

# DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES STATE OF MICHIGAN TIMBER SALE PROSPECTUS #7644

SCHEDULED SALE DATE AND TIME: 9:00 a.m. (local time) on May 16, 2025. LOCATION: GAYLORD MGMT UNIT, 1732 WEST M 32, GAYLORD, MI 49735.

<u>PROSPECTUS NOTE:</u> All sales on this Prospectus have received damage from the Ice Storm in late March 2025. The Purchaser should harvest the wood as soon as possible.

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:

Ice Apocalypse (52-013-25) / T30N, R04W, SEC. 10, NENW.

T30N, R04W, SEC. 11, NWNE. T30N, R04W, SEC. 2, SWSW. T31N, R03W, SEC. 32, S1/2SW.

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SALE NOTE: The stands within this sale received extensive damage from an ice storm and should be harvested as soon as possible.

lce Storm 2025 (52-016-25) / T30N, R04W, SEC. 23, NESE.

T30N, R04W, SEC. 24, NENW, S1/2NW, N1/2SW.

Otsego County, Advertised Price \$18,308.40, 115.1 Acres, Red Pine.

SALE NOTE: This is a short duration salvage contract. Remove trees with damage to the crowns 50% or more.

Best access is off of Old Alba and Lippard Road.

Ice Fisherman Salvage (52-107-25) / T34N, R04W, SEC. 17, NW.

Emmet County, Advertised Price \$11,742.00, 73.7 Acres, Red Pine.

SALE NOTE: Sale is part of Ice Storm of March 2025. DNR will schedule scale inspections a maximum of 3 times per week.

# 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 May 16, 2025. 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

# Ice Apocalypse (52-013-25)

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A timber sale contract for this scaled, 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:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES ESTIMATED UNITS\* ADVERTISED PRICE

Pulpwood

Red Pine 555 Cords \$ 22.80 / Cord

# **BOND AND PAYMENT SCHEDULE:**

- 1. A bond in the amount of \$5,000.00 to insure faithful performance of the conditions of the contract will be deposited by the successful bidder within 21 days of the sale award.
- 2. Cutting in any sale or unit without the required advance payment would be considered a trespass.
- 3. Total payment must be paid in advance or according to the following schedule:
  - (a) Ten percent (10%) of the sale value must be paid within 21 days of the sale award.
  - (b) The 10% down payment will be credited towards the first unit cut.
  - (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	23.8%
02	32.6%
03	32.6%
04	11.0%

- 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		
43,875	43,875 555		555	555	

<sup>\*</sup> 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.

# **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 II	N CORDS
VDU	TOTAL CUBIC FEET	TOTAL CORDS	PERCENT ERROR	MINIMUM	MAXIMUM
8	14,306	181	0.00%	181	181
9	4,845	61	0.00%	61	61
10	10,412	132	0.00%	132	132
82	14,312	181	0.00%	181	181
TOTAL:	TOTAL: 43,875			555	555

# **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.

TOTAL:	79.5		79.5
82	25.9	2	25.9
10	18.9	1	18.9
9	8.8	4	8.8
8	25.9	3	25.9
VDU	VDU ACRES	PU	PU ACRES

# **DESCRIPTION OF TIMBER BY PAYMENT UNIT (PU)**

PU	MARKET GROUP	PRODUCT	QUANTITY	UNIT	ACRES	ADVERTISE PRICE
1	Red Pine	Pulpwood	132	Cords	18.9	\$3,009.60
2	Red Pine	Pulpwood	181	Cords	25.9	\$4,126.80
3	Red Pine	Pulpwood	181	Cords	25.9	\$4,126.80
4	Red Pine	Pulpwood	61	Cords	8.8	\$1,390.80
TOTAL:			555	Cords		

# Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Ice Apocalypse Sale Number: 52-013-25 Seq#: 1

#### 1 - Sale Area

#### 1.2 - Boundaries

# 1.2.1 - Painted Boundaries (9/19)

The sale boundary and Payment Unit boundaries are marked and identified by red, and blue paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against private property are marked with blue paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. In addition, the north boundary of Payment Unit 1 is defined by Van Tyle Road, and the south and west boundary are defined by a state forest two track. The north boundary of Payment Unit 2 is defined by Van Tyle Road and the west boundary by Coger Road. The south and east boundary are defined by a type change into a young mixed deciduous clearcut less than 10 years old. The west and south boundary of Payment Unit 3 is defined by county roads, and the north boundary is defined by a powerline corridor. The boundary for Payment Unit 4 is defined by M 32 and a paved/graveled parking lot.

# 2 - Timber Specifications

# 2.1 - Included Timber

# 2.1.1 - Clearcut Unit(s) with Unmerchantable Trees (6/14)

Within Payment Unit(s) All units, cut all trees that are two (2) inches or more at DBH.

# 2.1.11 - Description of Timber Note (2/04)

Note that this is an ice storm salvage sale. All Payment Units will be scaled by the Sale Administrator. Chipping of the Sale Area will not be required but is encouraged (see sale condition 5.2.1.11). If chipped, the Purchaser must provide electronic confirmation of scale tickets at a minium of once per week. To convert red pine chip weight to cords, we will use a conversion of 1 cord = 1.9 tons or 1 cord = 3,800 pounds. This is from the USDA's Timber Management Field Book, 2008 Edition Table 2.10 Weight Table for Various Woods.

Species other than red pine will be scaled as follows:

Mixed Aspen: \$16.50/cd White Pine: \$19.00/cd Jack Pine: \$13.50/cd Mixed Hdwd: \$14.00/cd Mixed Oak: \$7.50/cd

# 2.2 - Utilization

# 2.2.3 - Stump Heights (12/24)

Stump heights within All Units shall not exceed six (6) inches for all trees. This is in order to facilitate planting operations.

# 3 - Payments

# 3.2 - Scaled Sales

# 3.2.1 - Scale Location (2/04)

Forest products will be placed for measurement at areas agreed upon by the producer and the Sale Administrator during the pre sale conference

# 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.

# 4.1.4 - Timber Removed for Construction (3/23)

Trees cut or damaged in the process of pre-approved road, landing, or skid trail construction will be decked in an area

separate from other Designated Timber and not removed until measured by the Sale Administrator. Payment will be made at contract prices or average prices, if not on the contract.

# 4.1.6 - Road Construction (4/24)

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, 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. Overgrown roads that are reopened shall be considered new roads. In general, this will require constructing a four (4') foot high berm of stumps and logs covered with earth. Stumps and brush must be placed along the remainder of the trail. 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.

#### 4.2 - Maintenance

# 4.2.3 - Road maintenance (8/13)

The following road maintenance may be needed: Within 60 days of completion of hauling, or if no hauling occurs for 60 days, the road must be maintained and graded. This includes cleaning of drainage areas, grading, crowning and filling with gravel, if necessary. Damages will be assessed if grading/repair does not occur.

# 4.2.5 - Two Wheel Drive Condition (2/04)

All existing trail roads on and adjacent to the Sale Area must be passable by two-wheel drive traffic for the duration of the sale.

# 5 - Operations

# 5.1 - Notification

# 5.1.1 - Pre-sale Conference (10/16)

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 10 days in advance to schedule the conference.

# 5.1.3 - Well Heads and Natural Gas Pipelines (11/15)

The Purchaser is responsible for contacting the gas/pipeline company and MISSDIG prior to operating equipment in the vicinity of well heads or natural gas pipelines.

# 5.1.4 - Post-Sale Conference (10/16)

A post-sale conference on site between the Purchaser and sale administrator is required five (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. These would be trees that are obviously dead and/or hollow from before the occurrence of the April 2025 Ice Storm.

# 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.

# 5.2.38 - No Decking Against Live Trees (2/04)

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

# 5.4 - Soil Protection

# 5.4.1 - Rutting Restriction, General (7/16)

Operations are to cease immediately if equipment and weather conditions result in rutting of roads and/or skid trails which are 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 onsite 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 all haul routes 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

#### 7.2 - Extensions

# 7.2.2 - No Extensions (3/09)

There will be no extensions granted on this contract.

# 7.2.3 - Salvage Extension (6/13)

This is a salvage sale with a short contract length. The sale must be harvested promptly. One (1), twelve (12) month extension can be applied to one (1) other State Forest Timber Sale Contract owned by the purchaser or owned by one (1) designated sub-contractor of the Purchaser that works this contract. To qualify, the contract expiration date of the contract to be extended must be within twelve (12) months from the issue date of this contract. If this is the first extension on the other State Forest Timber Sale Contract, then the 5% extension fee will be waived. If this is an additional extension, the 10% fee will be reduced to 5%. The salvage extension must be used before this contract is closed-out. This specification does not alleviate the purchaser from any contractual obligations of the extended State Forest Timber Sale Contract. Per General Condition & Requirement 7.2, extensions are at the sole discretion of the DNR.

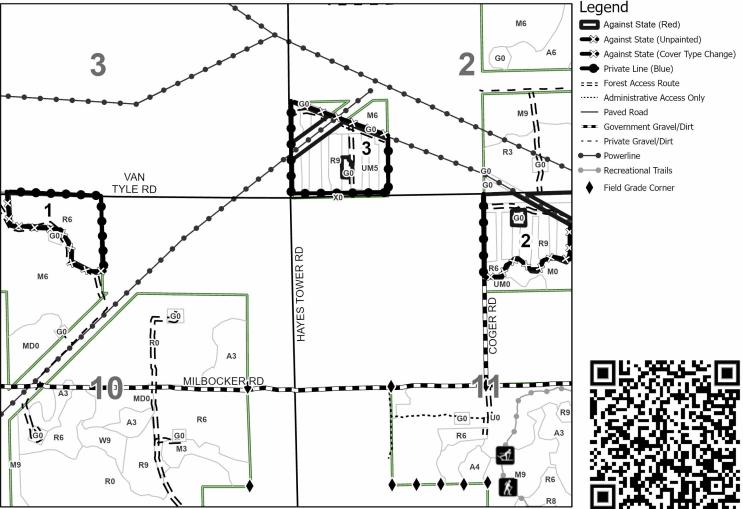
# 7.5 - Loss

# 7.5.1 - Deteriorating Timber (7/09)

The Sale Area has received damage from a massive ice storm. 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.

Section Name: Sale Specific Current as of 5/6/2025 12:15:35PM

#### Michigan Department of Natural Resources - Forest Resources Division Sale Number Date **TIMBER SALE MAP** 52-013-25 04/30/2025 This information provided by authority of Part 525, 1994 PA 451, as amended. Scale Page Of Forest Management Unit County Mapped By: Zach Crew 1:15,840 1 2 Gaylord Mgt Unit Otsego Cruised By: Zach Crew Township Section(s) and Range Subdivision(s) 30N / 31N Sec. 10 NENW; Sec. 11 NWNE; Sec. 2 SWSW; Sec. 32 S1/2SW; 03W / **Cover Type Density** J = Jack Pine U = Upland Brush A = Aspen O = Oak 0 = Non Stocked 5 = Pole Timber Medium UM = Upland Mix Forest B = Paper Birch K = RockP = Lowland Poplar 1 = Seedling Sapling Poor 6 = Pole Timber Well C = CedarL = Lowland Brush Q = Mixed Swamp Conifer V = Bog or Marsh2 = Seedling Sapling Medium 7 = Saw Timber Poor LM = Lowland Mix Forest R = Red PineW = White Pine 3 = Seedling Sapling Well 8 = Saw Timber Medium D = Treed Bog E = Swamp Hardwoods M = Maple, Beech, Birch S = Black SpruceX = Non Stocked 4 = Pole Timber Poor 9 = Saw Timber Well F = Spruce/FirMC = Mixed Conifer T = TamarackY = SandLocator Map 1:100,000 G = GrassMD = Mixed Deciduous Z = WaterH = Hemlock N = Marsh**Payment Unit Acres** Ice Number **Apocalypse** 18.9 2 26 3 26 **79.5 Acres** 8.8 0.25 0.5 Miles Legend Against State (Red) Against State (Unpainted) Against State (Cover Type Change) G0 Private Line (Blue) Forest Access Route





# Michigan Department of Natural Resources - Forest Resources Division

# **TIMBER SALE MAP**

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

Date Sale Number 52-013-25 04/30/2025

Scale Page Of Forest Management Unit County Mapped By: Zach Crew 1:7,920 2 2 Gaylord Mgt Unit Otsego Cruised By: Zach Crew

Township Range Section(s) and

30N / 31N 03W Subdivision(s) Sec. 10 NENW; Sec. 11 NWNE; Sec. 2 SWSW; Sec. 32 S1/2SW;

Cover Type						
A = Aspen	J = Jack Pine	O = Oak	U = Upland Brush			
B = Paper Birch	K = Rock	P = Lowland Poplar	UM = Upland Mix Forest			
C = Cedar	L = Lowland Brush	Q = Mixed Swamp Conifer	V = Bog or Marsh			
D = Treed Bog	LM = Lowland Mix Forest	R = Red Pine	W = White Pine			
E = Swamp Hardwoods	M = Maple, Beech, Birch	S = Black Spruce	X = Non Stocked			
F = Spruce/Fir	MC = Mixed Conifer	T = Tamarack	Y = Sand			
G = Grass	MD = Mixed Deciduous		Z = Water			
H = Hemlock	N = Marsh					

0.25

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			
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# **Ice Apocalypse**

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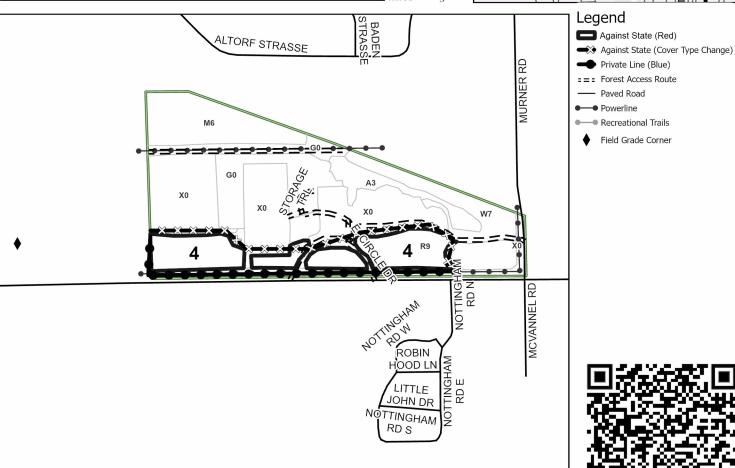




Private Line (Blue)

 Recreational Trails Field Grade Corner

Paved Road Powerline





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  - (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

51.2%

02

48.8%

- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 06/03/2026.

# **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		
39,362	39,362 498		498	498	

# **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		VOLUME			RANGE II	N CORDS
VDU	TOTAL CUBIC FEET	TOTAL CORDS	PERCENT ERROR	MINIMUM	MAXIMUM		
6	20,147	255	0.00%	255	255		
52	19,215	243	0.00%	243	243		
TOTAL:	39,362	498		498	498		

<sup>\*</sup> 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.

# **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.

TOTAL:	71.4		71.4
52	34.9	2	34.9
6	36.5	1	36.5
VDU	VDU ACRES	PU	PU ACRES

# DESCRIPTION OF TIMBER BY PAYMENT UNIT (PU)

PU	MARKET GROUP	PRODUCT	QUANTITY	UNIT	ACRES	ADVERTISE PRICE
1	Red Pine	Pulpwood	255	Cords	36.5	\$5,814.00
2	Red Pine	Pulpwood	243	Cords	34.9	\$5,540.40
		TOTAL:	498	Cords		

# Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Ice See Dead Trees Sale Number: 52-015-25 Seg#: 1

#### 1 - Sale Area

#### 1.2 - Boundaries

# 1.2.1 - Painted Boundaries (9/19)

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

# 2.1.4 - Designated Timber Unit(s) (6/17)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 and 2, all trees are designated for cutting if they have received damage greater than 50% to the crowns.

# 2.1.11 - Description of Timber Note (2/04)

Note that this is an ice storm salvage sale. All Payment Units will be scaled by Sale Administrator. Prices for individual species if present within the Sale Area are as follows:

- -Jack Pine \$13.50/cord
- -Mixed Hardwood \$14.00/cord
- -Mixed Oak \$7.50/cord
- -Mixed Aspen \$16.50/cord
- -White Pine \$19.00/cord

Chipping of Sale Area will not be required but is encouraged. If sale is chipped, the Purchaser must provide electronic confirmation of scale tickets at minimum of twice per week. To convert red pine chip weight to cords, we will use a conversion of 1 cord = 1.9 tons or 1 cord = 3,800 pounds. This is from the USDA's Timber Management Field Book, 2008 Edition table 2.10 Weight Table for Various Woods.

# 2.2 - Utilization

# 2.2.3 - Stump Heights (12/24)

Stump heights within the Sale Area shall not exceed six (6) inches for all trees. This is in order to facilitate planting operations.

# 3 - Payments

# 3.2 - Scaled Sales

# 3.2.1 - Scale Location (2/04)

Forest products will be placed for measurement as determined at the Pre-sale meeting.

# 3.4 - Damaged Timber

# 3.4.1 - Damaged Timber (12/24)

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

No damage is acceptable to undesignated live merchantable trees. Within the Sale Area, if more than 5% of trees (> 4.5" DBH) within a specified area of the sale are damaged, liquidated damages will be assessed for all trees damaged. Rates will be in accordance with General Condition and Requirement 3.4 Damaged Timber.

# 4 - Transportation

# 4.1 - Construction

# 4.1.3 - 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 (4/24)

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, 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. Overgrown roads that are reopened shall be considered new roads. In general, this will require constructing a four (4') foot high berm of stumps and logs covered with earth. These roads must be rendered impassable to cars and trucks. Contact the Sale Administrator for specific details of design and placement.

# 4.2 - Maintenance

# 4.2.3 - Road maintenance (8/13)

The following road maintenance may be needed: Within 60 days of completion of hauling, or if no hauling occurs for 60 days, the road must be maintained and graded. This includes cleaning of drainage areas, grading, crowning and filling with gravel, if necessary. Damages will be assessed if grading/repair does not occur.

# 4.2.5 - Two Wheel Drive Condition (2/04)

All existing trail roads on and adjacent to the Sale Area must be passable by two-wheel drive traffic for the duration of the sale.

# 5 - Operations

# 5.1 - Notification

# 5.1.1 - Pre-sale Conference (10/16)

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

# 5.1.3 - Well Heads and Natural Gas Pipelines (11/15)

The Purchaser is responsible for contacting the gas/pipeline company and MISSDIG prior to operating equipment in the vicinity of well heads or natural gas pipelines.

# 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

# 5.2.1 - Slash

# 5.2.1.11 - Slash for Reforestation (3/21)

If not chipped, the Sale Area shall be left with slash evenly distributed. Bunched tops within the cutting area shall be broken up and scattered. Stumps shall be cut low to the ground. Processing sites shall not be left with a compacted layer of slash.

# 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.

# 5.2.38 - No Decking Against Live Trees (2/04)

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

# 5.4 - Soil Protection

# 5.4.1 - Rutting Restriction, General (7/16)

Operations are to cease immediately if equipment and weather conditions result in rutting of roads and/or skid trails which are 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 onsite 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 Wequas Road and any other roads within the Sale Area 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

# 7.2 - Extensions

# 7.2.2 - No Extensions (3/09)

There will be no extensions granted on this contract.

# 7.2.3 - Salvage Extension (6/13)

This is a salvage sale with a short contract length. The sale must be harvested promptly. One (1), twelve (12) month extension can be applied to one (1) other State Forest Timber Sale Contract owned by the purchaser or owned by one (1) designated sub-contractor of the Purchaser that works this contract. To qualify, the contract expiration date of the contract to be extended must be within twelve (12) months from the issue date of this contract. If this is the first extension on the other State Forest Timber Sale Contract, then the 5% extension fee will be waived. If this is an additional extension, the 10% fee will be reduced to 5%. The salvage extension must be used before this contract is closed-out. This specification does not alleviate the purchaser from any contractual obligations of the extended State Forest Timber Sale Contract. Per General Condition & Requirement 7.2, extensions are at the sole discretion of the DNR.

#### 7.5 - Loss

# 7.5.1 - Deteriorating Timber (7/09)

The Sale Area has received damage from the ice storm in March 2025. 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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# Michigan Department of Natural Resources - Forest Resources Division

# **TIMBER SALE MAP**

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

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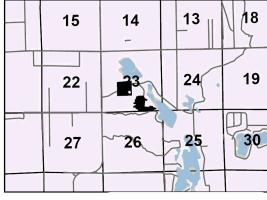
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E = Swamp Hardwoods	M = Maple, Beech, Birch	S = Black Spruce	X = Non Stocked		
F = Spruce/Fir	MC = Mixed Conifer	T = Tamarack	Y = Sand		
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Density				
0 = Non Stocked	5 = Pole Timber Medium			
1 = Seedling Sapling Poor	6 = Pole Timber Well			
2 = Seedling Sapling Medium	7 = Saw Timber Poor			
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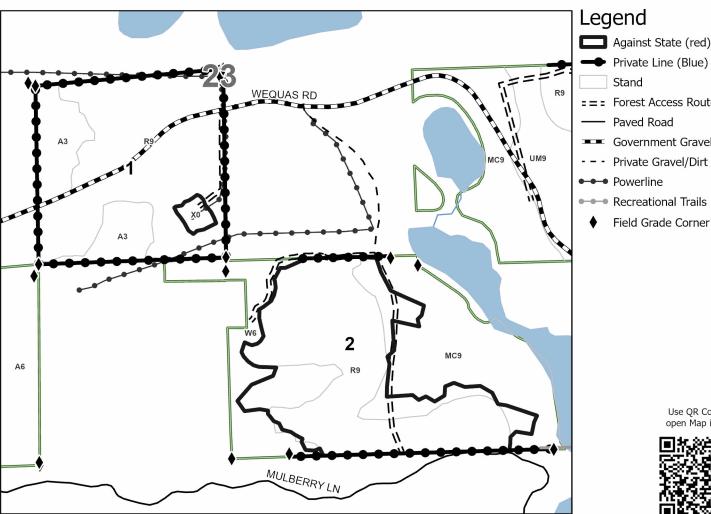
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#### **Payment Unit Acres** Number 36.5 2 34.9

# **Ice See Dead Trees 71.4 Acres**







- Against State (red)
- Private Line (Blue)
- **==** Forest Access Route
- Government Gravel/Dirt

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# TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

Ice Storm 2025 (52-016-25)
T30N, R04W, SEC. 23; T30N, R04W, SEC. 24.
Otsego County (Advertised Price \$18,308.40)

SALE NOTE: This is a short duration salvage contract. Remove trees with damage to the crowns 50% or more.

Best access is off of Old Alba and Lippard Road.

A timber sale contract for this scaled, 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:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES ESTIMATED UNITS\* ADVERTISED PRICE

Pulpwood

Red Pine 803 Cords \$ 22.80 / Cord

\* 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 \$915.00 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 remainder is due before cutting begins.
  - (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

100.0%

- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 06/03/2026.

# **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 RA	ANGE IN CORDS
TOTAL CUBIC FEET	TOTAL CORDS	PERCENT ERROR	MINIMUM	MAXIMUM
63,439	803	0.00%	803	803

# **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 II	N CORDS
VDU	TOTAL CUBIC FEET	TOTAL CORDS	PERCENT ERROR	MINIMUM	MAXIMUM
54	63,439	803	0.00%	803	803
TOTAL:	63,439	803		803	803

# **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
54	115.1	1	115.1
TOTAL:	115.1		115.1

# DESCRIPTION OF TIMBER BY PAYMENT UNIT (PU)

PU	MARKET GROUP	PRODUCT	QUANTITY	UNIT	ACRES	ADVERTISE PRICE
1	Red Pine	Pulpwood	803	Cords	115.1	\$18,308.40
		TOTAL:	803	Cords		

# **Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements**

Sale Name: Ice Storm 2025 Sale Number: 52-016-25 Seq#: 1

#### 1 - Sale Area

#### 1.2 - Boundaries

# 1.2.1 - Painted Boundaries (9/19)

The sale boundaries are marked and identified by red and blue paint, and cover type changes (see Timber Sale Map). Exterior sale boundary lines against private property are marked with blue paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint, with the exception of the northern portion of the sale which is designated by Lippard Road and immature aspen and the southeast portion of the sale along the immature aspen.

# 2 - Timber Specifications

#### 2.1 - Included Timber

# 2.1.4 - Designated Timber Unit(s) (6/17)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, all red pine is designated for cutting if they have received damage greater than 50% to the crowns.

# 2.1.11 - Description of Timber Note (2/04)

Note that this is an ice storm salvage sale. All Payment Units will be scaled by Sale Administrator. Prices for individual species if present within the Sale Area are as follows:

- -Jack Pine \$13.50/cord
- -Mixed Hardwood \$14.00/cord
- -Mixed Oak \$7.50/cord
- -Mixed Aspen \$16.50/cord
- -White Pine \$19.00/cord

Chipping of Sale Area will not be required but is encouraged. If sale is chipped, the Purchaser must provide electronic confirmation of scale tickets at minimum of twice per week. To convert red pine chip weight to cords, we will use a conversion of 1 cord = 1.9 tons or 1 cord = 3,800 pounds. This is from the USDA's Timber Management Field Book, 2008 Edition table 2.10 Weight Table for Various Woods.

# 3 - Payments

# 3.2 - Scaled Sales

# 3.2.1 - Scale Location (2/04)

Forest products will be placed for measurement as determined at the Pre-sale meeting.

# 3.4 - Damaged Timber

# 3.4.1 - Damaged Timber (12/24)

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

No damage is acceptable to undesignated live merchantable trees. Within the Sale Area, if more than 5% of trees (> 4.5" DBH) within a specified area of the sale are damaged, liquidated damages will be assessed for all trees damaged. Rates will be in accordance with General Condition and Requirement 3.4 Damaged Timber.

# 4 - Transportation

# 4.1 - Construction

# 4.1.3 - 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 (4/24)

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, 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. Overgrown roads that are reopened shall be considered new roads. In general, this will require constructing a four (4') foot high berm of stumps and logs covered with earth. These roads must be rendered impassable to cars and trucks. Contact the Sale Administrator for specific details of design and placement.

#### 4.2 - Maintenance

# 4.2.3 - Road maintenance (8/13)

The following road maintenance may be needed: Within 60 days of completion of hauling, or if no hauling occurs for 60 days, the road must be maintained and graded. This includes cleaning of drainage areas, grading, crowning and filling with gravel, if necessary. Damages will be assessed if grading/repair does not occur.

# 4.2.5 - Two Wheel Drive Condition (2/04)

All existing trail roads on and adjacent to the Sale Area must be passable by two-wheel drive traffic for the duration of the sale.

# 5 - Operations

# 5.1 - Notification

# 5.1.1 - Pre-sale Conference (10/16)

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

# 5.1.3 - Well Heads and Natural Gas Pipelines (11/15)

The Purchaser is responsible for contacting the gas/pipeline company and MISSDIG prior to operating equipment in the vicinity of well heads or natural gas pipelines.

# 5.1.4 - Post-Sale Conference (10/16)

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

# 5.2.32 - 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.

# 5.2.38 - No Decking Against Live Trees (2/04)

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

# 5.4 - Soil Protection

# 5.4.1 - Rutting Restriction, General (7/16)

Operations are to cease immediately if equipment and weather conditions result in rutting of roads and/or skid trails which are 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 onsite 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 Lippard Road, Old Alba Road and any other roads within the Sale Area 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

# 7.2 - Extensions

# 7.2.2 - No Extensions (3/09)

There will be no extensions granted on this contract.

# 7.2.3 - Salvage Extension (6/13)

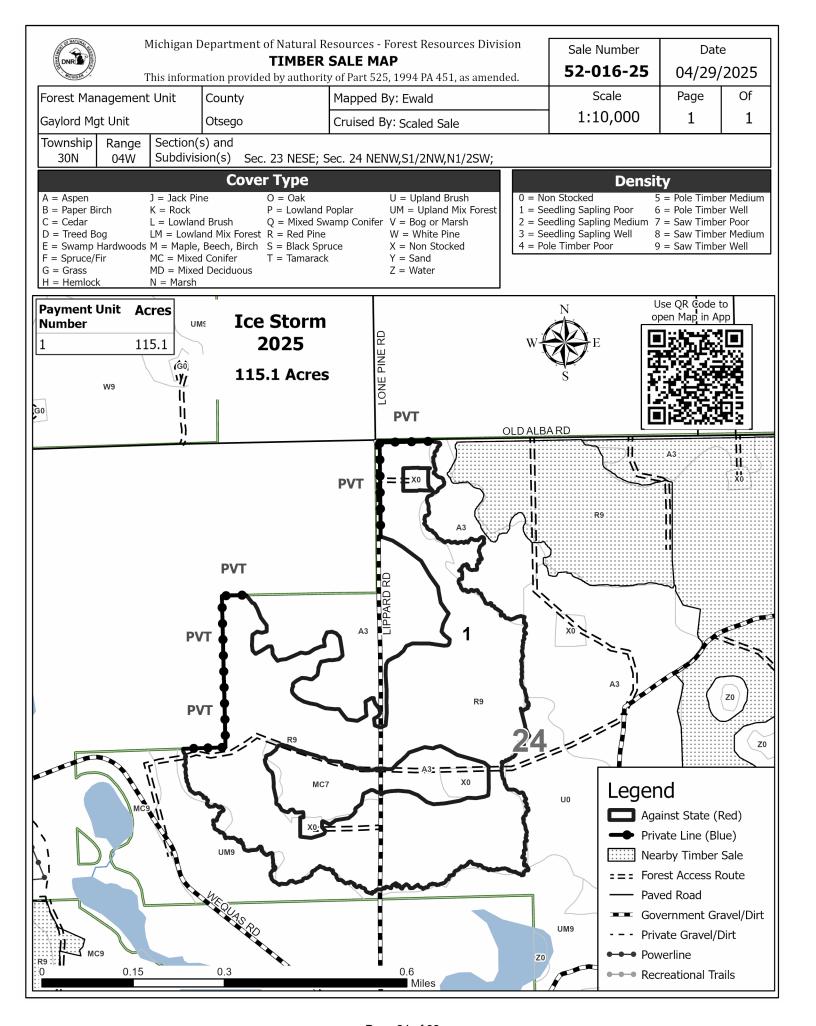
This is a salvage sale with a short contract length. The sale must be harvested promptly. One (1), twelve (12) month extension can be applied to one (1) other State Forest Timber Sale Contract owned by the purchaser or owned by one (1) designated sub-contractor of the Purchaser that works this contract. To qualify, the contract expiration date of the contract to be extended must be within twelve (12) months from the issue date of this contract. If this is the first extension on the other State Forest Timber Sale Contract, then the 5% extension fee will be waived. If this is an additional extension, the 10% fee will be reduced to 5%. The salvage extension must be used before this contract is closed-out. This specification does not alleviate the purchaser from any contractual obligations of the extended State Forest Timber Sale Contract. Per General Condition & Requirement 7.2, extensions are at the sole discretion of the DNR.

# 7.5 - Loss

# 7.5.1 - Deteriorating Timber (7/09)

The Sale Area has received damage from the Ice storm in March 2025. 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.

Section Name: Sale Specific Current as of 5/6/2025 12:18:36PM



# TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

# Ice Fisherman Salvage (52-107-25) T34N, R04W, SEC. 17. Emmet County (Advertised Price \$11,742.00)

SALE NOTE: Sale is part of Ice Storm of March 2025. DNR will schedule scale inspections a maximum of 3 times per week.

A timber sale contract for this scaled, 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:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES ESTIMATED UNITS\* ADVERTISED PRICE

Pulpwood

Red Pine 515 Cords \$ 22.80 / Cord

\* The estimated units are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

# **BOND AND PAYMENT SCHEDULE:**

- 1. A bond in the amount of \$1,174.00 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

52.0% 48.0%

- 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		VOLUME			STATISTICAL RA	ANGE IN CORDS
TOTAL CUBIC FEET	TOTAL CORDS	PERCENT ERROR	MINIMUM	MAXIMUM		
40,651	515	0.00%	515	515		

# **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.

	VOL	JME		RANGE II	N CORDS
VDU	TOTAL CUBIC FEET	TOTAL CORDS	PERCENT ERROR	MINIMUM	MAXIMUM
13	21,142	268	0.00%	268	268
18	19,509	247	0.00%	247	247
TOTAL:	40,651	515		515	515

# **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
13	38.3	1	38.3
18	35.4	2	35.4
TOTAL:	73.7		73.7

# DESCRIPTION OF TIMBER BY PAYMENT UNIT (PU)

PU	MARKET GROUP	PRODUCT	QUANTITY	UNIT	ACRES	ADVERTISE PRICE
1	Red Pine	Pulpwood	268	Cords	38.3	\$6,110.40
2	Red Pine	Pulpwood	247	Cords	35.4	\$5,631.60
TOTAL:		515	Cords			

# Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Ice Fisherman Salvage Sale Number: 52-107-25 Seq#: 1

#### 1 - Sale Area

#### 1.2 - Boundaries

# 1.2.1 - Painted Boundaries (9/19)

The sale boundary and Payment Unit boundaries are marked and identified by blue and red paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against private property are marked with blue paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. The painted boundary line trees are not Included Timber unless they are damaged and meet salvage tree specs 2.1.4.

# 2 - Timber Specifications

# 2.1 - Included Timber

# 2.1.4 - Designated Timber Unit(s) (6/17)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 and 2, all damaged trees are designated for cutting. Trees that received damage from recent ice storm are designated for cutting, this includes standing stem and any tops on ground. Trees that received no damage will be protected during timber harvest.

# 2.1.11 - Description of Timber Note (2/04)

Note that this is an ice storm salvage sale. All Payment Units will be scaled by the Sale Administrator. Chipping of Sale Area will not be required but is encouraged. If sale is chipped, the Purchaser must provide electronic confirmation of scale tickets at minimum of twice per week. To convert red pine chip weight to cords, we will use a conversion of 1 cord = 1.9 tons or 1 cord = 3,800 pounds. This is from the USDA's Timber Management Field Book, 2008 Edition table 2.10 Weight Table for Various Woods.

# 2.2 - Utilization

# 2.2.3 - Stump Heights (12/24)

Stump heights within the Sale Area shall not exceed six (6) inches for all trees.

# 3 - Payments

# 3.2 - Scaled Sales

# 3.2.1 - Scale Location (2/04)

Forest products will be placed for measurement at designated landing locations for scaling. No products may be hauled until they have been scaled.

# 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 (4/24)

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, 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.

# 4.1.8 - Road Work (1) (8/07)

Road opening may be required to access any Payment Unit. The wood removed for road opening may be utilized by the Producer for contract price (or current market value if not on contract) and will be scaled by the Sale Administrator.

# 4.2 - Maintenance

# 4.2.5 - Two Wheel Drive Condition (2/04)

All existing trail roads on and adjacent to the Sale Area must be passable by two-wheel drive traffic for the duration of the sale.

# 5 - Operations

# 5.1 - Notification

# 5.1.1 - Pre-sale Conference (10/16)

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.

# 5.2 - Conduct of Operations

# 5.2.1 - Slash

# 5.2.1.8 - Slash Height (12/08)

No slash may exceed 24 inches in height.

# 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 are 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 onsite 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 county roads or state two tracks affected by timber sale 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

# 7.2 - Extensions

# 7.2.2 - No Extensions (3/09)

There will be no extensions granted on this contract.

#### 7.2.3 - Salvage Extension (6/13)

This is a salvage sale with a short contract length. The sale must be harvested promptly. One (1), twelve (12) month extension can be applied to one (1) other State Forest Timber Sale Contract owned by the purchaser or owned by one (1) designated sub-contractor of the Purchaser that works this contract. To qualify, the contract expiration date of the contract to be extended must be within twelve (12) months from the issue date of this contract. If this is the first extension on the other

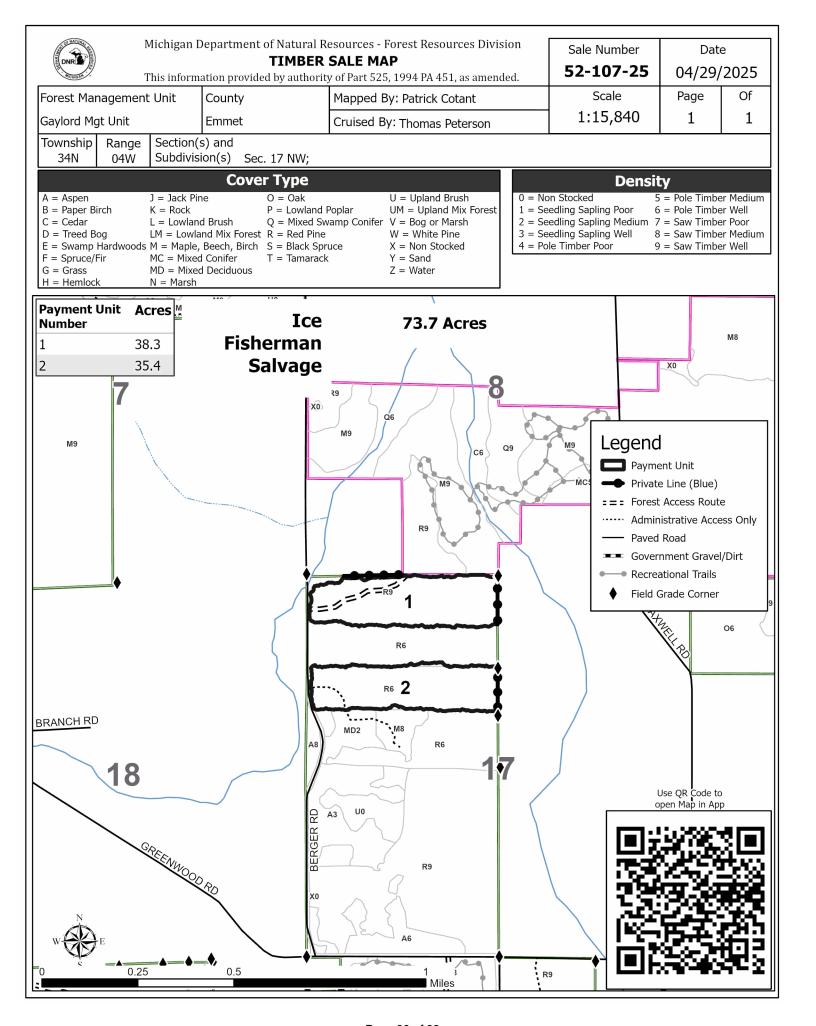
State Forest Timber Sale Contract, then the 5% extension fee will be waived. If this is an additional extension, the 10% fee will be reduced to 5%. The salvage extension must be used before this contract is closed-out. This specification does not alleviate the purchaser from any contractual obligations of the extended State Forest Timber Sale Contract. Per General Condition & Requirement 7.2, extensions are at the sole discretion of the DNR.

# 7.5 - Loss

# 7.5.1 - Deteriorating Timber (7/09)

The Sale Area has received damage from the ice storm in late March 2025. 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.

Section Name: Sale Specific Current as of 4/30/2025 1:26:42PM



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# BID FORM

# GAYLORD MANAGEMENT UNIT GAYLORD OFFICE

# Ice Apocalypse (52-013-25)

T30N, R04W, SEC. 10; T30N, R04W, SEC. 11; T30N, R04W, SEC. 2; T31N, R03W,

for the fol		e held 9:00 a.m. (local time) on M cut. Bids for individual species			nitting my sealed bid ( firm offer) sed price. All non-responsive bid
PRODUCTS & SPECIES Pulpwood Red Pine		ESTIMATED VOLUME*	AD'	VERTISED PRICE	BID PRICE/UNIT
		555 Cords	\$ 22.80/Cord		\$
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# Michigan Department of Natural Resources Forest Resources Division

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

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

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

Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative

Title

	Part 5 of Act 451 of 1994, as amended.				
VE	RIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILIT	Y COMPENSATION	ON ACT COMPLIANCE		
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•	In addition, if boxes 2B or 2C are check twenty-one (21) days of the contract awar		Exclusion or Certificate of Insurance must be submitted within ssuance of the timber sale contract.		
•	All Information must be typed or printed	except for written s	ignatures.		
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3.	<ul> <li>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.</li> <li>B. ☐ I certify my business has satisfied its o bligation 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).</li> <li>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.</li> </ul>				
	Full-time En	nployees	Part-time Employees		
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# BID FORM

GAYLORD MANAGEMENT UNIT GAYLORD OFFICE

# <u>Ice See Dead Trees (52-015-25)</u> T30N, R04W, SEC. 23; Otsego COUNTY

RODUCTS & SPEC	<u>ES</u>	ESTIMATED VOLUME*	<u>AD'</u>	VERTISED PRICE	BID PRICE/UNIT
Pulpwood Red Pine		498 Cords	\$	22.80/Cord	\$
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# **BID FORM**

**GAYLORD MANAGEMENT UNIT** GAYLORD OFFICE

# Ice Storm 2025 (52-016-25)

T30N, R04W, SEC. 23; T30N, R04W, SEC. 24; Otsego COUNTY

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# **BID FORM**

**GAYLORD MANAGEMENT UNIT** GAYLORD OFFICE

Ice Fisherman Salvage (52-107-25) T34N, R04W, SEC. 17; Emmet COUNTY

PRODUCTS & SPECIES Pulpwood	ESTIMATED VOLUME*	ADVERTISED PRIC	E BID PRICE/UNIT
Red Pine	515 Cords	\$ 22.80/Cord	\$
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