

# DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES STATE OF MICHIGAN

## **TIMBER SALE PROSPECTUS #6937**

SCHEDULED SALE DATE AND TIME: 8:30 a.m. (local time) on September 29, 2021. LOCATION: CRYSTAL FALLS MGMT UNIT, 1420 US 2 WEST, CRYSTAL FALLS, MI 49920.

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

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

GNA2 Roselawn (12-811-21) / T46N, R39W, SEC. 10, SENW, SWNE, NESW, S1/2SW, SE.

T46N, R39W, SEC. 14, NWNW.

T46N, R39W, SEC. 15, NW, NE, NWSW, N1/2SE.

Ontonagon County, Advertised Price \$96,134.85, 210.7 Acres, Aspen, Red Pine.

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## TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

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A timber sale contract for this lump sum, sealed bid timber sale will be awarded to the responsible bidder offering the highest sealed bid price. All units of volume listed below were estimated using the Inventory Manager computer program and the new Michigan taper model. Bids must be at or above the following advertised price for each product and species:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	<b>ESTIMATE</b>	D UNITS*	<u>ADV</u>	ERTISED PRICE
Sawtimber				
Red Maple	7.5	MBF	\$	89.00 / MBF
Red Pine	545.3	MBF	\$	89.00 / MBF
Sugar Maple	3.8	MBF	\$	157.00 / MBF
White Spruce	4.2	MBF	\$	31.00 / MBF
Pulpwood				
Balsam Fir	98	Cords	\$	9.05 / Cord
Basswood	9	Cords	\$	7.25 / Cord
Mixed Aspen	1,282	Cords	\$	22.35 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	353	Cords	\$	13.60 / Cord
Mixed Spruce	8	Cords	\$	9.45 / Cord
Paper Birch	8	Cords	\$	7.35 / Cord
Red Pine	429	Cords	\$	27.20 / Cord

<sup>\*</sup> The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 5.15 percent. There are an estimated 3,424 cords on this timber sale, plus or minus 177 cords at the 95% confidence level. The estimated units are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

## **BOND AND PAYMENT SCHEDULE:**

- 1. A bond in the amount of \$4,806.74 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	2.1%
02	21.2%
03	28.9%
04	19.1%
05	4.1%
06	21.8%
07	2.8%

- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 06/30/2025.

## **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	
270,463	3,424	5.15%	3,247	3,600	

## **VDU VOLUMES**

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

	VOLUME			RANGE IN CORDS	
VDU	TOTAL CUBIC FEET	TOTAL CORDS	PERCENT ERROR	MINIMUM	MAXIMUM
1	65,602	830	11.67%	733	927
8	139,189	1,762	7.06%	1,638	1,886
9	56,749	718	9.05%	653	783
TOTAL:	261,539	3,311		3,024	3,597

## **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
1	29.5	1	2.5
		3	1.2
		6	25.8
8	141.9	2	34.4
		3	66.3
		4	24.2
		5	9.8
		6	0.6
		7	6.6
9	39.3	2	17.0
		4	22.3
TOTAL:	210.7		210.7

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

PU	MARKET GROUP	PRODUCT	QUANTITY	UNIT	ACRES	ADVERTISE PRICE
1	Red Maple	Sawtimber	0.1	MBF	2.5	\$2,008.40
Red Pine White Spruce Balsam Fir	Red Pine		10.2	MBF		
	White Spruce		0.1	MBF		
	Balsam Fir	Pulpwood	1	Cords		
	Mixed Aspen		41	Cords		
	Quaking Aspen		41	Cords		
	Mixed Hardwood		2	Cords		
	Red Maple		2	Cords		
	Red Pine		5	Cords		
2	Red Maple	Sawtimber	2.9	MBF	51.4	\$20,410.50
	Red Pine		104.1	MBF		
	Sugar Maple		1.6	MBF		
	White Spruce		1.0	MBF		
	Balsam Fir	Pulpwood	22	Cords		
	Basswood		2	Cords		
	Mixed Aspen		278	Cords		
	B. T. Aspen		12	Cords		
	Quaking Aspen		266	Cords		
	Mixed Hardwood		122	Cords		
	Red Maple		43	Cords		
	Sugar Maple		79	Cords		
	Mixed Spruce		1	Cords		
	White Spruce		1	Cords		
	Paper Birch		1	Cords		
	Red Pine		92	Cords		
3	Red Pine	Sawtimber	201.0	MBF	67.5	\$27,823.50
	White Spruce		0.8	MBF		. ,
	Balsam Fir	Pulpwood	40	Cords		
	Basswood	'	4	Cords		
	Mixed Aspen		183	Cords		
	B. T. Aspen		3	Cords		
	Quaking Aspen		180	Cords		
	Mixed Hardwood		48	Cords		
	Red Maple		8	Cords		
	Sugar Maple		40	Cords		
	Mixed Spruce		3	Cords		
	Black Spruce		2	Cords		
	White Spruce		1	Cords		
	Paper Birch		2	Cords		
	Red Pine		174	Cords		
4	Red Maple	Sawtimber	3.9	MBF	46.5	\$18,319.40
7	Red Pine	Sawtillibel	74.7	MBF	40.5	φ10,519.40
	Sugar Maple		2.2	MBF		
	White Spruce		1.0	MBF		
	Balsam Fir	Pulpwood	1.0	Cords		
1	Basswood	i uipwood	2	Cords		
	Mixed Aspen		314	Cords		
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	B. T. Aspen		16 208			
	Quaking Aspen		298	Cords		
	Mixed Hardwood		144	Cords		
	Red Maple		53	Cords		
	Sugar Maple		91	Cords		
	Mixed Spruce		1	Cords		
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	Paper Birch		1	Cords		Ī

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4 con't	Red Pine	Pulpwood	66	Cords		
5	Red Pine	Sawtimber	29.0	MBF	9.8	\$3,957.25
	White Spruce		0.1	MBF		
	Balsam Fir	Pulpwood	6	Cords		
	Basswood		1	Cords		
	Mixed Aspen		24	Cords		
	Quaking Aspen		24	Cords		
	Mixed Hardwood		7	Cords		
	Red Maple		1	Cords		
	Sugar Maple		6	Cords		
	Red Pine		25	Cords		
6	Red Maple	Sawtimber	0.6	MBF	26.4	\$20,953.00
	Red Pine		106.8	MBF		
	White Spruce		1.1	MBF		
	Balsam Fir	Pulpwood	9	Cords		
	Mixed Aspen		426	Cords		
	Quaking Aspen		426	Cords		
	Mixed Hardwood		25	Cords		
	Red Maple		25	Cords		
	Mixed Spruce		3	Cords		
	Black Spruce		1	Cords		
	White Spruce		2	Cords		
	Paper Birch		4	Cords		
	Red Pine		50	Cords		
7	Red Pine	Sawtimber	19.5	MBF	6.6	\$2,662.80
	White Spruce		0.1	MBF		
	Balsam Fir	Pulpwood	4	Cords		
	Mixed Aspen		16	Cords		
	Quaking Aspen		16	Cords		
	Mixed Hardwood		5	Cords		
	Red Maple		1	Cords		
	Sugar Maple		4	Cords		
	Red Pine		17	Cords		
		TOTAL:	560.8	MBF		
		TOTAL:	2,187	Cords		

## Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: GNA2 Roselawn Sale Number: 12-811-21 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 orange Paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against USFS are marked with triple orange slashes. Interior Payment Unit boundaries are marked with double orange slashes. The painted boundary line trees are not Included Timber and are to be protected unless marked with blue paint.

## 2 - Timber Specifications

#### 2.1 - Included Timber

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 and 6, cut all trees that are two (2) inches or more at DBH, except hemlock, cedar, oak, elm, and white pine.

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 2-5 & 7, all trees are designated for cutting when marked with blue paint above and below stump height, regardless of merchantability. Also cut all merchantable (4.6" DBH, 100 inches in length) spruce, fir, and aspen within the Payment Units.

## 2.2 - Utilization

## 2.2.3 - Stump heights (4/07)

Stump heights within the Sale Area shall not exceed 12 inches for trees greater than 10 inches at DBH and 4 inches for trees smaller than 10 inches at DBH.

## 2.2.12 - GNA, cut and remove Included Timber (3/18)

Unless provided otherwise herein, the DNR agrees to sell and permit Purchaser to cut and remove Included Timber and Purchaser agrees to purchase, cut, and remove Included Timber.

## 4 - Transportation

#### 4.1 - Construction

## 4.1.1 - Stream crossings, general (3/11)

All stream crossing structures will be temporary and therefore, shall be provided by the Purchaser, and must be removed upon completion of the sale. All permits for stream crossings will be provided by the DNR.

## 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 (12/09)

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

## 4.1.5 - Culverts (5/14)

Roads may require the installation of culverts for cross drainage or at natural drainage-ways. If culverts are needed in these locations, their placement will be specified by the sale administrator, and they shall be installed prior to hauling. The culverts shall be new, corrugated metal or plastic gauge. Culverts will be a minimum of 18 inches in diameter and 24 feet in length. If culverts are removed, fill shall be removed from wetland soils as specified. Soils shall be maintained and left in a non-erodible condition, with water bars, seed, fertilizer, mulch, and slash installed as directed by the sale administrator and as specified in the BMP manual. Stream crossing permits, if needed, will be obtained by the DNR.

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

Existing roads may need to be closed or bermed for ATV only traffic. In general, this will require constructing a four (4') foot high berm of stumps and logs covered with earth. 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.

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

The following road work is required: the Purchaser will gravel all transitions onto US 45 used during the timber sale. This work needs to be done prior to any hauling activity. The gravel used must be from a weed free source. In general, this will require between 5 to 10 yards of gravel per transition and must be done to the satisfaction of the sale administrator.

## 4.1.12 - No new roads (1/12)

No new roads will be permitted in any Payment Unit. All operations are limited to existing roads. Skid trails only will be allowed.

#### 4.2 - Maintenance

## 4.2.1 - Hauling restriction (12/08)

Hauling may be restricted on forest roads by the Unit Manager or his/her representative. The restriction may occur during spring breakup or wet weather conditions. There is a 3-ton weight limit on all USFS roads during spring breakup restrictions. If hauling does occur, a waiver will be needed from the USFS road engineer. Contact Sale Administrator for approval and waiver request.

#### 4.2.2 - Fill material (4/07)

To maintain roads, fill material may be needed in areas where "holes" exist or may be expected to develop. This fill material should be placed before trucking begins. Contact the sale administrator regarding the availability of onsite sand or gravel from adjacent USFS lands.

## 4.2.4 - Grading (10/16)

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

## 5 - Operations

## 5.2 - Conduct of Operations

## 5.2.1 - Slash

## 5.2.1.8 - Slash height (12/08)

No slash or tree tops may exceed 24 inches in height.

## 5.2.2 - Hazard Trees/Snags

## 5.2.2.1 - Den trees (10/16)

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

## 5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

#### 5.2.3.1 - Operating restrictions (9/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 unless changed by written agreement, cutting, skidding, and hauling are not permitted during spring breakup conditions. Spring breakup dates are established by the County.

Within Payment Unit(s) 2, 3, 5 & 6, unless changed by written agreement, cutting, skidding, and hauling are limited to August 1 to August 31 or during winter frozen conditions.

Within Payment Unit 4, unless changed by written agreement, cutting, skidding, and hauling are limited to July 1 to August 31 or during winter frozen conditions.

Within Payment Unit 7, unless changed by written agreement, cutting, skidding, and hauling are limited to August 1 to September 30 or during winter frozen conditions.

This restriction is because of USFS seasonal operation restrictions.

## 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.

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

FR 5288 & FR 5289 is an ORV trail and is shown on the Timber Sale Map. Do not cut trees or damage posts with yellow ORV markers. All stumps within 5 feet of the trail must be cut flush with the ground. Maintain a 20-foot-wide slash, debris, and rut free zone daily using the ORV trail or route as the centerline.

#### 5.4 - Soil Protection

#### 5.4.1 - Rutting restriction, general (7/16)

Operations are to cease immediately if equipment and weather conditions result in rutting of roads and/or skid trails which is 6 inches or greater in depth and 25 feet in length. The Unit Manager or his/her representative may restrict hauling and/or skidding if ruts exceed the specified depth. With the Unit Manager or his/her representative's approval, the Purchaser may return to the area when the risk of rutting has decreased.

## 5.4.2 - Skid trails (2/04)

Skid trails up and down slopes should be avoided. If however this is unavoidable, these trails will be left in a non-erodible condition using water bars, logs, and slash. Placing of slash on these skid trails while logging is ongoing may alleviate need for any further action. At the direction of the sale administrator, seed, fertilizer, and mulch may also be required.

## 5.4.6 - Wet area protection (5/10)

No harvesting operations, including skidding and felling, are to take place within the vernal pond areas or drainages. When harvesting occurs, there should be no disturbance to the vernal pond depression. All equipment, trees and tops should be kept out of this area. Within 100 feet of the pond, equipment should only be used when the soil is in a dry or frozen condition. Care must be taken by the Purchaser to identify and avoid operating in these areas of the timber sale.

## 5.6 - Debris and Waste Material

## 5.6.2 - GNA, equipment cleaning (1/16)

- (a) Areas, known by the DNR prior to timber sale advertisement, that are infested with invasive species of concern are shown on the Timber Sale Map. A current list of invasive species of concern and a map showing the extent of known infestations is available from the DNR. For purposes of this provision, "Off-Road Equipment" includes all logging and construction machinery, except for log trucks, chip vans, service vehicles, water trucks, pickup trucks, cars, and similar vehicles.
- (b) Purchaser shall adhere to the following requirements with regard to cleaning "Off-Road Equipment":
- (i) Prior to moving Off-Road Equipment onto the Sale Area, Purchaser shall identify the location of the equipment's most recent operation. Purchaser shall not move any Off-Road Equipment that last operated in an area infested with one or more invasive species of concern onto Sale Area without having cleaned such equipment of seeds, soil, vegetative matter, and other debris that could contain or hold seeds, and having notified the DNR, as provided in (iii). If the location of prior operation cannot be identified, then Purchaser shall assume that the location is infested with invasive species of concern.
- (ii) Prior to moving Off-Road Equipment from a cutting unit that is shown on the Timber Sale Map to be infested with invasive species of concern to, or through any other area that is shown as being free of invasive species of concern, or infested with a different invasive species, Purchaser shall clean such equipment of seeds, soil, vegetative matter, and other debris that could contain or hold seeds, and shall notify the DNR, as provided in (iii).
- (iii) Prior to moving any Off-Road Equipment subject to the cleaning requirements set forth above, Purchaser shall advise DNR of its cleaning measures and make the equipment available for inspection. DNR shall have 2 days, excluding weekends and State holidays, to inspect equipment after it has been made available. After satisfactory inspection or after such 2 day period, Purchaser may move the equipment as planned. Equipment shall be considered clean when a visual inspection does not disclose seeds, soil, vegetative matter, and other debris that could contain or hold seeds. Purchaser shall not be required to

disassemble equipment unless so directed by the DNR after inspection.

- (iv) If Purchaser desires to clean Off-Road Equipment on National Forest land, such as at the end of a project or prior to moving to, or through an area that is free of invasive species of concern, Purchaser shall obtain prior approval from the Unit Manager or his/her representative as to the location for such cleaning and measures, if any, for controlling impacts.
- (v) Unit Manager or his/her representative may order delay, interruption, or modification of this Contract pursuant to Condition & Requirement 7.3 or 7.3.4.
- (c) Nothing contained in this Condition & Requirement shall be interpreted as creating any warranty on the part of the DNR that all locations of invasive species of concern have been described herein, elsewhere in this Contract, or designated on the ground. Following sale advertisement, additional locations may be described or designated, and other species may be added to the list of invasive species of concern. In such event, the Unit Manager or his/her representative may order delay, interruption, or modification of this Contract pursuant to Condition & Requirement 7.3 or 7.3.4.
- (d) The parties shall promptly communicate with one another with respect to description or designation of additional locations; discovery of locations of new species or new infestation; and, addition of species to the list of invasive species of concern.

## 5.8 - Protection of Endangered Species

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

All trees with raptor nests will be protected if found during harvesting operations. Notification will be made to the Unit Manager or his/her representative who will notify the Wildlife Biologist so an on-site evaluation and recommendation can be made, if necessary.

## 6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

## 6.2 - Signing

## 6.2.1 - Road posting (10/20)

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on US 45 prior to beginning operations. The road must be posted approximately 350 feet from the Sale Area to warn of logging activity and truck traffic. Signs must be removed when harvest operations are suspended or completed. The Purchaser will provide these signs.

## 6.2.2 - Snowmobile trail posting (10/20)

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on FR 5288 & FR 5289 prior to beginning operations during the snowmobile season (approximately December 1 to March 31). The trail must be posted at appropriate distances from the Sale Area to warn of logging activity and truck traffic. Signs must be removed when harvest operations are suspended or completed. The Purchaser will provide these signs.

#### 6.2.3 - Recreational trail posting (10/20)

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on FR 5288 & FR 5289 prior to beginning operations. The trail must be posted at appropriate distances from the Sale Area to warn of logging activity and truck traffic at both ends of the trail. Signs must be removed when harvest operations are suspended or completed. The Purchaser will provide these signs.

## 7 - Other Conditions

## **SKIP**

#### 7.1.1 - GNA, title (7/16)

General Condition & Requirement 7.1 is inapplicable. The following applies to this contract.

All right, title, and interest in and to any Included Timber shall remain in USDA Forest Service with the State of Michigan acting on behalf of the USDA Forest Service under this GNA contract, until it has been Measured, removed from Sale Area or other authorized cutting area, and paid for, at which time title shall vest in Purchaser. Title to any Included Timber that has been Measured and paid for, but not removed from Sale Area or other authorized cutting area by Purchaser on or prior to Termination Date, shall remain in USDA Forest Service.

#### 7.3 - Contract Modifications

- 7.3.4 GNA, contract suspension and modification (5/16)
- (a) The Unit Manager may, by written order, delay or interrupt authorized operations under this contract or, notwithstanding Condition & Requirement 7.3, modify this contract, in whole or in part:
- (i) To prevent environmental degradation or resource damage, including, but not limited to, harm to habitat, plants, animals, cultural resources, or cave resources;
- (ii) To ensure consistency with land and resource management plans or other documents prepared pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, 42 USC 4321-4347;
- (iii) To conduct environmental analysis, including, but not limited to, engaging in consultation pursuant to the Endangered Species Act of 1973, 16 USC 1531, et seq.; or
- (iv) Upon agreement of the Forest Service, due to administrative appeal or litigation, regardless of whether the Unit Manager's order is required by a court order or this contract is named in such a proceeding.
- (b) In the event of an order delaying or interrupting Purchaser's Operations under this Condition & Requirement, Purchaser's remedy shall be:
- (i) a no cost contract extension,
- (ii) reimbursement for Out-of-Pocket Expenses,

however, the foregoing remedies shall be available only to the extent that the Unit Manager's order was the sole and exclusive cause of the delay or interruption of Purchaser's operations.

- (c) Remedies awarded to the Purchaser shall not be duplicative, and the Unit Manager shall have the right to structure remedies provided herein to avoid duplicative compensation.
- (d) Purchaser agrees that this Condition & Requirement, and the remedies provided herein shall apply regardless of any finding by any court that the DNR failed to comply with any statute, regulation and/or policy in connection with awarding, advertising, or authorizing this sale, or a similar sale.

#### 7.5 - Loss

## 7.5.2 - GNA, liability for loss (7/16)

If Included Timber is destroyed or damaged by an unexpected event that changes the nature of Included Timber, such as wind, flood, insects, disease, or similar cause, the Purchaser shall bear the timber value loss resulting from such destruction or damage.

Deterioration or loss of timber value due to delay or interruption under 7.3.4 - GNA, contract suspension and modification, shall be borne by the party holding title. In this event, Included Timber to which USDA Forest Service holds title, Purchaser of the State GNA contract will not be obligated to remove and pay for such timber. This Subsection shall not be construed to relieve either party of liability for negligence.

#### 7.10 - Certified Timber

## 7.10.1 - Non-certified timber (2/16)

The area encompassed by this timber sale is not certified to the standards of the Forest Stewardship Council (FSC) or the Sustainable Forestry Initiative (SFI). Forest products from this sale may not be delivered to the mill as "FSC and / or SFI certified". The lands within this sale belong to the National Forest system and are being managed by the State as part of a Good Neighbor Authority (GNA) agreement.

Section Name: Sale Specific Current as of 9/7/2021 11:35:07AM

