration and maintenance of natural ecological processes and values. The public may submit recommendations for lands as ERAs using the DNR Conservation Area Recommendation Form. |

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| Stand | Level 4 Cover Type | Size Density | Acres | Stand Age | BA Range | General Comments: |
|-------|--|-----------------|-------|-----------|-------------|---|
| 1 | 4119 - Mixed Northern Hardwoods | Sawtimber Well | 30.6 | 99 | 111-140 | |
| 2 | 4319 - Mixed Upland Forest | Poletimber Well | 163.7 | 58 | 81-110 | Longyear acquisition. Clearcut in late 1950's. Very similar to stand 48. However, this stand has a bit more birch. |
| 3 | 6120 - Lowland Cedar | Poletimber Well | 24.9 | 133 | 81-110 | Cedar stand with a drainage running through it. |
| 4 | 6124 - Lowland Spruce-Fir | Poletimber Well | 119.6 | 92 | 111-140 | : Lake Superior shore zone. Upland soil, mix of spruce fir and cedar. Potential for threatened and endangered species. Potential hiking trails along shore (were proposed by advisory committee). Strip on lake, south end, ERA basalt bedrock lakeshore. G3 S2 EO rank B |
| 5 | 42360 - Upland Cedar | Sapling Poor | 4.8 | 99 | Unspecified | Treed bog. |
| 9 | 4191 - Mixed Upland Deciduous with Conifer | Poletimber Well | 70.6 | 58 | 111-140 | Was not able to reach due to difficult terrain. Age estimated from adjacent stands. |
| 10 | 6128 - Lowland Coniferous, Mixed Deciduous | Poletimber Well | 121.5 | 92 | 171-200 | OPIC - FMD: Lake Superior shore zone. Upland soil, mix of spruce fir and cedar. Data from stand 004. Probably cut in late 1950's except near the lake. May have threatened or endangered plant species. Strip along lake ERA, basalt bedrock lakeshore G3 S2, EO rank B |
| 11 | 6120 - Lowland Cedar | Poletimber Well | 69.4 | 133 | 81-110 | Recommended for 'minimum impact' zone by advisory committee. |
| 12 | 4119 - Mixed Northern Hardwoods | Sawtimber Well | 38.0 | 99 | 141-170 | BA's 130, 140, 160 |
| 13 | 6120 - Lowland Cedar | Poletimber Well | 32.1 | 58 | 81-110 | |
| 14 | 4191 - Mixed Upland Deciduous with Conifer | Poletimber Well | 119.7 | 60 | 111-140 | Logged in the 1950's. There are old skid or haul roads in the stand that are grown in to balsam. |
| 15 | 6122 - Black Spruce | Sapling Medium | 19.8 | 56 | Unspecified | Poor conifer swamp / muskeg / poor fen. Large undisturbed wetland complex. Currently federally recognized ERA as a poor conifer swamp. |
| 16 | 6122 - Black Spruce | Poletimber Well | 58.0 | 79 | Unspecified | Federally recognized ERA as a Poor Conifer Swamp. |
| 17 | 4140 - Other Upland Deciduous | Poletimber Well | 93.1 | 58 | 81-110 | OI Stand Year Origin was 1958. The birch stocking increases towards the southern part of the stand. |
| 19 | 4119 - Mixed Northern Hardwoods | Sawtimber Well | 37.1 | 99 | 141-170 | BA's 140, 150, 160 |



| | Level 4 Cover Type | Size Density | Acres | Stand Age | BA Range | General Comments: |
|----|--|---------------------|-------|--------------|-------------|--|
| 20 | 6120 - Lowland Cedar | Poletimber Well | 64.2 | 133 | 81-110 | Recommended for 'minimum impact' zone by advisory committee. |
| 21 | 429 - Mixed Upland Conifers | Poletimber Well | 94.1 | 45 | 51-80 | Keystone Bay Road passes through stand. |
| 23 | 6122 - Black Spruce | Sapling Well | 69.2 | 79 | Unspecified | |
| 24 | 42380 - Non Pine Upland Conifer, Mixed Deciduous | Poletimber Well | 42.7 | 58 | 51-80 | |
| 26 | 6120 - Lowland Cedar | Poletimber Well | 17.0 | 103 | 81-110 | |
| 27 | 42340 - Upland Spruce/Fir | Poletimber Well | 46.4 | 115 | 81-110 | "Keystone Bay" LAKE SUPERIOR SHORE. Very nice sand beach. ATV trail along the east side of the stand. |
| 28 | 42200 - Natural White Pine | Sawtimber Medium | 4.3 | 179 | 51-80 | POINT EAST OF KEYSTONE BAY. |
| 29 | 42390 - Mixed Non- Pine Upland Conifers | Poletimber Well | 36.3 | 79 | 51-80 | |
| 30 | 4140 - Other Upland Deciduous | Sapling Medium | 116.5 | 10 | 1-50 | Keystone Bay Wildfire 8/2006. Lots of blow down - burnt timber, mostly cedar. Should be a nice paper birch stand. Looks much better from the ground than it does from the air photos. LAKE SUPERIOR SHORE. Probably never cut. High potential for rare and endangered plant species. Strip along the lake, ERA basalt bedrock lakeshore G3 S2 EO rank B |
| 32 | 4319 - Mixed Upland Forest | Sawtimber Well | 141.0 | 99 | 81-110 | Over story white pine with aspen / birch mixed in. Two aged from wind throw off of the lake. |
| 33 | 6129 - Mixed Coniferous Lowland Forest | Poletimber Well | 26.8 | 60 | 141-170 | Was not able to reach due to terrain issues. Mixed black spruce and fir with a ridge of white pine. |
| 34 | 6128 - Lowland Coniferous, Mixed Deciduous | Poletimber Well | 178.8 | 125 | 81-110 | |
| 38 | 4112 - Maple, Beech, Cherry Association | Sawtimber Well | 103.4 | 99 | 141-170 | BA's 110, 140, 150, 180. The stand appears to have been thinned in the past, aprx 30 years ago. The quality of the timber improves as you move south in the stand. The north part should be excluded from the treatment area. |
| 40 | 42390 - Mixed Non- Pine Upland Conifers | Poletimber Well | 158.6 | 179 | 51-80 | Lake Superior shore. Bedrock beach, cobble beach. Lots of blowdown. There was a historic commercial fish operation at Keystone Point. Remains of shacks are evident along shore. Probably never cut (except at commercial fish site at Keystone point). Strip along lake. ERA basalt bedrock lakeshore G3 S2 EO rank B |

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| | Level 4 Cover Type | Size Density | Acres | Stand Age | BA Range | General Comments: |
|----|--------------------------------|----------------------|-------|--------------|-------------|--|
| 42 | 6122 - Black Spruce | Sapling Medium | 316.1 | 79 | Unspecified | Rich fen / patterned fen. |
| 43 | 42340 - Upland Spruce/Fir | Poletimber Well | 210.7 | 86 | 51-80 | OPIC - FMD: Manitou Island. Low, blowdown, a jungle. 1987 data. Observed south end - wild fire. Strip of land on north side: ERA volcanic conglomerate lakeshore G3 S2 EO rank A |
| 44 | 6124 - Lowland Spruce- Fir | Poletimber Medium | 82.5 | 148 | 1-50 | OPIC - FMD: Manitou Island. Very wet. Strip of land along lake: ERA, volcanic conglomerate lakeshore. G3, S2 EO rank A |
| 45 | 6124 - Lowland Spruce- Fir | Poletimber Well | 24.9 | 86 | 51-80 | OPIC - FMD: Manitou Island. Low, blowdown, a jungle. 1987 data. Strip of land along lake: ERA, volcanic conglomerate lakeshore G3 S2 EO rank A |
| 47 | 429 - Mixed Upland Conifers | Poletimber Well | 33.3 | 115 | 51-80 | Lake Superior Shore. Probably never cut. Strip along the lake, ERA basalt bedrock lakeshore G3 S2 EO rank B |
| 48 | 4319 - Mixed Upland Forest | Poletimber Well | 76.0 | 58 | 81-110 | Longyear acquisition. Clearcut in late 1950's. |



| Stand | Cover Type | Acres | Managed Site | General Comments: |
|-------|----------------------------|-------|--------------|--|
| 6 | 500 - Water | 2.2 | No | Gill Lake. Within the shore influence zone. |
| 7 | 622 - Lowland Shrub | 4.3 | No | |
| 8 | 6229 - Mixed lowland shrub | 13.8 | No | Large beaver flooding. |
| 18 | 6225 - Bog | 4.2 | No | |
| 22 | 622 - Lowland Shrub | 26.4 | No | Wetland along Union Creek. |
| 25 | 500 - Water | 12.8 | No | Bay Lake. |
| 31 | 6225 - Bog | 7.8 | No | |
| 35 | 500 - Water | 21.4 | No | Pond |
| 36 | 622 - Lowland Shrub | 14.4 | No | |
| 37 | 500 - Water | 2.1 | No | |
| 39 | 500 - Water | 2.0 | No | Pond |
| 46 | 500 - Water | 0.9 | No | Manitou Lake |
| 401 | 720 - Exposed Rock | 2.9 | No | High Rock Bay. Open area at end of road. Sparse grass. Frequently used for camping or sightseeing. |