



**DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT  
STATE OF MICHIGAN**

**TIMBER SALE PROSPECTUS (4374)**

SCHEDULED SALE DATE AND TIME: 11:00AM on May 18, 2011.

LOCATION: **GLADWIN MGMT UNIT, 801 N SILVERLEAF, GLADWIN, MI 48624.**

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, **GLADWIN MANAGEMENT UNIT**, for certain timber on the following described lands:

I-75 HARVEST (73-006-10-01) / T19N, R03E, SEC.04, NWNW, SESE.

T19N, R03E, SEC.09, NE, E1/2SW, SE.

T19N, R03E, SEC.10, W1/2NW, NWSW, SE.

T19N, R03E, SEC.11, SW.

ARENAC COUNTY (Advertised Price \$31,126.10), 179.0 Acres

SALE NOTE: No designated recreation site such as a trail, pathway, or campground is within the sale area or the vicinity. Access may be through state forest land.

PLAINS CREEK (73-007-10-01) / T19N, R05E, SEC.03, SWSE, SWSW, SWNWSW.

T19N, R05E, SEC.04, NW, SWNE.

T20N, R05E, SEC.28, NWNW.

T20N, R05E, SEC.33, S1/2SW, SE.

ARENAC COUNTY (Advertised Price \$65,626.10), 282.0 Acres

SALE NOTE: No designated recreation site such as a trail, pathway, or campground is within the sale area or the vicinity. Access may be through private or state forest land.

POWERLINE HARVEST (73-019-10-01) / T20N, R03E, SEC.31, W1/2NW, NE, SE, SESW.

T20N, R03E, SEC.32, SWNW, NWSW.

T20N, R03E, SEC.33, E1/2NW, W1/2NE.

ARENAC COUNTY (Advertised Price \$52,184.36), 181.0 Acres

SALE NOTE: No designated recreation site such as a trail, pathway, or campground is within the sale area or the vicinity. Access may be through private or state forest land.

SECORD-STERLING (73-021-10-01) / T19N, R02E, SEC.08, N1/2NE;SENE;W1/2NW.

T19N, R02E, SEC.20, W1/2NE.

GLADWIN COUNTY (Advertised Price \$18,150.70), 66.0 Acres

SALE NOTE: No designated recreation site such as a trail, pathway, or campground is within the sale area or the vicinity. Access may be through state forest land.

BID INSTRUCTIONS (VER. 02/24/2011):

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

Bids must be received by the Unit Manager, GLADWIN OFFICE, 801 N SILVERLEAF, GLADWIN, MI 48624, no later than 11:00AM on May 18, 2011. For further information concerning this sale, contact Jason Hartman at 989-426-9205.

2. Bidder's Qualifications (1/11)

Purchaser shall obtain workers 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. If all or part of a timber sale was prepared by a private contractor, that contractor and that contractor's company are not permitted to bid on the timber sale contract. Bids will not be accepted from individuals or companies appearing on the DNRE/FMD 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 (1/11)

Bids shall be manually signed in ink; 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 forms, each erasure or change must be initialed by the person signing the bid.

4. Submission of Sealed Bids (1/11)

Bid forms may be obtained from the Unit Manager. All 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) that it is a "Bid for Timber," and (b) the sale name or number, and (c) 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.

5. Public Opening of Sealed Bids (1/11)

If conditions permit, the sealed bids will be publicly opened and posted at the time and place set in the prospectus.

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. Timber Sale Contract (1/11)

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/dnr](http://www.michigan.gov/dnr). 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 1 year. 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 termination date.

10. Disclaimer of Estimates and Bidder's Warranty of Inspection (1/11)

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.

11. Certification and Chain-of-Custody (1/11)

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-S1. Forest products from this sale may be delivered to the mill as "FSC 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.

RODNEY STOKES  
Director



## TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

### I-75 HARVEST (73-006-10-01)

T19N, R03E, SEC.04; T19N, R03E, SEC.09; T19N, R03E, SEC.10; T19N, R03E,  
SEC.11.

SALE NOTE: No designated recreation site such as a trail, pathway, or campground is within the sale area or the vicinity. Access may be through state forest land.

A timber sale contract for this lump sum, sealed bid timber sale will be awarded to the responsible bidder offering the highest sealed bid price. Bids must be at or above the following advertised price for each species:

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED VOLUME*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Mixed Oak	23.50 MBF	\$ 103.00 / MBF
Red Maple	31.80 MBF	\$ 67.00 / MBF
Red Pine	53.30 MBF	\$ 181.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Mixed Aspen	543.00 Cords	\$ 14.30 / Cord
Red Maple	331.00 Cords	\$ 8.30 / Cord
Red Pine	80.00 Cords	\$ 37.30 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$3,431.50:

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED VOLUME*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Mixed Aspen	24.80 MBF	\$ 32.00 / MBF
Mixed Hardwood	11.70 MBF	\$ 51.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Mixed Hardwood	102.00 Cords	\$ 6.00 / Cord
Mixed Oak	69.00 Cords	\$ 12.00 / Cord
Mixed Softwood	18.00 Cords	\$ 33.40 / Cord

\*The volumes are statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 15.00 percent. These estimated volumes are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

### **BOND AND PAYMENT SCHEDULE:**

1. A bond in the amount of **\$2,000.00** 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:

<u>PAYMENT UNIT NUMBER</u>	<u>PERCENT OF TOTAL SALE VALUE</u>
01	3%
02	4%
03	5%
04	23%
05	35%
06	3%
07	7%
08	1%
09	19%

4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 06/30/2014.

## Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

**Sale Name: I-75 Harvest    Sale Number: 73-006-10-01**

### 1 - Sale Area

#### 1.2 - Boundaries

##### 1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (12/08)

The sale boundary and payment unit boundaries are marked and identified by red paint for Units 1 and 3-9. Payment Unit 2 is not delineated out by a paint boundary but by natural barriers, which are a swamp on three sides and the road at the south. Do not cut painted boundary line trees unless also marked with orange paint.

### 2 - Timber Specifications

#### 2.1 - Included Timber

##### 2.1.1 - Clearcut unit(s) with unmerchantable trees (4/09)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, 4, 6, 7, & 8, cut all trees that are two (2) inches or more in diameter measured at a point four and one-half (4-1/2) feet above ground level regardless of merchantability.

EXCEPTION: Within Payment Units 1 & 6 DO NOT cut any oak or pine trees.

EXCEPTION: Within Payment Units 4 & 8 DO NOT cut any oak trees.

EXCEPTION: Within Payment Units 5, 7 & 8 DO NOT cut any trees marked with green paint above and below stump height.

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 2, 3, & 9, all trees are designated for cutting when marked with orange paint above and below stump height, regardless of merchantability.

IN ADDITION: Within Payment Unit 9, cut all aspen trees two (2) or more inches in diameter measured at a point four and one-half (4-1/2) feet above ground level regardless of merchantability.

#### 2.2 - Utilization

##### 2.2.3 - Stump heights (4/07)

Stump heights within the sale Payment Units shall be cut as low to the ground as possible unless approved by the Unit Manager or his/her representative stump heights shall not exceed 6 inches for trees greater than 10 inches DBH and 4 inches for trees smaller than 10 inches DBH.

### 3 - Payments

#### 3.4 - Damaged Timber

##### 3.4.1 - Damaged timber (6/05)

General Condition and Requirement 3.4 Damaged Timber, defines liquidated damages for undesignated live merchantable trees which are cut or injured. In addition, extreme care should be taken to avoid damage to tree seedlings and saplings.

Damage to residual trees (defined as breaking of the cambium layer, broken tops or bending of trees from their natural position) is not acceptable.

Within the sale area, if more than 25% of the tree seedlings or saplings (1/4" to 4.5" DBH) within a specified portion of the sale area are damaged, liquidated damages will be assessed at \$300 per acre for all acreage within that specified portion of the sale area that was damaged.

No damage is acceptable to 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

#### 4.1.2 - Stream crossings, specific (4/09)

Two temporary culverts are needed to access Unit 9 at locations designated on the sale map. DEQ permits may be needed and will be secured by the DNRE. Purchase, placement, and removal of the culverts will be the responsibility of the sale purchaser. Upon removal of the culverts, earthen berms shall be constructed on either side of the of the stream to prevent further crossings. In addition, there is an intermittent drainage within Payment Unit 9. While it is dry most times of the year, corduroy crossings will be used to protect the depression from equipment and will be removed upon sale completion.

#### 4.1.7 - Road closure (4/07)

Some existing roads will need to be closed after sale completion, and any berms removed from a road for access will need to be replaced after completion. All sites for road closures will require double earthen berms, four (4') foot high, constructed of stumps and logs covered with earth. Slash shall be scattered behind the berm in the old road to further discourage vehicular traffic.

#### 4.1.12 - No new roads (6/10)

No new roads will be permitted in any Payment Unit. Use of existing roads only is required.

### 4.4 - Access

#### 4.4.3 - Access gate (12/08)

The access gates for Payment unit 1 must be locked at all times. This is to prevent someone other than the purchaser from going through the gate and being locked in. Contact sale administrator for key and further instructions.

## 5 - Operations

### 5.1 - Notification

#### 5.1.3 - Well heads and natural gas pipelines (7/07)

The Purchaser is responsible for contacting the Consumers Energy Gas Transmission and Enbridge Energy Pipeline Systems prior to operating equipment in the vicinity of well heads or natural gas pipelines.

Consumers Energy = Larry Erskine = (989) 791-2742

Enbridge Energy = Mick Collier = (989) 684-0160 ext. 20

### 5.2 - Conduct of Operations

#### 5.2.1 - Slash

##### 5.2.1.9 - No Slash: pipe/powerline, oil/gas sites (2/04)

All pipelines, power lines, oil or gas storage sites and related access roads are to remain free of slash at all times.

##### 5.2.1.11 - Slash for reforestation (5/07)

To facilitate reforestation, Payment Unit(s) 1 and 4 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; tops from these sites shall be hauled back into the cut area and scattered.

#### 5.2.2 - Hazard Trees/Snags

##### 5.2.2.1 - Den trees (2/04)

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 (12/08)

Within Payment Unit(s) 3, unless changed by written agreement, cutting and skidding are limited to a dry summer or frozen ground conditions. This restriction is to prevent rutting in wet fragile soils.

##### 5.2.3.2 - Operating restrictions (12/08)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 - 9, unless changed by written agreement, cutting, skidding, and hauling are not permitted on the Pipeline R.O.W. clearing. No trees are to be felled onto the R.O.W. and crossing is permitted only at designated sites. See timber sale map for these locations. This restriction is to protect buried high pressure gas transmission lines.

##### 5.2.3.5 - Hunting operating restriction (12/08)

No payment unit may be started during the period of September 29 thru October 2nd or November 13 thru November 16th without permission of the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

#### 5.2.3.6 - Bark beetle restriction (12/08)

In the event drought creates a high risk of pine bark beetle infestation, pine is not to be cut during the period March 1 through July 1, unless all portions of trees greater than two inches in diameter are removed from the sale area, reduced to chips, or treated to the satisfaction of the Unit Manager or his/her representative, within fifteen days of being severed from the stump. Pine log decks, pulpwood piles and treetops that are piled for chipping in the fall or winter within a 1/4 mile of susceptible sites must be removed before March 15. Residual slash must not be placed in piles or rows and must be spread over the site for quick drying. The Department of Natural Resources will exercise this specification if the risk of damage warrants.

#### 5.2.3.11 - Coppice regeneration protection (4/10)

For Payment Unit(s) 6, 7, & 8; all harvesting operations are limited to December 1st through March 31st to promote aspen regeneration and to prevent rutting of the wet soils. Any post harvest operations, such as chipping, must be completed before sprouting of regeneration occurs. If it is anticipated that chipping will be delayed, then tops shall be carried to one central location or left unchipped. The Unit Manager or his/her representative may cease such operations if sprouting occurs before the operation is complete.

### 5.2.22 - Operating Caution

#### 5.2.22.1 - Operating caution (12/04)

It is recommended, but not required, that within Payment Unit(s) 9, cutting, skidding, and hauling should occur during dry summer or frozen winter conditions. This restriction is protect wet soil types from rutting.

#### 5.2.32 - Decking/landing restoration (9/10)

All decking and landing areas must have the surface area restored to a condition equal to or better than before. This is to insure the proper regeneration of the stand.

### 5.4 - Soil Protection

#### 5.4.1 - Rutting restriction, general (1/09)

Operations are to cease immediately if equipment and weather conditions result in rutting of roads and skid trails which is 12 inches or greater in depth and 50 feet in length. The Unit Manager or his/her representative may restrict hauling and/or skidding if ruts exceed the specified depth. With the Unit Manager or his/her representative's approval, the Purchaser may return to the area when the risk of rutting has decreased.





**TIMBER SALE MAP**

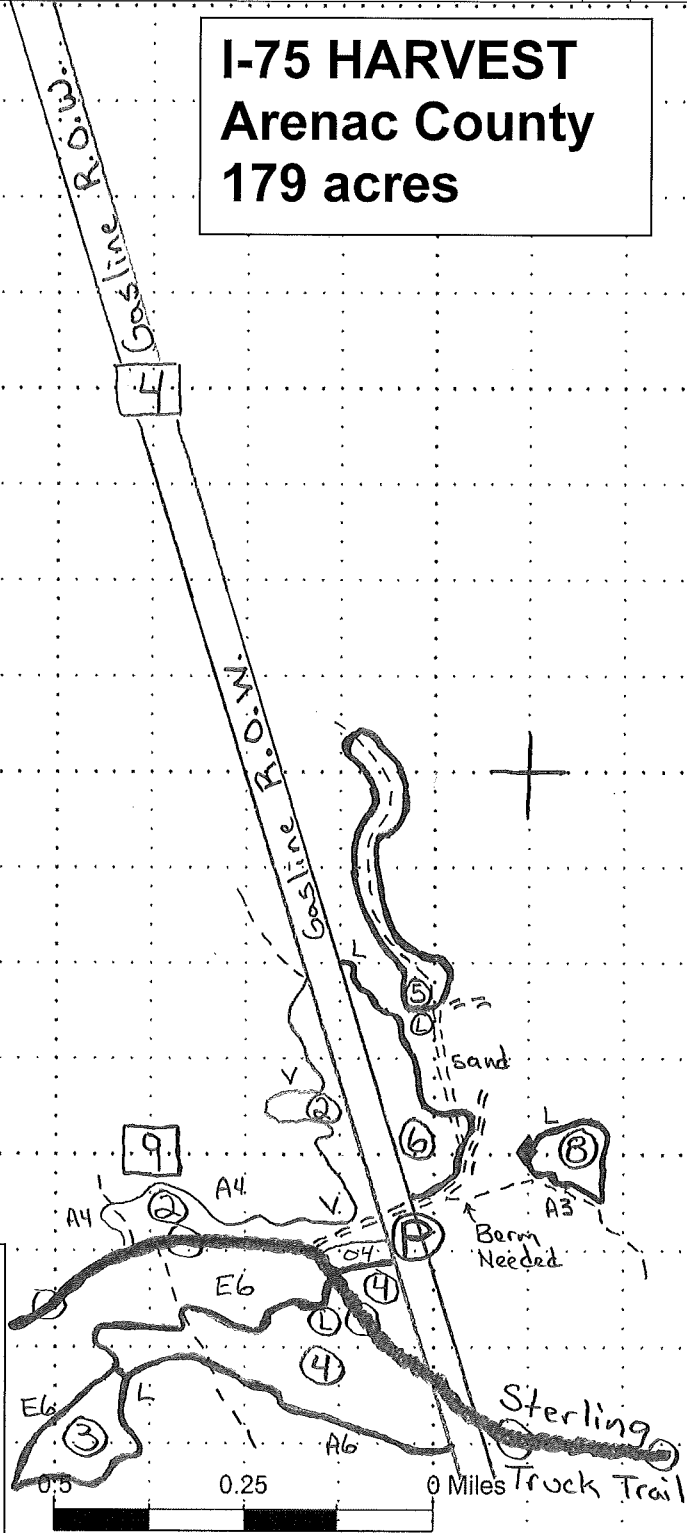
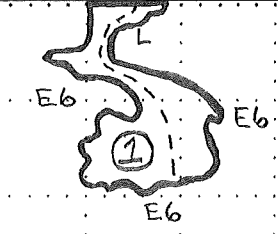
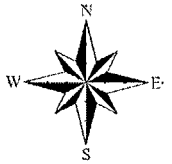
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Sale Number	Year
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Forest Management Unit <b>Gladwin</b>	County <b>Arenac</b>	Mapped By <b>D. Bates</b>	Date <b>09-30-10</b>	Page <b>1</b>	of <b>2</b>
Township <b>19N</b>	Range <b>03E</b>	Cruised By <b>Forest Resources LLC. &amp; Bates</b>	Section(s) and Subdivision(s) <b>4 - NWNW, SESE; 09 - NE, SE, SENW; 10 - W1/2NW; 11-SW</b>		

Cover Type				Density	
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F = Spruce Fir	N = Marsh	T = Tamarack			

**I-75 HARVEST**  
**Arenac County**  
**179 acres**



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1	18	O8
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3	10	E6
4	32	A4
5	8	R6
6	15	A6
7	16	A5
8	4	A4
9	59	M9

**LEGEND**

- Red Sale Boundary (solid red line)
- County Road (dirt) (line with circles)
- Improved 2-track (dashed line)
- Unimproved 2-track (dotted line)
- Pipeline crossing (P in a circle)
- Culvert Required (C in a circle)
- Potential Landing Site (L in a circle)
- Survey Corner (diamond)
- Intermittent Stream (line with arrows)
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Michigan Department of Natural Resources - Forest, Mineral & Fire Management  
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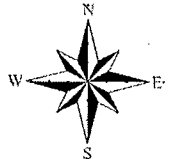
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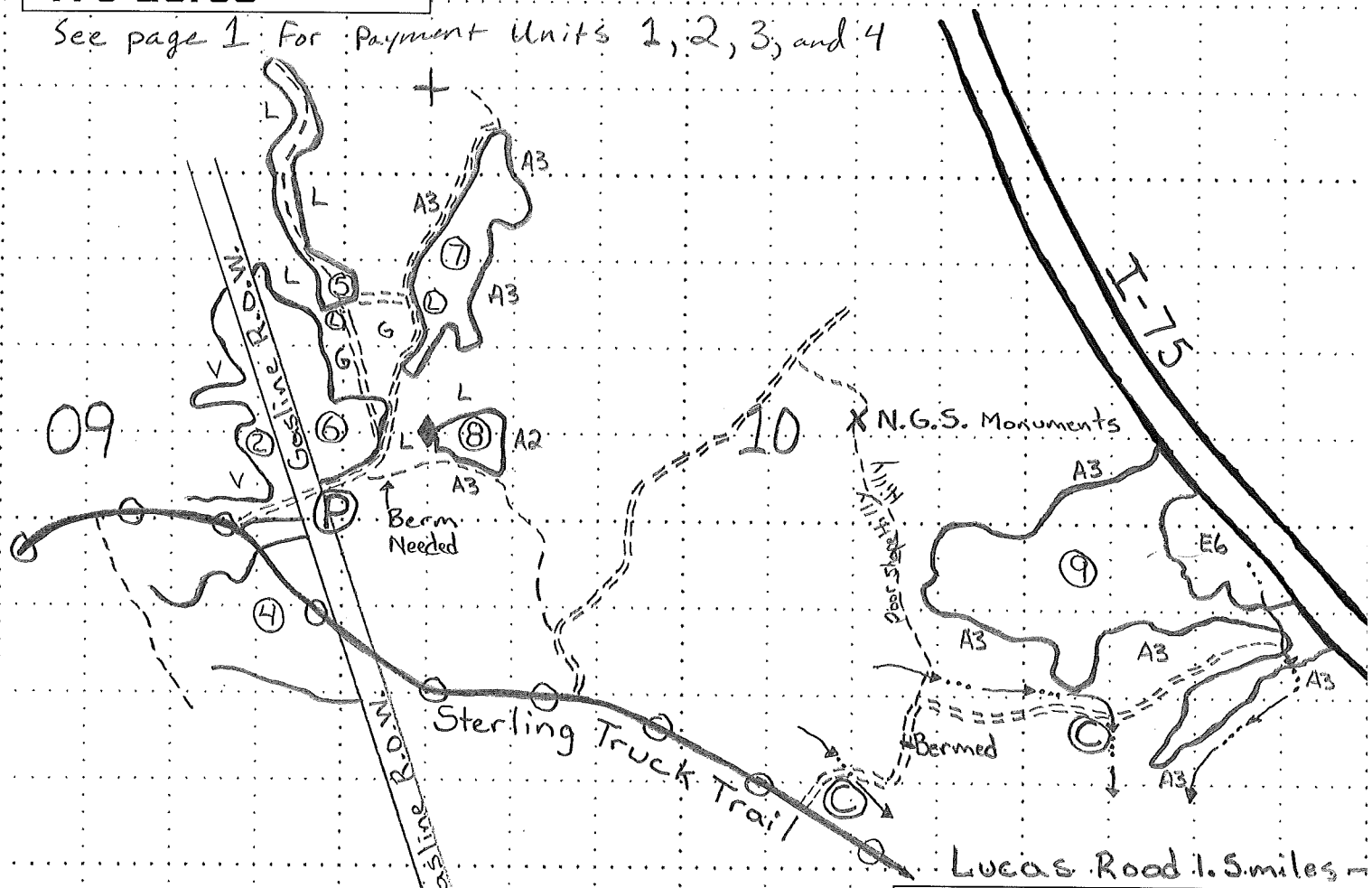
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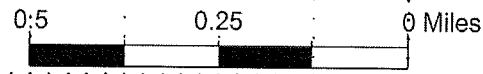
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See page 1 For Payment Units 1, 2, 3, and 4



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## TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

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Jack Pine	719.00 Cords	\$ 20.40 / Cord
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Mixed Oak	1,048.00 Cords	\$ 11.90 / Cord
Red Maple	484.00 Cords	\$ 9.10 / Cord

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Mixed Hardwood	17.00 MBF	\$ 56.00 / MBF
Red Maple	43.60 MBF	\$ 71.00 / MBF
Red Pine	13.50 MBF	\$ 183.00 / MBF
White Pine	22.60 MBF	\$ 67.00 / MBF
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## Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

**Sale Name: Plains Creek    Sale Number: 73-007-10-01**

### 1 - Sale Area

#### 1.2 - Boundaries

##### 1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (12/08)

The sale boundary and Payment Unit boundaries are marked and identified by blue, red and yellow paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against private property are marked with blue paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. Interior Payment Unit boundaries are marked with yellow paint, except for the bound between units 6 and 7, which is not painted and identified by the cover type change, and the bound between units 7 and 9 which is red. Do not cut painted boundary line trees unless also marked with orange paint. Yellow painted trees designating an interior Payment Unit boundary are only to be cut when all surrounding Payment Units have been paid.

### 2 - Timber Specifications

#### 2.1 - Included Timber

##### 2.1.1 - Clearcut unit(s) with unmerchantable trees (4/09)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, 3-8, 10 & 11, cut all trees that are two (2) inches or more in diameter measured at a point four and one-half (4-1/2) feet above ground level regardless of merchantability. **EXCEPTION: DO NOT** cut any cedar, hemlock, or trees marked with green paint above and below stump height.

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 2 & 9, all trees are designated for cutting when marked with orange paint above and below stump height, regardless of merchantability.

#### 2.2 - Utilization

##### 2.2.2 - Chipping required (9/09)

Payment Unit(s) 6 and 7 must be chip harvested to facilitate subsequent planting operations. The purchaser has the option to produce sawlogs or pulpwood bolts, but the remaining portion of the trees must be chipped and hauled.

##### 2.2.3 - Stump heights (4/07)

Stump heights within the Sale Area shall be cut as low to the ground as possible. Unless approved by the Unit Manager or his/her representative stump heights shall not exceed 6 inches for trees greater than 10 inches DBH and 4 inches for trees smaller than 10 inches DBH. Within Payment Unit(s) 6 and 7, in order to facilitate reforestation all stumps shall be cut at ground level.

##### 2.2.5 - Limbed tree skidding (1/09)

The skidding of whole trees or tree segments with limbs attached is prohibited within Payment Unit 2 unless approved by the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

### 3 - Payments

#### 3.4 - Damaged Timber

##### 3.4.1 - Damaged timber (6/05)

General Condition and Requirement 3.4 Damaged Timber, defines liquidated damages for undesignated live merchantable trees which are cut or injured. Damage to residual trees (defined as breaking of the cambium layer, broken tops or bending of trees from their natural position) is not acceptable.

No damage is acceptable to 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

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

Payment Unit 1 will require a culvert to be placed in the ditch along the county road for access. The purchaser should contact the Arenac County Road Commission for any needed permit. The culvert and any permit(s) are the responsibility of the Purchaser. Upon completion of Unit 1, the culvert shall be removed and the road rebermed. This will require constructing double earthen berms, four (4') foot high, constructed of stumps and logs covered with earth.

##### 4.1.12 - No new roads (6/10)

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

### 5 - Operations

#### 5.2 - Conduct of Operations

##### 5.2.1 - Slash

###### 5.2.1.1 - Slash within sale area (2/04)

No trees are to be felled outside the sale area and all slash is to be kept at least 15 feet back from the blue paint line.

##### 5.2.2 - Hazard Trees/Snags

###### 5.2.2.1 - Den trees (2/04)

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 (12/08)

Within Payment Unit(s) 2 & 11, unless changed by written agreement, cutting, skidding, and hauling are limited to periods of extended dry or frozen ground conditions. This restriction is to prevent rutting.

###### 5.2.3.5 - Hunting operating restriction (12/08)

No payment unit may be started during the period of September 29 thru October 2nd or November 13 thru November 16th without permission of the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

##### 5.2.32 - Decking/landing restoration (9/10)

All decking and landing areas must have the surface area restored to a condition equal to or better than before. This is to insure the proper regeneration of the stand.

##### 5.2.37 - No decking areas (12/08)

No decking is allowed in addition to landing operations within 50 feet of Tyler Plains, Jose, and Main Street Roads.

#### 5.4 - Soil Protection

##### 5.4.1 - Rutting restriction, general (1/09)

Operations are to cease immediately if equipment and weather conditions result in rutting of roads and skid trails which is 12 inches or greater in depth and 50 feet in length. The Unit Manager or his/her representative may restrict hauling and/or skidding if ruts exceed the specified depth. With the Unit Manager or his/her representative's approval, the Purchaser may return to the area when the risk of rutting has decreased.

### 7 - Other Conditions

#### 7.3 - Contract Modifications

##### 7.3.2 - Modification for oak wilt (2/05)

Within the sale area, there may be patches of oak wilt. If oak wilt is identified within the sale area, this contract may be modified. The following modifications could occur: time of cutting, species to cut, volume to harvest, or various others dealing with the treatment of oak wilt. If a species is not specified in this contract, it shall be paid for at the average price received for that species and product.



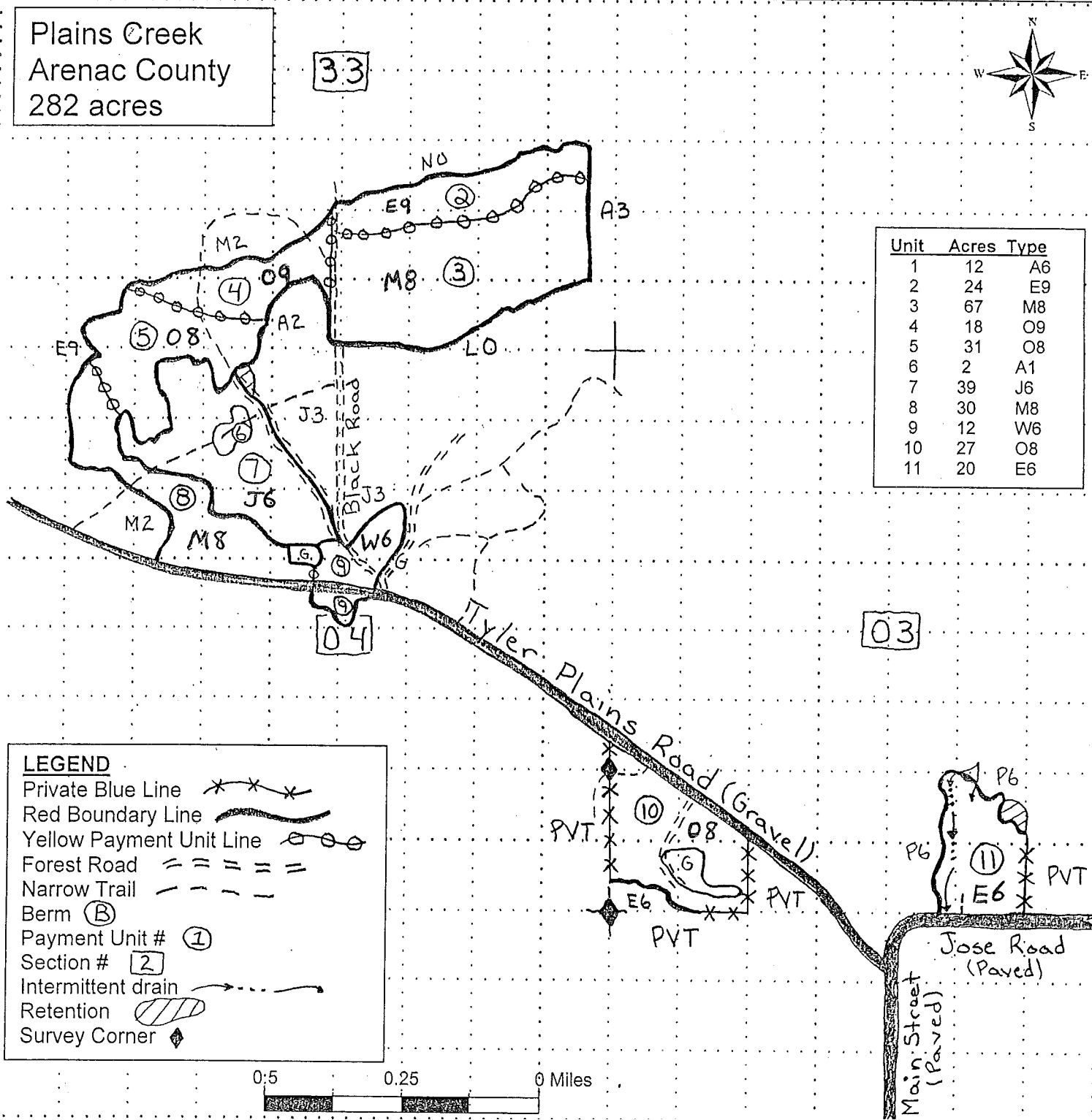
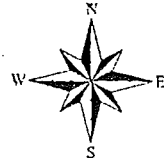


Sale Number	Year
73-007-10-01	2010

Forest Management Unit Gladwin		County Arenac	Mapped By Bates	Date 08-31-10	Page of 1 2
Township 19N; 20N	Range 05E	Section(s) and Subdivision(s) 3 - SWSE, SWSW, SWNWSW; 4 - NW, SWNE; 33 - S1/2SW, SE			
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Cover Type				Density	
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Plains Creek  
 Arenac County  
 282 acres



**LEGEND**

- Private Blue Line: \* \* \*
- Red Boundary Line: ———
- Yellow Payment Unit Line: ○ ○ ○
- Forest Road: = = = = =
- Narrow Trail: - - - - -
- Berm: (B)
- Payment Unit #: (1)
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- Retention: [diagonal lines]
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### TIMBER SALE MAP

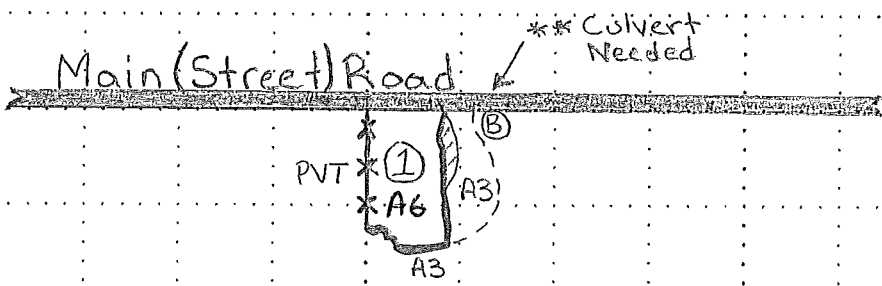
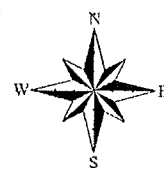
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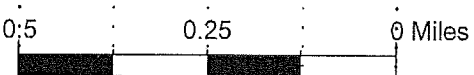
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Unit	Acres	Type
1	12	A6
2	24	E9
3	67	M8
4	18	O9
5	31	O8
6	2	A1
7	39	J6
8	30	M8
9	12	W6
10	27	O8
11	20	E6



**LEGEND**

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- Narrow Trail
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## TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

### POWERLINE HARVEST (73-019-10-01)

T20N, R03E, SEC.31; T20N, R03E, SEC.32; T20N, R03E, SEC.33.

ARENAC COUNTY (Advertised Price \$52,184.36)

SALE NOTE: No designated recreation site such as a trail, pathway, or campground is within the sale area or the vicinity. Access may be through private or state forest land.

A timber sale contract for this lump sum, sealed bid timber sale will be awarded to the responsible bidder offering the highest sealed bid price. Bids must be at or above the following advertised price for each species:

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED VOLUME*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Red Maple	205.80 MBF	\$ 55.90 / MBF
Red Pine	60.40 MBF	\$ 139.50 / MBF
White Ash	114.50 MBF	\$ 72.70 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Mixed Aspen	516.70 Cords	\$ 10.00 / Cord
Red Maple	860.00 Cords	\$ 5.00 / Cord
Red Pine	145.00 Cords	\$ 31.00 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$9,968.19:

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED VOLUME*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Mixed Aspen	59.40 MBF	\$ 18.70 / MBF
Mixed Hardwood	30.30 MBF	\$ 42.30 / MBF
Mixed Oak	41.60 MBF	\$ 73.70 / MBF
Mixed Softwood	2.00 MBF	\$ 17.40 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Mixed Hardwood	192.00 Cords	\$ 4.00 / Cord
Mixed Oak	227.00 Cords	\$ 7.00 / Cord
Mixed Softwood	26.00 Cords	\$ 13.00 / Cord
White Ash	356.00 Cords	\$ 5.00 / Cord

\*The volumes are statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 9.37 percent. These estimated volumes are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

### **BOND AND PAYMENT SCHEDULE:**

1. A bond in the amount of **\$3,000.00** 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	5%
02	23%
03	37%
04	8%
05	9%
06	18%
4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 06/30/2014.

## Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

**Sale Name: Powerline Harvest    Sale Number: 73-019-10-01**

### 1 - Sale Area

#### 1.2 - Boundaries

##### 1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (12/08)

The sale boundary and Payment Unit boundaries are marked and identified by blue, red and yellow paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against private property are marked with blue paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. Interior Payment Unit boundaries are marked with yellow paint. Do not cut painted boundary line trees unless also marked with orange paint. Yellow painted trees designating an interior Payment Unit boundary are only to be cut when all surrounding Payment Units have been paid.

### 2 - Timber Specifications

#### 2.1 - Included Timber

##### 2.1.1 - Clearcut unit(s) with unmerchantable trees (4/09)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, 2, 5, and 6, cut all trees that are two (2) inches or more in diameter measured at a point four and one-half (4-1/2) feet above ground level regardless of merchantability.

EXCEPTION: Within All Units - Do not cut or damage any cedar, hemlock, or trees marked with green paint above and below stump height.

EXCEPTION: Within Unit 1 - Do not cut or damage any oak or white pine trees.

EXCEPTION: Within Unit 2 - Do not cut or damage any red oak trees.

##### 2.1.5 - Overstory removal unit(s) (12/08)

Within Payment Unit(s) 3 and 4, all species/ trees with DBH equal to or greater than 4.5 inches which meet minimum piece specifications in 2.2 Utilization, are designated for cutting.

EXCEPTION: Within All Units - Do not cut or damage any cedar, hemlock, red pine, white pine, or trees marked with green paint above and below stump height.

EXCEPTION: Within Unit 3 - Do not cut or damage any red maple tree with a DBH of 8 inches or less.

EXCEPTION: Within Unit 4 - Do not cut or damage any red maple tree with a DBH of 10 inches or less.

EXCEPTION: Within Unit 4 - Do not cut or damage any ash tree with a DBH of 8 inches or less.

#### 2.2 - Utilization

##### 2.2.2 - Chipping required (9/09)

Payment Unit 5 must be chip harvested to facilitate subsequent trenching and replanting operations. The purchaser has the option to produce sawlogs or pulpwood bolts, but the remaining portion of the trees must be chipped .

##### 2.2.3 - Stump heights (4/07)

Stump heights within the Sale Area shall be cut as low to the ground as possible. Unless approved by the Unit Manager or his/her representative stump heights shall not exceed 6 inches for trees greater than 10 inches DBH and 4 inches for trees smaller than 10 inches DBH. Within Payment Unit(s) 5, in order to facilitate reforestation all stumps shall be cut at ground level.

##### 2.2.4 - Skidding length (2/09)

Skidding of red maple and ash trees over 17 feet in length within Payment Unit 3 is not permissible unless approved by the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

### 3 - Payments

#### 3.3 - Pre-measured Sales

##### 3.3.4 - Dividing payment units (12/08)

Payment unit(s) 4 may be divided at the request of the purchaser and upon approval of the Unit Manager. Dividing payment

units is a contract modification which requires a Timber Sale Contract Supplement.

### 3.4 - Damaged Timber

#### 3.4.1 - Damaged timber (6/05)

General Condition and Requirement 3.4 Damaged Timber, defines liquidated damages for undesignated live merchantable trees which are cut or injured. In addition, extreme care should be taken to avoid damage to tree seedlings and saplings. Damage to residual trees (defined as breaking of the cambium layer, broken tops or bending of trees from their natural position) is not acceptable.

Within the sale area, if more than 25% of the tree seedlings or saplings (1/4" to 4.5" DBH) within a specified portion of the sale area are damaged, liquidated damages will be assessed at \$300 per acre for all acreage within that specified portion of the sale area that was damaged.

No damage is acceptable to 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

#### 4.1.7 - Road closure (4/07)

All new roads built into the sale must be blocked to vehicle traffic upon completion of the sale. Some existing roads also need to be closed, see the timber sale map for locations. In general, this will require constructing double earthen berms at strategic locations. Berms are to be four (4') foot high and constructed of stumps and logs covered with earth. Stumps and brush must be placed along the remainder of the trail.

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

Unit 1: A culvert is needed to cross the county ditch on the south side of the Lame Duck Truck Trail. It is the responsibility of the purchaser to provide, place, and remove the culvert and to obtain any required permit from the Arenac County Road Commission. Unit 2 & 3: One new corrugated metal culvert, minimum 12 inches in diameter and 20 feet long, shall be placed in a swale to equalize water level on either side of the access road. The location is shown on the timber sale map.

Both culverts shall be removed upon completion of the sale.

### 4.4 - Access

#### 4.4.1 - Private property access (12/08)

Permission for access across private land owned by Consumers Energy has been obtained by the DNRE.

#### 4.4.3 - Access gate (12/08)

The access gates for Units 5 and 6 must be locked at the completion of each day unless otherwise approved by the Unit Manager or his/her representative. The access gates must be kept closed at all times. This is to prevent someone other than the purchaser from going through the gates and being locked in at the end of day.

## 5 - Operations

### 5.2 - Conduct of Operations

#### 5.2.1 - Slash

##### 5.2.1.1 - Slash within sale area (2/04)

No trees are to be felled outside the sale area and all slash is to be kept at least 10 feet back from the blue paint line.

##### 5.2.1.11 - Slash for reforestation (5/07)

To facilitate reforestation, Payment Unit(s) 1, 2, 5, and 6 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; tops from these sites shall be hauled back into the cut area and scattered.

## 5.2.2 - Hazard Trees/Snags

### 5.2.2.1 - Den trees (2/04)

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 (12/08)

Within Payment Unit(s) 3 and 4 , unless changed by written agreement, cutting, skidding, and hauling are NOT permitted during wet periods of the year. These activities are to be done only during dry summer or frozen winter conditions when soil conditions are not readily rutted. Within Payment Unit 6, no cutting, skidding, or disturbance on any type is to occur on the gasline right-of-way. Hauling is to be done only on the approved existing graveled road crossing. This is identified on the timber sale map. This restriction is to prevent damages being done to the shallow buried pipelines.

### 5.2.3.5 - Hunting operating restriction (12/08)

No payment unit may be started during the period of September 29 thru October 2nd or November 13 thru November 16th.

IN ADDITION: Within Payment Unit 1 - No cutting, skidding, and hauling will be allowed between the dates of September 15 through December 01 without permission of the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

## 5.4 - Soil Protection

### 5.4.1 - Rutting restriction, general (1/09)

Operations are to cease immediately if equipment and weather conditions result in rutting of roads and skid trails which is 12 inches or greater in depth and 50 feet in length. The Unit Manager or his/her representative may restrict hauling and/or skidding if ruts exceed the specified depth. With the Unit Manager or his/her representative's approval, the Purchaser may return to the area when the risk of rutting has decreased.

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

No harvesting operations, including skidding and felling, are to take place within 15 feet of a flowing stream, creek, or river. A vernal pond exist within Unit 6, 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. Intermittent streams devoid of water may have slash placed in them at limited crossing locations to prevent rutting. The slash is to be removed after unit is harvested. Care must be taken by the purchaser to identify and avoid operating in these areas of the timber sale.



# TIMBER SALE MAP

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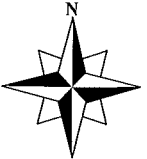
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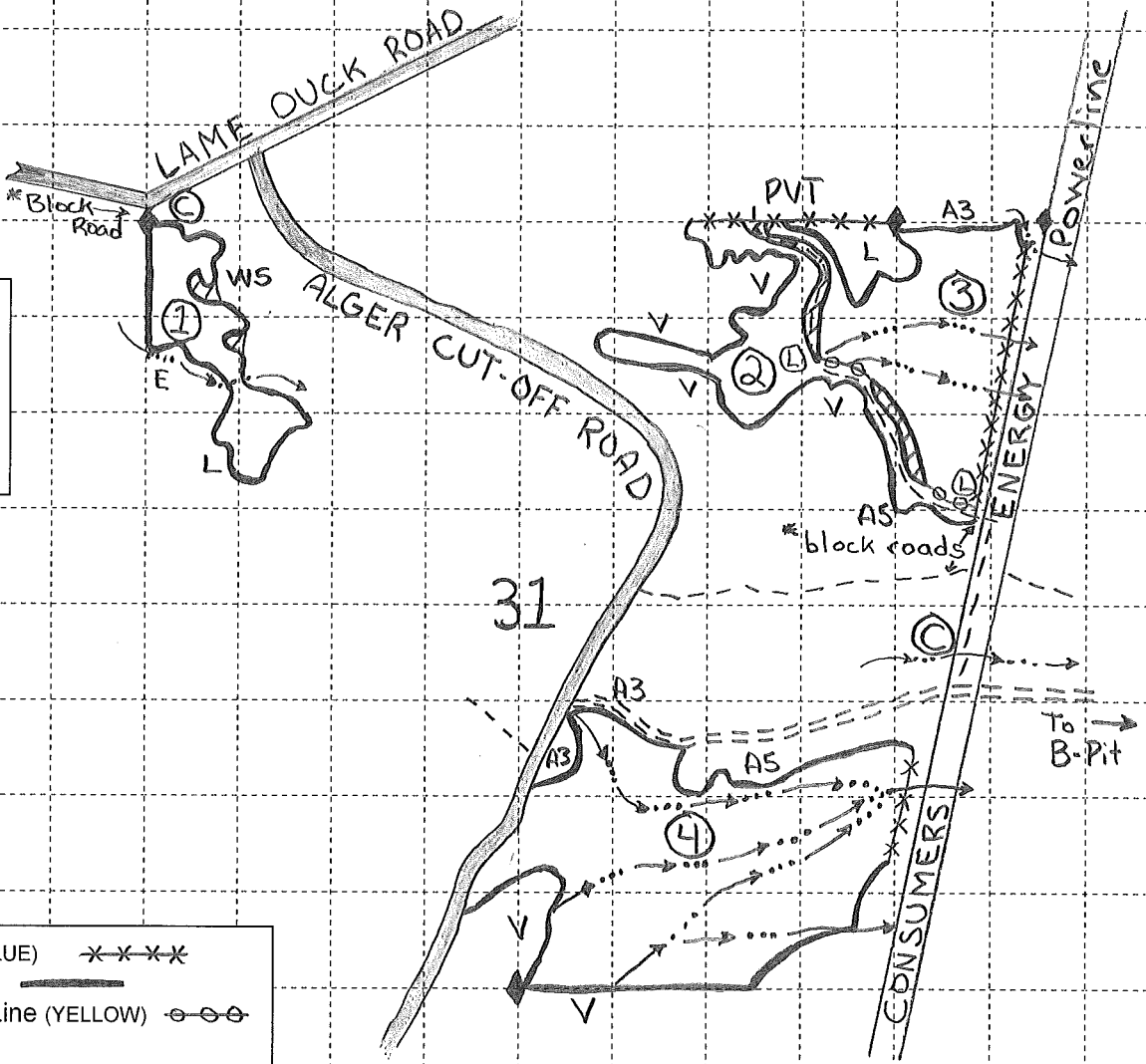
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**POWERLINE HARVEST**  
Arenac County  
181 Acres



Unit	Acres	Cover Type
1	17	E9
2	19	A9
3	39	E6
4	80	E9
5	7	R6
6	19	A5



Private Boundary Line (BLUE) - - - - -

Sale Boundary Line (RED) —————

Payment Unit Boundary Line (YELLOW) - - - - -

Payment Unit ②

Forest Road = = = = =

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Landings L

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Culvert Needed C

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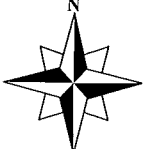
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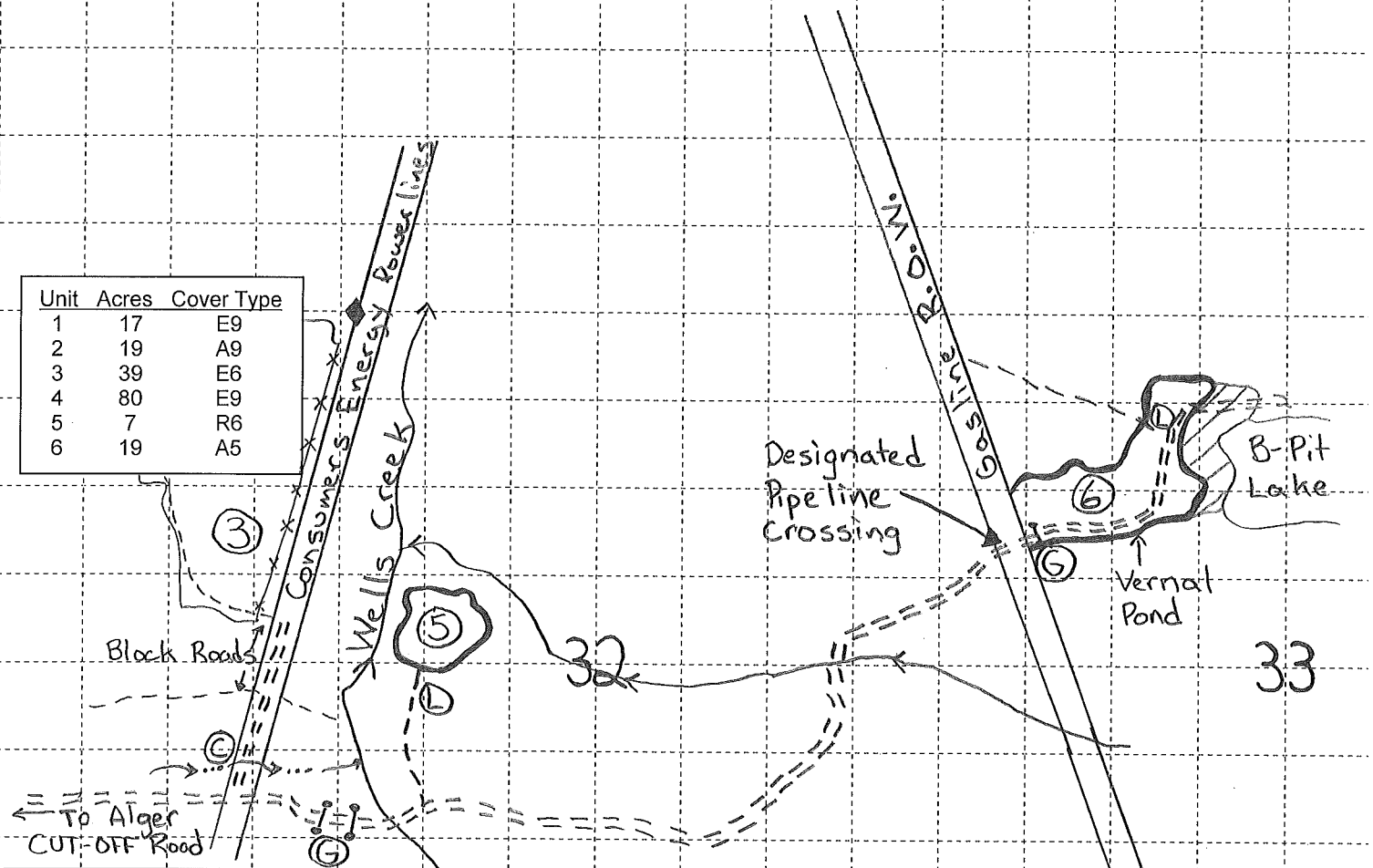
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Sale Boundary Line (RED) —————

Payment Unit Boundary Line (YELLOW) ~~~~~

Payment Unit ①

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Unimproved 2-Track - - - - -

Landings ②

Survey Corner ◆

Intermittent Stream ————>

Culvert Needed ③

Gates ④

Retention ⑤

## TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

SECORD-STERLING (73-021-10-01)

T19N, R02E, SEC.08; T19N, R02E, SEC.20.

GLADWIN COUNTY (Advertised Price \$18,150.70)

SALE NOTE: No designated recreation site such as a trail, pathway, or campground is within the sale area or the vicinity. Access may be through state forest land.

A timber sale contract for this lump sum, sealed bid timber sale will be awarded to the responsible bidder offering the highest sealed bid price. Bids must be at or above the following advertised price for each species:

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED VOLUME*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Mixed Aspen	59.30 MBF	\$ 37.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Jack Pine	312.00 Cords	\$ 15.95 / Cord
Mixed Aspen	524.00 Cords	\$ 12.30 / Cord
Red Maple	194.00 Cords	\$ 7.90 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$3,002.40:

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED VOLUME*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Jack Pine	31.90 MBF	\$ 36.00 / MBF
Red Maple	18.00 MBF	\$ 76.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Mixed Hardwood	37.00 Cords	\$ 6.00 / Cord
White Pine	66.00 Cords	\$ 4.00 / Cord

\*The volumes are statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 12.42 percent. These estimated volumes are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

### **BOND AND PAYMENT SCHEDULE:**

1. A bond in the amount of **\$1,000.00** 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.
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  - (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:
 

<u>PAYMENT UNIT NUMBER</u>	<u>PERCENT OF TOTAL SALE VALUE</u>
01	38%
02	19%
03	23%
04	20%
4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 06/30/2014.

## Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

**Sale Name: Secord-sterling    Sale Number: 73-021-10-01**

### 1 - Sale Area

#### 1.2 - Boundaries

##### 1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (12/08)

The sale boundary is marked and identified by blue and red paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against private property are marked with blue paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint.

### 2 - Timber Specifications

#### 2.1 - Included Timber

##### 2.1.1 - Clearcut unit(s) with unmerchantable trees (4/09)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 - 4, cut all trees that are two (2) inches or more in diameter measured at a point four and one-half (4-1/2) feet above ground level regardless of merchantability.

EXCEPTION, do not cut any tree marked with green paint above and below stump height.

#### 2.2 - Utilization

##### 2.2.3 - Stump heights (4/07)

Stump heights within the Sale Area shall be cut as low to the ground as possible. Unless approved by the Unit Manager or his/her representative stump heights shall not exceed 6 inches for trees greater than 10 inches DBH and 4 inches for trees smaller than 10 inches DBH.

##### 2.2.4 - Skidding length (2/09)

Skidding of unlimbed tops or lengths over 17 feet is not permissible in Payment Unit 1. Tops and branches must be left on-site and scattered and may not be chipped.

### 4 - Transportation

#### 4.1 - Construction

##### 4.1.7 - Road closure (4/07)

All new roads built into the sale must be blocked to vehicle traffic within 30 days of completion of hauling. Overgrown roads that are reopened shall be considered new roads. Some existing roads may also need to be closed, see the timber sale map for locations. In general, this will require constructing a four (4') foot high berm constructed 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. Contact the sale administrator for specific details of design and placement.

### 5 - Operations

#### 5.1 - Notification

##### 5.1.6 - Utility R.O.W. (10/08)

It is the responsibility of the purchaser to obtain permission from the utility company to utilize the power line R.O.W. for operations.

#### 5.2 - Conduct of Operations

##### 5.2.1 - Slash

###### 5.2.1.1 - Slash within sale area (2/04)

No trees are to be felled outside the sale area and all slash is to be kept at least 10 feet back from the blue paint line.

###### 5.2.1.11 - Slash for reforestation (5/07)

To facilitate reforestation, Payment Unit 1 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; tops from these sites shall be hauled back into the cut area and scattered.

#### 5.2.2 - Hazard Trees/Snags

##### 5.2.2.1 - Den trees (2/04)

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 (12/08)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 - 4, unless changed by written agreement, cutting, skidding, and hauling are limited to dry or frozen ground during the period of September 1st through March 31st. This restriction is to reduce potential rutting in the wetter areas of the sale and promote vigorous sprouting in the spring season.

##### 5.2.3.5 - Hunting operating restriction (12/08)

No payment unit may be started during the period of September 29 thru October 2nd or November 13 thru November 16th without permission of the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

#### 5.2.4 - Dead and Down Creation

##### 5.2.4.3 - Dead and down creation, dead trees (6/07)

Except as provided for in General Condition and Requirement 5.2.2, no dead trees, standing or down, are to be cut, skidded, or processed.

#### 5.4 - Soil Protection

##### 5.4.1 - Rutting restriction, general (1/09)

Operations are to cease immediately if equipment and weather conditions result in rutting of roads and skid trails which is 12 inches or greater in depth and 50 feet in length. The Unit Manager or his/her representative may restrict hauling and/or skidding if ruts exceed the specified depth. With the Unit Manager or his/her representative's approval, the Purchaser may return to the area when the risk of rutting has decreased.

##### 5.4.3 - Erosion control (12/08)

Skid trails or haul roads may require erosion control structures or berms per direction of the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

##### 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. Care must be taken by the purchaser to identify and avoid operating in these areas of the timber sale.



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**TIMBER SALE MAP**

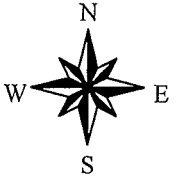
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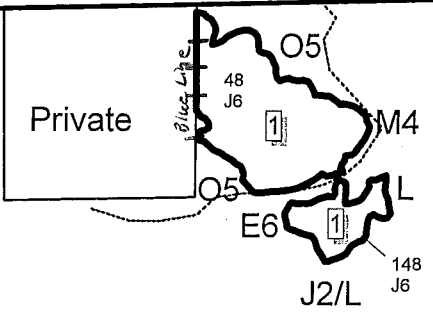
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TOWNSHIP <b>19N</b>	RANGE <b>02E</b>	SECTION(S) AND SUBDIVISION(S) <b>20 NWNE; SWNE</b>		0 0.25 0.5 Miles		

Cover Type				Density	
A = Aspen	H = Hemlock	P = Lowland Poplar	V = Bog or Marsh	0 = Non Stocked	5 = Pole Timber Medium
B = Paper Birch	J = Jack Pine	Q = Mixed Swamp Cnfr	W = White Pine	1 = Seedling Sapling Poor	6 = Pole Timber Well
C = Cedar	L = Lowland Brush	R = Red Pine	X = Non Stocked	2 = Seedling Sapling Medium	7 = Saw Timber Poor
E = Swamp Hdwoods	M = Mpl, Bch, Brch	S = Black Spruce	Z = Water	3 = Seedling Sapling Well	8 = Saw Timber Medium
F = Spruce Fir	N = Marsh	T = Tamarack		4 = Pole Timber Poor	9 = Saw Timber Well
G = Grass	O = Oak	U = Upland Brush			

**Second Sterling**  
**66 Acres**  
**Gladwin County**  
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Second Dam Road



**20**

**Unit 1      24 Acres**

Wildwood Road

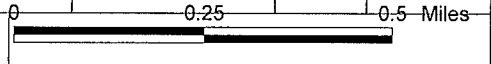


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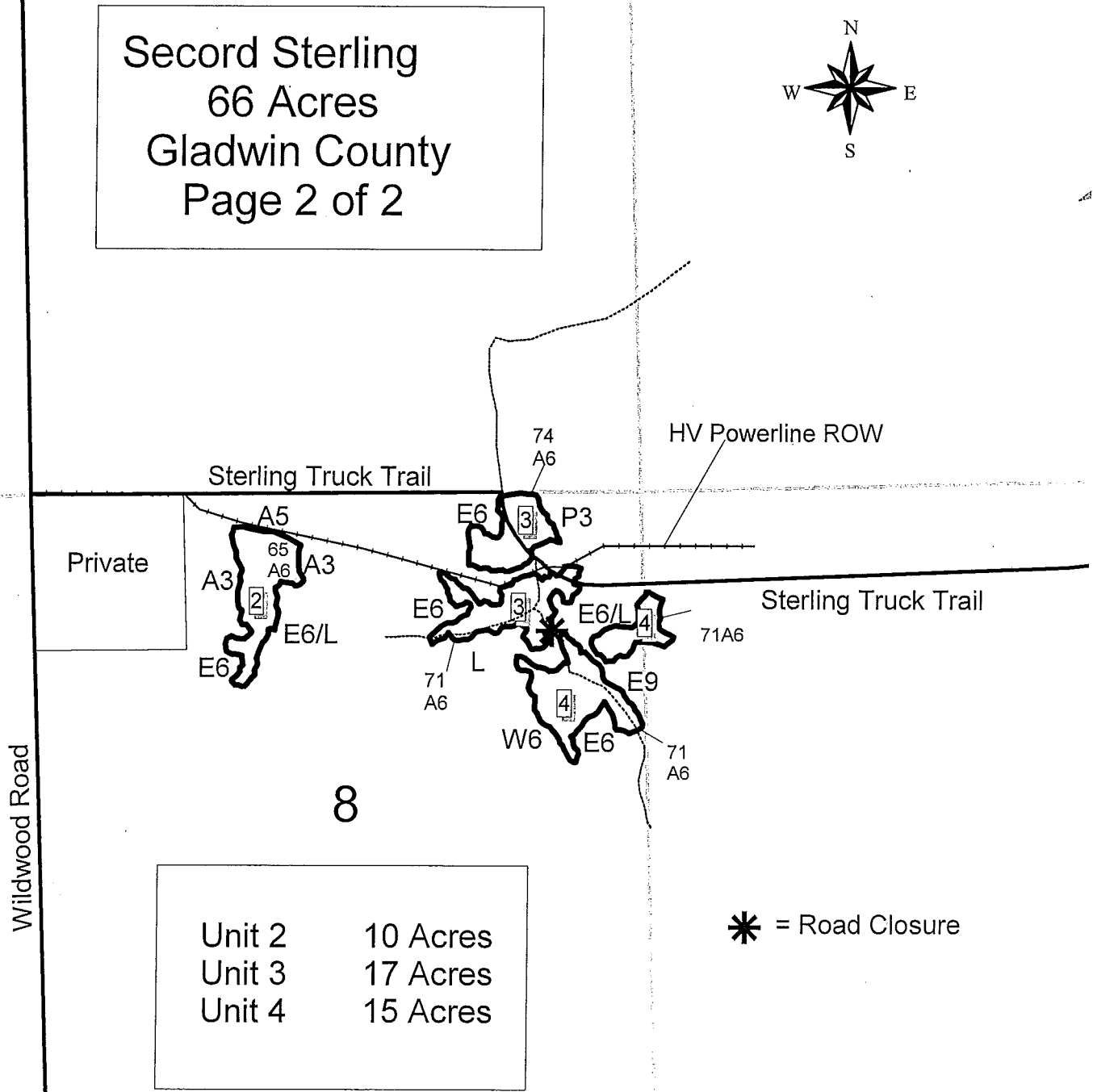
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**Secord Sterling**  
**66 Acres**  
**Gladwin County**  
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Unit 2	10 Acres
Unit 3	17 Acres
Unit 4	15 Acres

**\* = Road Closure**



I-75 HARVEST (73-006-10-01)

T19N, R03E, SEC.04; T19N, R03E, SEC.09; T19N, R03E, SEC.10; T19N, R03E, SEC.11; ARENAC COUNTY

In response to the notice of sale to be held 11:00AM on May 18, 2011, I am hereby submitting my sealed bid (firm offer) for the following forest products to be cut. Bids for individual species must be at or above the advertised price. All non-responsive bid forms may be rejected.

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED VOLUME*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>	<u>BID PRICE</u>
<b>Sawlogs</b>			
Mixed Oak	23.50 MBF	\$ 103.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
Red Maple	31.80 MBF	\$ 67.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
Red Pine	53.30 MBF	\$ 181.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
<b>Pulpwood</b>			
Mixed Aspen	543.00 Cords	\$ 14.30 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord
Red Maple	331.00 Cords	\$ 8.30 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord
Red Pine	80.00 Cords	\$ 37.30 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$3,431.50 :

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED VOLUME*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
<b>Sawlogs</b>		
Mixed Aspen	24.80 MBF	\$ 32.00 / MBF
Mixed Hardwood	11.70 MBF	\$ 51.00 / MBF
<b>Pulpwood</b>		
Mixed Hardwood	102.00 Cords	\$ 6.00 / Cord
Mixed Oak	69.00 Cords	\$ 12.00 / Cord
Mixed Softwood	18.00 Cords	\$ 33.40 / Cord

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I understand that any or all bids may be rejected. All bids must be signed and all bid items must be bid or the bid form may be rejected. I also understand that consideration and awarding a contract will be based upon my past performance and ability to complete the contract based upon equipment and staffing subject to my control.

FEDERAL ID: \_\_\_\_\_ or SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

Company or individual bidding: \_\_\_\_\_

Company representative's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

IF AVAILABLE, PLEASE PLACE THE PERSONALIZED LABEL FROM YOUR PROSPECTUS IN THE ABOVE BOX.

Individual or company representative's signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number : \_\_\_\_\_ Email (optional): \_\_\_\_\_



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

As required by Act 317, P.A. 1969 (Worker's Compensation) and  
Part 525 of Act 451 of 1994, as amended.

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

### VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE

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Please Check Appropriate Categories:

1. My business is organized as (you **must** check one of the boxes below):
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  - C.  Corporation
2. You **must** check one of the boxes below:
  - A.  I certify that my business is a sole proprietorship and it has no employees but the sole proprietor. I am not subject to the Worker's Compensation Laws.
  - B.  I certify that my business has satisfied its obligation to the Worker's Compensation Act through the use of an approved Notice of Exclusion (BWC-337, Rev. 5/96). I will provide a copy of the Notice of Exclusion within 21 days of the contract award. (For questions or a copy of the BWC-337, please call the Worker's Compensation Bureau at 517-322-1195).
  - C.  I certify that my business has a Worker's Compensation Policy. I will provide an original Certificate of Insurance within 21 days of the contract award.
3. If you have checked item 2(A) or 2(B), you **must** indicate the number of **both** full-time and part-time employees, other than yourself, including family members and active partners (if none, you must enter "0").

\_\_\_\_\_ Full-time Employees

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Name of Business		Federal ID (or) Social Security No.	
Address		Telephone (       )	
City	State	ZIP	

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\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative

\_\_\_\_\_  
Title

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

PLAINS CREEK (73-007-10-01)

T19N, R05E, SEC.03; T19N, R05E, SEC.04; T20N, R05E, SEC.28; T20N, R05E, SEC.33; ARENAC COUNTY

In response to the notice of sale to be held 11:00AM on May 18, 2011, I am hereby submitting my sealed bid (firm offer) for the following forest products to be cut. Bids for individual species must be at or above the advertised price. All non-responsive bid forms may be rejected.

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<b>Sawlogs</b>			
Mixed Oak	165.80 MBF	\$ 110.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
<b>Pulpwood</b>			
Jack Pine	719.00 Cords	\$ 20.40 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord
Mixed Aspen	365.00 Cords	\$ 15.80 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord
Mixed Oak	1,048.00 Cords	\$ 11.90 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord
Red Maple	484.00 Cords	\$ 9.10 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$10,077.90 :

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED VOLUME*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
<b>Sawlogs</b>		
Mixed Aspen	14.60 MBF	\$ 32.00 / MBF
Mixed Hardwood	17.00 MBF	\$ 56.00 / MBF
Red Maple	43.60 MBF	\$ 71.00 / MBF
Red Pine	13.50 MBF	\$ 183.00 / MBF
White Pine	22.60 MBF	\$ 67.00 / MBF
<b>Pulpwood</b>		
Mixed Hardwood	146.00 Cords	\$ 5.80 / Cord
Red Pine	8.00 Cords	\$ 40.70 / Cord
White Pine	116.00 Cords	\$ 3.50 / Cord

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Company or individual bidding: \_\_\_\_\_

Company representative's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

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Phone number : \_\_\_\_\_ Email (optional): \_\_\_\_\_



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

As required by Act 317, P.A. 1969 (Worker's Compensation) and  
Part 525 of Act 451 of 1994, as amended.

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

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\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative

\_\_\_\_\_  
Title

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date



POWERLINE HARVEST (73-019-10-01)

T20N, R03E, SEC.31; T20N, R03E, SEC.32; T20N, R03E, SEC.33; ARENAC COUNTY

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<b>Sawlogs</b>			
Red Maple	205.80 MBF	\$ 55.90 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
Red Pine	60.40 MBF	\$ 139.50 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
White Ash	114.50 MBF	\$ 72.70 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
<b>Pulpwood</b>			
Mixed Aspen	516.70 Cords	\$ 10.00 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord
Red Maple	860.00 Cords	\$ 5.00 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord
Red Pine	145.00 Cords	\$ 31.00 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$9,968.19 :

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<b>Sawlogs</b>		
Mixed Aspen	59.40 MBF	\$ 18.70 / MBF
Mixed Hardwood	30.30 MBF	\$ 42.30 / MBF
Mixed Oak	41.60 MBF	\$ 73.70 / MBF
Mixed Softwood	2.00 MBF	\$ 17.40 / MBF
<b>Pulpwood</b>		
Mixed Hardwood	192.00 Cords	\$ 4.00 / Cord
Mixed Oak	227.00 Cords	\$ 7.00 / Cord
Mixed Softwood	26.00 Cords	\$ 13.00 / Cord
White Ash	356.00 Cords	\$ 5.00 / Cord

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Company representative's name: \_\_\_\_\_

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Phone number : \_\_\_\_\_ Email (optional): \_\_\_\_\_



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

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FOR DEPARTMENT USE ONLY	
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Forest Management Unit:	

### VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE

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\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative

\_\_\_\_\_  
Title

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

SECORD-STERLING (73-021-10-01)  
T19N, R02E, SEC.08; T19N, R02E, SEC.20; GLADWIN COUNTY

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Sawlogs			
Mixed Aspen	59.30 MBF	\$ 37.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
Pulpwood			
Jack Pine	312.00 Cords	\$ 15.95 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord
Mixed Aspen	524.00 Cords	\$ 12.30 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord
Red Maple	194.00 Cords	\$ 7.90 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$3,002.40 :

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED VOLUME*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Jack Pine	31.90 MBF	\$ 36.00 / MBF
Red Maple	18.00 MBF	\$ 76.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Mixed Hardwood	37.00 Cords	\$ 6.00 / Cord
White Pine	66.00 Cords	\$ 4.00 / Cord

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Company or individual bidding: \_\_\_\_\_

Company representative's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

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Individual or company representative's signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number : \_\_\_\_\_ Email (optional): \_\_\_\_\_



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

As required by Act 317, P.A. 1969 (Worker's Compensation) and  
Part 525 of Act 451 of 1994, as amended.

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

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- This verification must be completed and submitted within 21 days of contract award and prior to the issuance of the timber sale contract.
- In addition, if boxes 2B or 2C are checked, then Notice of Exclusion or Certificate of Insurance must be submitted within 21 days of the contract award and prior to the issuance of the timber sale contract.
- All Information must be typed or printed except for written signatures.

Please Check Appropriate Categories:

1. My business is organized as (you **must** check one of the boxes below):
  - A.  Sole Proprietorship (individual)
  - B.  Partnership
  - C.  Corporation
2. You **must** check one of the boxes below:
  - A.  I certify that my business is a sole proprietorship and it has no employees but the sole proprietor. I am not subject to the Worker's Compensation Laws.
  - B.  I certify that my business has satisfied its obligation to the Worker's Compensation Act through the use of an approved Notice of Exclusion (BWC-337, Rev. 5/96). I will provide a copy of the Notice of Exclusion within 21 days of the contract award. (For questions or a copy of the BWC-337, please call the Worker's Compensation Bureau at 517-322-1195).
  - C.  I certify that my business has a Worker's Compensation Policy. I will provide an original Certificate of Insurance within 21 days of the contract award.
3. If you have checked item 2(A) or 2(B), you **must** indicate the number of **both** full-time and part-time employees, other than yourself, including family members and active partners (if none, you must enter "0").

\_\_\_\_\_ Full-time Employees

\_\_\_\_\_ Part-time Employees

Name of Business		Federal ID (or) Social Security No.	
Address		Telephone (       )	
City	State	ZIP	

I hereby certify that the above information is true and correct. I agree to notify the Michigan DNRE of any changes that occur in factors affecting my coverage during any of my present and future operations.

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Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative

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Title

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Date