

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT STATE OF MICHIGAN

TIMBER SALE PROSPECTUS (4397)

<u>SCHEDULED SALE DATE AND TIME:</u> 2:00PM on July 21, 2011. <u>LOCATION:</u> TRAVERSE CITY MGMT UNIT, 970 EMERSON, TRAVERSE CITY, MI 49696.

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

<u>SKID-A-WAY MIX</u> (61-061-10-01) / T27N, R09W, SEC.13, N1/2SE1/4 S1/2NE1/4 NE1/4NE. GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY (Advertised Price \$12,257.12), 23.9 Acres

SALE NOTE: A recreation site such as a trail, pathway, or campground is within the sale area or the vicinity. Certain restrictions/specifications may be applicable including time restrictions. Access may be through state forest land.

FEN ASPEN (61-085-10-01) / T27N, R09W, SEC.13, S1/2SW1/4.

T27N, R09W, SEC.24, N1/2NW1/4.

GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY (Advertised Price \$4,603.50), 9.0 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.

RIDGERUNNER MIX (61-086-10-01) / T27N, R09W, SEC.13, SW1/4.

GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY (Advertised Price \$11,666.65), 28.4 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.

STAPLE ASPEN (61-087-10-01) / T27N, R09W, SEC.01, E1/2SE1/4SE1/4.

GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY (Advertised Price \$2,916.65), 6.8 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.

THUNDER MUG HARDWOODS (61-091-10-01) / T25N, R14W, SEC.26, W1/2SW,SWNW.

BENZIE COUNTY (Advertised Price \$11,841.16), 17.6 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.

TOTEM ASPEN (61-095-10-01) / T27N, R09W, SEC.12, N1/2SE1/4SE1/4.

GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY (Advertised Price \$2,766.40), 2.6 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. 06/20/2011):

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

Bids must be received by the Unit Manager, TRAVERSE CITY OFFICE, 970 EMERSON, TRAVERSE CITY, MI 49696, no later than 2:00PM on July 21, 2011. For further information concerning this sale, contact Dave Lemmien at 231-922-5280.

2. Bidder's Qualifications (6/11)

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 DNR/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 (6/11)

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) the sale name or number and (b) the date and time of bid opening as shown in the prospectus. Bids received after the time specified in the sale prospectus are late bids and will be rejected.

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. 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

SKID-A-WAY MIX (61-061-10-01)

T27N, R09W, SEC.13.

GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY (Advertised Price \$12,257.12)

SALE NOTE: A recreation site such as a trail, pathway, or campground is within the sale area or the vicinity. Certain restrictions/specifications may be applicable including time restrictions. Access may be through 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:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES Sawlogs	ESTIMATED VOLUME*	ADVERTISED PRICE	
B. T. Aspen	83.00 MBF	\$	87.00 / MBF
Pulpwood B. T. Aspen	238.60 Cords	\$	13.65 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$1,779.23:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES Sawlogs	ESTIMATED VOLUME*	<u>AD\</u>	/ERTISED PRICE
Mixed Hardwood	1.70 MBF	\$	81.00 / MBF
Red Oak	4.00 MBF	\$	175.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
Jack Pine	3.00 Cords	\$	11.25 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	2.00 Cords	\$	8.75 / Cord
Mixed Oak	56.00 Cords	\$	7.80 / Cord
Q. Aspen	8.00 Cords	\$	7.90 / Cord
Red Maple	33.50 Cords	\$	11.65 / Cord

*The volumes are statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 22.09 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.
- 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	37%
02	49%
03	14%

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

5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 09/30/2013.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Skid-a-way Mix Sale Number: 61-061-10-01

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 and yellow paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. Interior Payment Unit boundaries are marked with yellow paint. The southwest line of the sale is a shared red line with another sale. Red paint is on all sides of trees on this shared boundary.

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1-3, all trees are designated for cutting when marked with orange paint above and below stump height, regardless of merchantability. In addition cut all aspen and jack pine.

2.1.11 - Description of timber note (2/04)

Note that mixed hardwood logs are half red maple and half black cherry. Mixed hardwood pulp is black cherry.

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 DBH and 4 inches for trees smaller than 10 inches DBH.

2.2.6 - Roundwood operation required (5/07)

The skidding of whole trees or tree segments with limbs attached is prohibited. This is due to the location of available decking areas. Possible decking locations and skid routes are shown on the timber sale map. All products must be produced as roundwood and forwarded to existing roads or landing areas in final product length.

4 - Transportation

- 4.1 Construction
 - 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.

4.2 - Maintenance

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. Areas on the snowmobile trail may need fill to enable truck access.

4.2.3 - Road maintenance (9/08)

The following road maintenance may be needed: the snowmobile trail on the south end of unit 2 may be used to access landing spots has some sandy slopes that may need hardened with stone to allow truck access.

4.2.4 - Grading (12/08)

Roads must be graded after the sale is completed. In general, this will require a road grader or bull dozer to shape up the roads after forest products have been hauled off site. The grading equipment to be used must be approved by the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

5 - Operations

5.1 - Notification

5.1.1 - Pre-sale conference (12/08)

A pre-sale conference on site between the Purchaser and sale administrator is required prior to beginning any operations to determine landing and road locations. The Unit Manager or his/her representative must be contacted at least 3 days in advance to schedule the conference.

5.2 - Conduct of Operations

5.2.1 - Slash

5.2.1.8 - Slash height (12/08)No slash or tree tops may exceed 30 inches in height.

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

5.2.3.4 - Oak wilt restriction (6/10)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1-3 unless changed by written agreement, cutting and skidding are not permitted during the period of April 15 to July 15. This is necessary to reduce the spread of oak wilt. For more information, contact the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

5.2.4 - Dead and Down Creation

5.2.4.6 - Dead and down creation, other (9/09)

To create grouse habitat, within Payment Unit(s) 1-3, all trees marked with an orange 'X' will be cut at breast height and left with the upper part of the tree touching the stump. These are for drumming logs. If a clump of trees is marked, the clump should be cut and left in a pile. The slash height requirement does not apply to these drumming logs and the tops should be left intact.

5.2.38 - No decking against live trees (2/04)

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

5.2.41 - Snowmobile trail protection (8/09)

The snowmobile trail is shown on the Timber Sale Map. Do not cut or damage posts with orange trail markers or traffic control signs. If the trail is used, it must be maintained and restored to a condition equal to or better than before the sale. If the trail is used for hauling, it must be graded to the satisfaction of the Unit Manager or his/her representative prior to December 1st. The snowmobile trail may not be used for any timber sale operations from December 1 to March 31. Maintain a 20 foot wide slash, debris, and rut free zone daily using the snowmobile trail as the centerline. If wood is decked along snomobile trail it must be removed before December 1st. All stumps within 20 feet of the snowmobile trail must be cut at ground level.

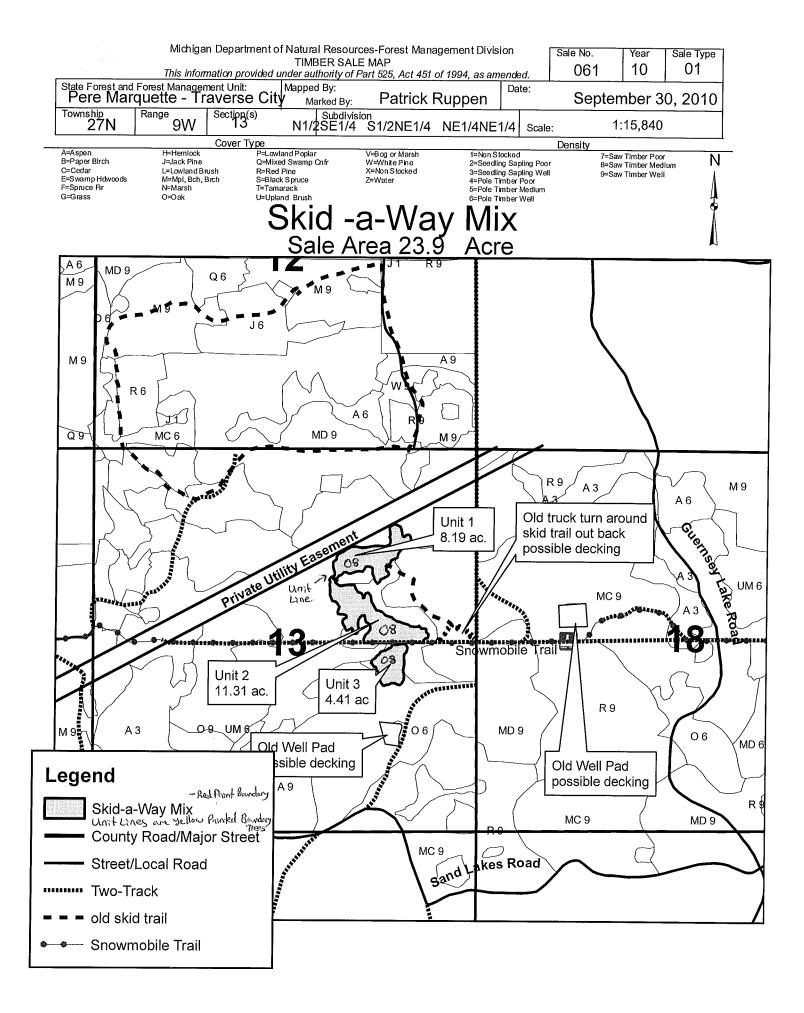
5.4 - Soil Protection

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.

5.4.4 - Slope protection (2/04)

Skid trails and roads on slopes shall be water barred with slash, stumps, and/or hay bales as soon as use is complete to prevent erosion.



TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

FEN ASPEN (61-085-10-01)

T27N, R09W, SEC.13; T27N, R09W, SEC.24.

GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY (Advertised Price \$4,603.50)

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:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED VOLUME*	ADVERTISED PRICE	
Sawlogs			
B. T. Aspen	18.50 MBF	\$	79.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
B. T. Aspen	134.00 Cords	\$	16.20 / Cord
Red Maple	51.00 Cords	\$	13.05 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$305.65:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED VOLUME*	AD	VERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs			
Red Oak	1.60 MBF	\$	154.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
Mixed Oak	7.50 Cords	\$	7.90 / Cord
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BOND AND PAYMENT SCHEDULE:

- 1. A bond in the amount of **\$500.00** to insure faithful performance of the conditions of the contract will be deposited by the successful bidder within 21 days of the sale award.
- 2. Cutting in any sale or unit without the required advance payment would be considered a trespass.
- 3. Total payment must be paid in advance or according to the following schedule:
 - (a) Ten percent (10%) of the sale value must be paid within 21 days of the sale award.
 - (b) The remainder is due before cutting begins.
- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 09/30/2013.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Fen Aspen Sale Number: 61-085-10-01

1 - Sale Area

1.2 - Boundaries

1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (12/08)The sale boundary is marked and identified by red paint.

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, all trees are designated for cutting when marked with orange paint above and below stump height, regardless of merchantability. In addition cut all red maple and aspen that meets minimum product standards.

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 DBH and 4 inches for trees smaller than 10 inches DBH.

2.2.6 - Roundwood operation required (5/07)

The skidding of whole trees or tree segments with limbs attached is prohibited. All products must be produced as roundwood and forwarded to existing roads or landing areas in final product length.

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, the advanced pine regeneration is desirable; 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.

4 - Transportation

4.1 - Construction

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4.1.12 - No new roads (6/10)
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No new roads will be permitted All operations are limited to existing roads.

5 - Operations

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5.1 - Notification
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5.1.1 - Pre-sale conference (12/08)

A pre-sale conference on site between the Purchaser and sale administrator is required prior to beginning any operations to determine landing and road locations. The Unit Manager or his/her representative must be contacted at least 3 days in advance to schedule the conference.

5.2 - Conduct of Operations

5.2.1 - Slash

5.2.1.8 - Slash height (12/08) No slash or tree tops may exceed 30 inches in height.

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

5.2.3.4 - Oak wilt restriction (6/10)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 unless changed by written agreement, cutting and skidding are not permitted during the period of April 15 to July 15. This is necessary to reduce the spread of oak wilt. For more information, contact the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

5.2.4 - Dead and Down Creation

5.2.4.6 - Dead and down creation, other (9/09)

To create grouse habitat, all trees marked with an 'X' will be cut at breast height and left with the upper part of the tree touching the stump. These are for drumming logs. If a clump of trees is marked, the clump should be cut and left in a pile. The slash height requirement does not apply to these drumming logs and the tops should be left intact.

5.2.38 - No decking against live trees (2/04)

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

5.4 - Soil Protection

5.4.1 - Rutting restriction, general (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.

5.4.2 - Skid trails (2/04)

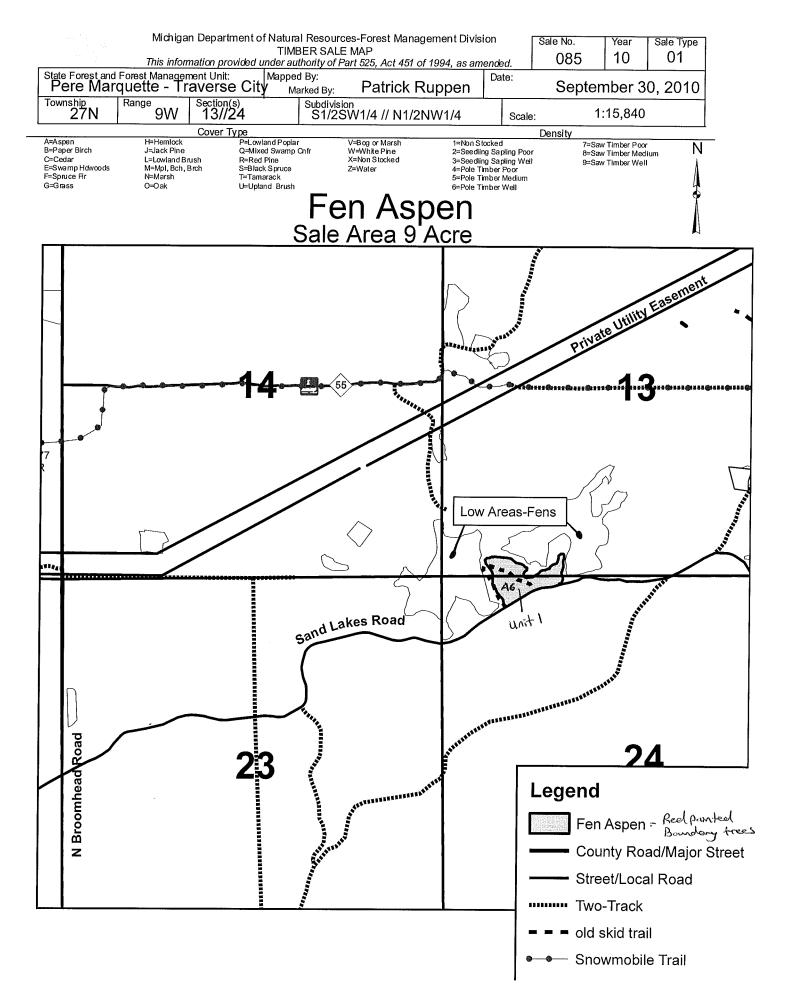
Skid trails up and down slopes should be avoided. If however this is unavoidable, these trails will be left in a non-erodible condition using water bars, logs, and slash. Placing of slash on these skid trails while logging is ongoing may alleviate need for any further action. At the direction of the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

6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

6.2 - Signing

6.2.1 - Road posting (9/09)

The purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on Sand Lakes Road, prior to beginning operations. The road must be posted at appropriate distances from the sale area to warn of logging activity and truck traffic. Signs must be removed when harvest operations are suspended or completed. The Purchaser will provide these signs.



TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

RIDGERUNNER MIX (61-086-10-01)

T27N, R09W, SEC.13.

GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY (Advertised Price \$11,666.65)

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PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED VOLUME*	AD\	/ERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs			
B. T. Aspen	20.50 MBF	\$	89.00 / MBF
Red Oak	25.50 MBF	\$	163.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
B. T. Aspen	89.00 Cords	\$	14.05 / Cord
Mixed Oak	462.00 Cords	\$	8.00 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$739.20:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED VOLUME*	ADVERTISED PRICE	
Sawlogs White Oak	8.30 MBF	\$	60.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		Ψ	
Jack Pine	3.00 Cords	\$	11.60 / Cord
Red Maple	16.00 Cords	\$	12.90 / Cord

*The volumes are statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 13.77 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.
- 3. Total payment must be paid in advance or according to the following schedule:
 - (a) Ten percent (10%) of the sale value must be paid within 21 days of the sale award.(b) The remainder is due before cutting begins.
- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 09/30/2013.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Ridgerunner Mix Sale Number: 61-086-10-01

1 - Sale Area

1.2 - Boundaries

1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (12/08)

The sale boundary is marked and identified by red paint. There is an adjacent sale on northeast boundary of this sale so red paint will be found on all sides of trees along this shared boundary. Do not cut painted boundary line trees.

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

2.1.2 - Clearcut unit(s) w/o unmerchantable trees (12/08)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, cut all trees which meet minimum piece specifications in 2.2 Utilization except white pine, red pine and reserve trees. Reserve trees identified in accordance with 2.4.2 - reserve trees within clearcutting unit boundaries, are not Included Timber and are to be protected.

2.4 - Special Protection

2.4.2 - Reserve trees (1/09)

The Purchaser shall not cut live or dead reserve trees within cutting units or clearings. Reserve trees are marked with green paint. The Purchaser shall protect reserve trees from damage by the Purchaser's operations. If the Purchaser's operations have cut or damaged reserve trees through carelessness, the Purchaser shall pay \$ 25.00 as fixed, agreed and liquidated damages for each reserve tree cut or damaged. Such payment does not constitute ownership of the undesignated timber.

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. The advanced pine regeneration is desired and care should be taken to retain as much as possible through the operations. Damage to residual trees (defined as breaking of the cambium layer, broken tops or bending of trees from their natural position) is not acceptable.

4 - Transportation

4.1 - Construction

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

The following road work is required: the road on the east side of the sale accesses the old well pad which is needed for a landing. This road will need some grading and may need rock to harden sandy areas.

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.

4.2 - Maintenance

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.

4.2.4 - Grading (12/08)

Roads must be graded after the sale is completed. In general, this will require a road grader or bull dozer to shape up the

roads after forest products have been hauled off site. The grading equipment to be used must be approved by the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

5 - Operations

5.1 - Notification

5.1.1 - Pre-sale conference (12/08)

A pre-sale conference on site between the Purchaser and sale administrator is required prior to beginning any operations to determine landing and road locations. The Unit Manager or his/her representative must be contacted at least 3 days in advance to schedule the conference.

5.1.4 - Post-sale conference (9/09)

A post-sale conference on site between the Purchaser and sale administrator is required 5 days prior to the completion of active logging operations to determine clean-up and repair of landings, road edges, and the fulfillment of other contract specifications.

5.2 - Conduct of Operations

5.2.1 - Slash

5.2.1.2 - Slash Removal

5.2.1.2.6 - Slash removal, general (7/05) All slash must be removed from well pad and forest roads.

5.2.1.8 - Slash height (12/08)

No slash or tree tops may exceed 36 inches in height.

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

5.2.3.4 - Oak wilt restriction (6/10)

Within Payment Unit(s) unless changed by written agreement, cutting and skidding are not permitted during the period of April 15 to July 15. This is necessary to reduce the spread of oak wilt. For more information, contact the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

5.2.31 - Landing locations (10/09)

Landing areas are marked on the timber sale map with the letter "L". Landings must be confined to these designated sites unless otherwise authorized by the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

5.2.38 - No decking against live trees (2/04)

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

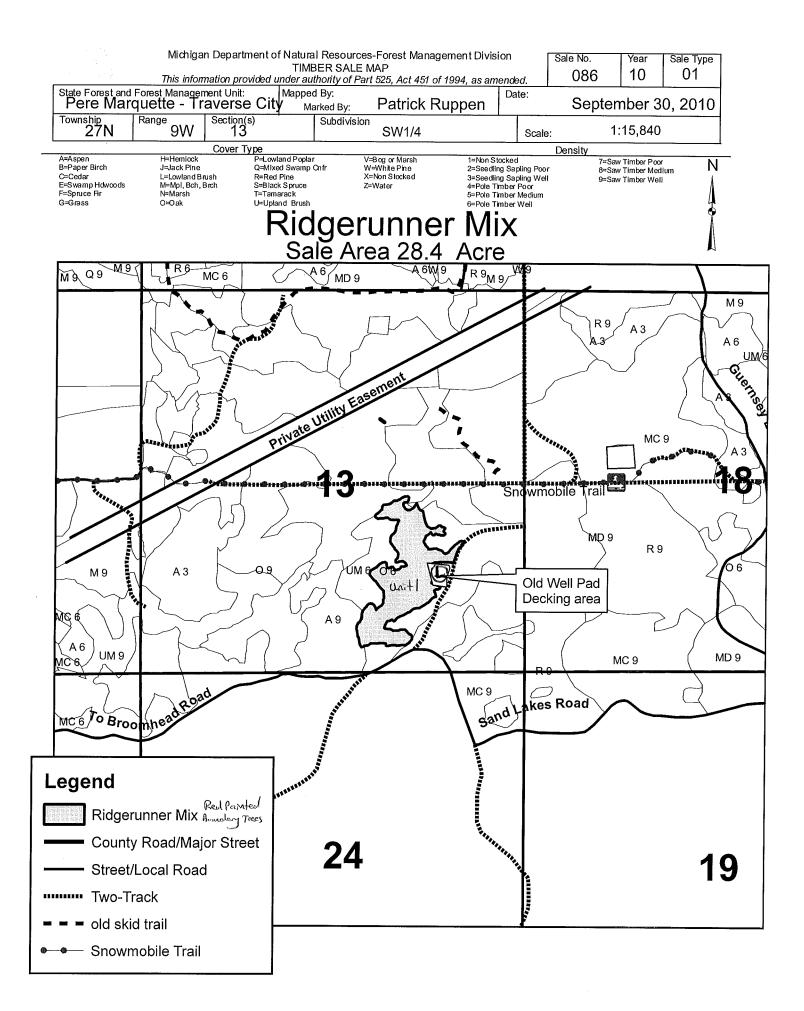
5.4 - Soil Protection

5.4.1 - Rutting restriction, general (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.

5.4.4 - Slope protection (2/04)

Skid trails and roads on slopes shall be water barred with slash, stumps, and/or hay bales as soon as use is complete to prevent erosion.



TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

STAPLE ASPEN (61-087-10-01)

T27N, R09W, SEC.01.

GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY (Advertised Price \$2,916.65)

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:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES Sawlogs	ESTIMATED VOLUME*	ADVERTISED PRICE	
B. T. Aspen	7.10 MBF	\$	71.00 / MBF
Pulpwood B. T. Aspen	140.00 Cords	\$	14.50 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$382.55:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED VOLUME*	<u>ADV</u>	ERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs White Pine	2.30 MBF	\$	40.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		Ŧ	
Mixed Hardwood	14.00 Cords	\$	9.25 / Cord
Mixed Oak	7.00 Cords	\$	8.25 / Cord
Red Pine	3.00 Cords	\$	12.80 / Cord
White Pine	11.00 Cords	\$	5.90 / Cord

*The volumes are statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 33.17 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 **\$500.00** to insure faithful performance of the conditions of the contract will be deposited by the successful bidder within 21 days of the sale award.
- 2. Cutting in any sale or unit without the required advance payment would be considered a trespass.
- 3. Total payment must be paid in advance or according to the following schedule:
- (a) Ten percent (10%) of the sale value must be paid within 21 days of the sale award.(b) The remainder is due before cutting begins.
- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 09/30/2013.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Staple Aspen Sale Number: 61-087-10-01

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. Do not cut painted boundary line trees.

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, 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. Reserve trees identified in accordance with 2.4.2 - Reserve trees, within clearcutting unit boundaries, are not Included Timber and are to be protected.

2.1.11 - Description of timber note (2/04)

Note that mixed hardwood pulp is ironwood, maple, black cherry.

2.2 - Utilization

2.2.6 - Roundwood operation required (5/07)

The skidding of whole trees or tree segments with limbs attached is prohibited due to limited space available for landings. Wood may be processed and decked roadside or decked in the old well pad to the north. All products must be produced as roundwood and forwarded to existing roads or landing areas in final product length.

2.4 - Special Protection

2.4.2 - Reserve trees (1/09)

The Purchaser shall not cut live or dead reserve trees within cutting units or clearings. Reserve trees are marked with green paint. The Purchaser shall protect reserve trees from damage by the Purchaser's operations. If the Purchaser's operations have cut or damaged reserve trees through carelessness, the Purchaser shall pay \$25.00 as fixed, agreed and liquidated damages for each reserve tree cut or damaged. Such payment does not constitute ownership of the undesignated timber.

4 - Transportation

4.1 - Construction

4.1.12 - No new roads (6/10) No new roads will be permitted . All operations are limited to existing roads. Skid trails only will be allowed.

4.2 - Maintenance

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.

4.2.3 - Road maintenance (9/08)

The following road maintenance may be needed: The forest road from the south needs graded and may need some rock to harden some sandy spots.

4.2.4 - Grading (12/08)

Roads must be graded after the sale is completed. In general, this will require a road grader or bull dozer to shape up the roads after forest products have been hauled off site. The grading equipment to be used must be approved by the Unit

Manager or his/her representative.

5 - Operations

- 5.1 Notification
 - 5.1.1 Pre-sale conference (12/08)

A pre-sale conference on site between the Purchaser and sale administrator is required prior to beginning any operations to determine landing and road locations.

5.1.4 - Post-sale conference (9/09)

A post-sale conference on site between the Purchaser and sale administrator is required 5 days prior to the completion of active logging operations to determine clean-up and repair of landings, road edges, and the fulfillment of other contract specifications.

5.2 - Conduct of Operations

5.2.1 - Slash

5.2.1.8 - Slash height (12/08) No slash or tree tops may exceed 30 inches in height.

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.

5.2.4 - Dead and Down Creation

5.2.4.6 - Dead and down creation, other (9/09)

To create grouse habitat, all trees marked with an 'X' will be cut at breast height and left with the upper part of the tree touching the stump. These are for drumming logs. If a clump of trees is marked, the clump should be cut and left in a pile. The slash height requirement does not apply to these drumming logs and the tops should be left intact.

5.2.38 - No decking against live trees (2/04)

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

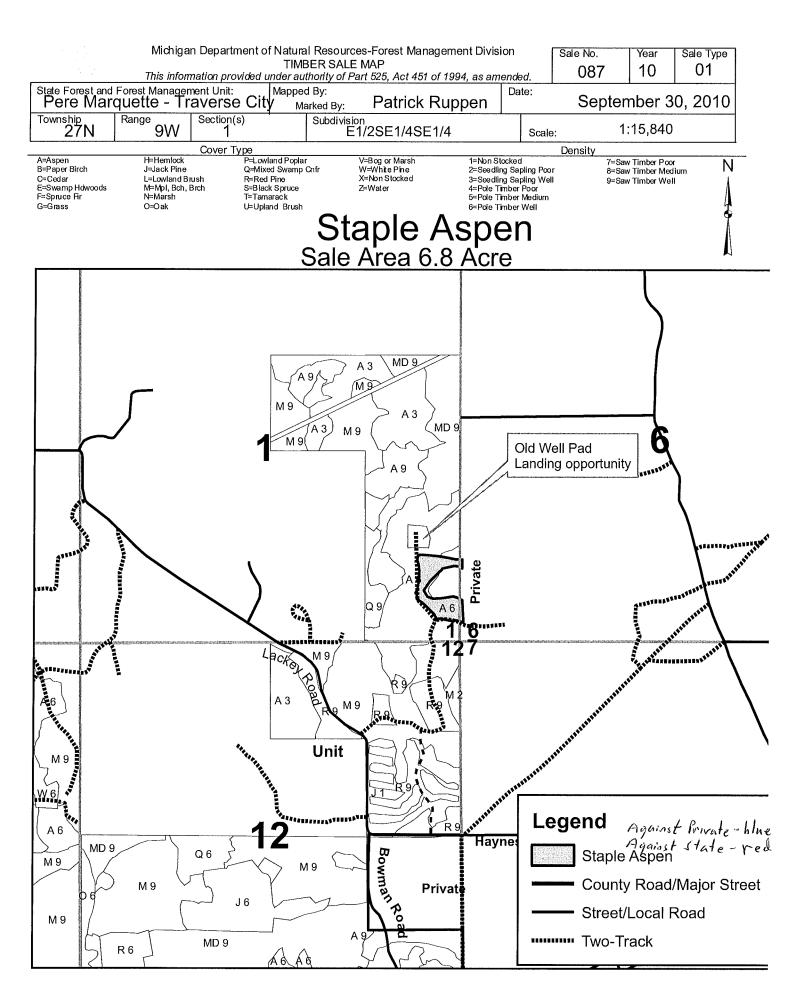
5.4 - Soil Protection

5.4.1 - Rutting restriction, general (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. No equiptment is to operate in the low area east of the sale area to avoid rutting.

5.4.4 - Slope protection (2/04)

Skid trails and roads on slopes shall be water barred with slash, stumps, and/or hay bales as soon as use is complete to prevent erosion.



TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

THUNDER MUG HARDWOODS (61-091-10-01)

T25N, R14W, SEC.26.

BENZIE COUNTY (Advertised Price \$11,841.16)

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:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED VOLUME*	<u>AD\</u>	/ERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs			
B. T. Aspen	22.60 MBF	\$	78.00 / MBF
Mixed Hardwood	13.40 MBF	\$	60.00 / MBF
Sugar Maple	30.80 MBF	\$	233.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
B. T. Aspen	37.20 Cords	\$	13.90 / Cord
Sugar Maple	89.20 Cords	\$	8.00 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$867.28:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES Sawlogs	ESTIMATED VOLUME*	ADV	ERTISED PRICE
Beech	17.50 MBF	\$	17.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		Ŷ	
Beech	34.80 Cords	\$	10.60 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	22.70 Cords	\$	8.85 / Cord

*The volumes are statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 29.67 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 **\$592.00** to insure faithful performance of the conditions of the contract will be deposited by the successful bidder within 21 days of the sale award.

2. Cutting in any sale or unit without the required advance payment would be considered a trespass.

3. Total payment must be paid in advance or according to the following schedule:

(a) Ten percent (10%) of the sale value must be paid within 21 days of the sale award.

(b) The remainder is due before cutting begins.

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

5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 12/30/2013.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Thunder Mug Hardwoods Sale Number: 61-091-10-01

1 - Sale Area

1.2 - Boundaries

1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (12/08)

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

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

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

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

2.1.4 - Species designation unit(s) (12/08)Within Payment Unit(s) 1, all aspen and ironwood trees are designated for cutting regardless of merchantability.

2.2 - Utilization

2.2.4 - Skidding length (2/09)

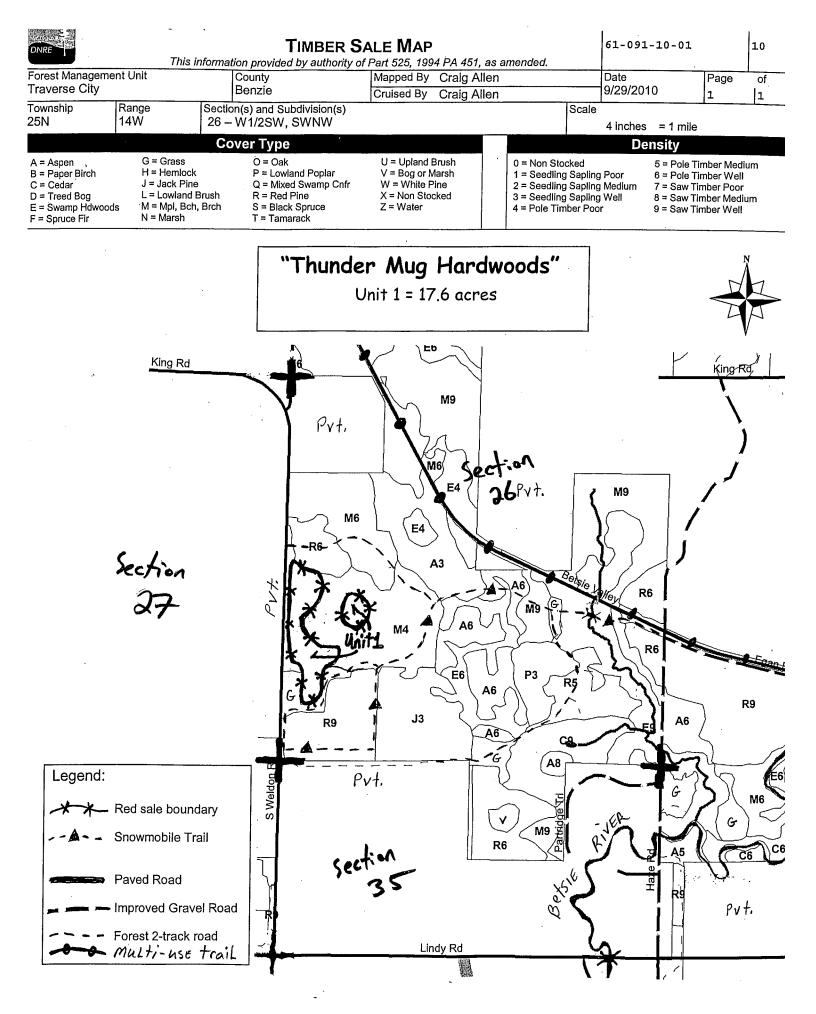
Skidding of unlimbed tops or lengths over 17 feet is not permissible unless approved by the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

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.



TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

TOTEM ASPEN (61-095-10-01)

T27N, R09W, SEC.12.

GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY (Advertised Price \$2,766.40)

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:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES Sawlogs	ESTIMATED VOLUME*	ADVERTISED PRIC	
B. T. Aspen	18.40 MBF	\$	90.00 / MBF
Pulpwood B. T. Aspen	64.00 Cords	\$	17.35 / Cord
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*The volumes are statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 33.31 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 **\$500.00** to insure faithful performance of the conditions of the contract will be deposited by the successful bidder within 21 days of the sale award.

- 2. Cutting in any sale or unit without the required advance payment would be considered a trespass.
- 3. Total payment must be paid in advance or according to the following schedule:
- (a) Ten percent (10%) of the sale value must be paid within 21 days of the sale award.(b) The remainder is due before cutting begins.
- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 09/30/2013.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Totem Aspen Sale Number: 61-095-10-01

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. Do not cut painted boundary line trees.

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

2.1.4 - Species designation unit(s) (12/08)Within Payment Unit(s) 1, all aspen trees are designated for cutting regardless of merchantability.

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 DBH and 4 inches for trees smaller than 10 inches DBH.

2.2.6 - Roundwood operation required (5/07)

The skidding of whole trees or tree segments with limbs attached is prohibitedThis is due to the lack of room for landings. All products must be produced as roundwood and forwarded to existing roads or landing areas in final product length.

4 - Transportation

4.2 - Maintenance

4.2.3 - Road maintenance (9/08)

The following road maintenance may be needed: Bowman Road is steeper near the sale area and will need some grading to make truck access possible. The most likely landing spot is in the old well pad at top of hill so road may need to be improved to this point.

4.2.4 - Grading (12/08)

Roads must be graded after the sale is completed. In general, this will require a road grader or bull dozer to shape up the roads after forest products have been hauled off site. The grading equipment to be used must be approved by the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

5 - Operations

5.1 - Notification

5.1.1 - Pre-sale conference (12/08)

A pre-sale conference on site between the Purchaser and sale administrator is required prior to beginning any operations to determine landing and road locations. The Unit Manager or his/her representative must be contacted at least 3 days in advance to schedule the conference.

5.1.4 - Post-sale conference (9/09)

A post-sale conference on site between the Purchaser and sale administrator is required 5 days prior to the completion of active logging operations to determine clean-up and repair of landings, road edges, and the fulfillment of other contract specifications.

5.2 - Conduct of Operations

5.2.1 - Slash

5.2.1.8 - Slash height (12/08) No slash or tree tops may exceed 30 inches in height.

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.

5.2.31 - Landing locations (10/09)

Recommended landing area is marked on the timber sale map (old well pad).

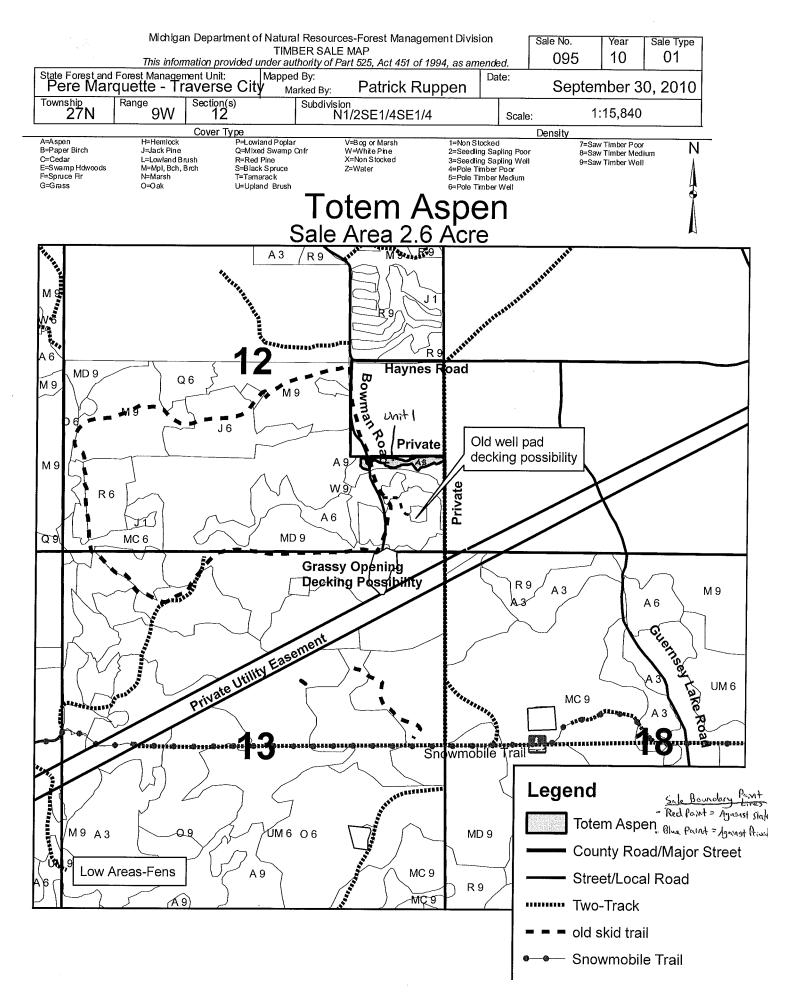
5.2.32 - Decking/landing restoration (9/10)

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. If openings are used for decking areas, revegetation may be required with application of a seed mix approved by area manager.

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.



BID FORM

SKID-A-WAY MIX (61-061-10-01)

T27N, R09W, SEC.13; GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY

In response to the notice of sale to be held 2:00PM on July 21, 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.

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED VOLUME*	ADVERTISED PRICE	BID PRICE
Sawlogs			
B. T. Aspen	83.00 MBF	\$ 87.00 / MBF	\$ / MBF
Pulpwood			
B. T. Aspen	238.60 Cords	\$ 13.65 / Cord	\$ / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$1,779.23:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED VOLUME*		ADVERTISED PRICE		
Sawlogs					
Mixed Hardwood	1.70	MBF	\$	81.00 / MBF	
Red Oak	4.00	MBF	\$	175.00 / MBF	
Pulpwood					
Jack Pine	3.00	Cords	\$	11.25 / Cord	
Mixed Hardwood	2.00	Cords	\$	8.75 / Cord	
Mixed Oak	56.00	Cords	\$	7.80 / Cord	
Q. Aspen	8.00	Cords	\$	7.90 / Cord	
Red Maple	33.50	Cords	\$	11.65 / Cord	

*The volumes are statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 22.09 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.

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 SECURIT	TY NUMBER:	
Company or individual bidding:			
Company representative's name:			
Address:			_
City:	State: Zi	ip:	-

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

Individual or company representative's signature:

Phone number :_____ Email (optional):_____

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TIMBER SALE VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE

FOR DEPARTMENT USE ONLY

Sale Number (XX – XXX – XX – XX)

Forest Management Unit:

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

VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE

- This verification must be completed and submitted within 21 days of contract award and prior to the issuance of the timber sale contract.
- In addition, if boxes 2B or 2C are checked, then Notice of Exclusion or Certificate of Insurance must be submitted within 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 <u>one</u> of the boxes below):
 - A. Sole Proprietorship (individual)
 - B. D 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.
- 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 occur in factors affecting my coverage durin		I agree to notify the Michigan DNRE of any changes that nt and future operations.
Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative		

Date

BID FORM

FEN ASPEN (61-085-10-01)

T27N, R09W, SEC.13; T27N, R09W, SEC.24; GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY

In response to the notice of sale to be held 2:00PM on July 21, 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.

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED	VOLUME*	<u>ADV</u>	ERTISED PRICE	BID PRICE	
Sawlogs						
B. T. Aspen	18.50	MBF	\$	79.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF
Pulpwood						
B. T. Aspen	134.00	Cords	\$	16.20 / Cord	\$	/ Cord
Red Maple	51.00	Cords	\$	13.05 / Cord	\$	/ Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$305.65 :

ESTIMATED VOLUME*		VERTISED PRICE
1.60 MBF	\$	154.00 / MBF
7.50 Cords	\$	7.90 / Cord
	1.60 MBF	1.60 MBF \$

*The volumes are statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 36.93 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.

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 SECU	JRITY NUMBER:	
Company or individual bidding:			
Company representative's name:			
Address:			_
City:	State:	Zip:	_

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

Individual or company representative's signature:		Date:
Phone number :	Email (optional):	

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TIMBER SALE VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE

FOR DEPARTMENT USE ONLY

Sale Number (XX – XXX – XX – XX)

Forest Management Unit:

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

VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE

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Please Check Appropriate Categories:

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 - A. Sole Proprietorship (individual)
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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.
- 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 occur in factors affecting my coverage during		I agree to notify the Michigan DNRE of any changes that nt and future operations.
Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative		

BID FORM

RIDGERUNNER MIX (61-086-10-01) T27N, R09W, SEC.13; GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY

In response to the notice of sale to be held 2:00PM on July 21, 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.

PRODUCTS & SPECIES Sawlogs	ESTIMATED	VOLUME*	<u>A</u>	VERTISED PRICE	BID PRIC	<u>)E</u>
B. T. Aspen	20.50	MBE	\$	89.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF
Red Oak	25.50		φ \$	163.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF
Pulpwood			Ŧ		·	
B. T. Aspen	89.00	Cords	\$	14.05 / Cord	\$	/ Cord
Mixed Oak	462.00	Cords	\$	8.00 / Cord	\$	/ Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$739.20:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED	VOLUME*	<u>ADV</u>	<u>'ERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs				
White Oak	8.30	MBF	\$	60.00 / MBF
Pulpwood				
Jack Pine	3.00	Cords	\$	11.60 / Cord
Red Maple	16.00	Cords	\$	12.90 / Cord

*The volumes are statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 13.77 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.

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 SECU	RITY NUMBER:	·
Company or individual bidding:			
Company representative's name:			
Address:			_
City:	State:	Zip:	_

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Individual or company representative's signature:

Phone number :_____ Email (optional):_____

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TIMBER SALE VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE

FOR DEPARTMENT USE ONLY

Sale Number (XX – XXX – XX – XX)

Forest Management Unit:

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

VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE

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- 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.
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Part-time Employees

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City	State	ZIP			
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Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative					

Date

BID FORM

STAPLE ASPEN (61-087-10-01)

T27N, R09W, SEC.01; GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY

In response to the notice of sale to be held 2:00PM on July 21, 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.

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED VOLU	<u>ME*</u> <u>AD</u>	VERTISED PRICE	BID PRICE	
Sawlogs					
B. T. Aspen	7.10 MBF	\$	71.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF
Pulpwood					
B. T. Aspen	140.00 Cords	\$	14.50 / Cord	\$	/ Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$382.55 :

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	<u>ESTIMATED</u>	VOLUME*	<u>AD'</u>	VERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs White Pine	2.30	MBF	\$	40.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			Ψ	
Mixed Hardwood	14.00	Cords	\$	9.25 / Cord
Mixed Oak	7.00	Cords	\$	8.25 / Cord
Red Pine	3.00	Cords	\$	12.80 / Cord
White Pine	11.00	Cords	\$	5.90 / Cord

*The volumes are statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 33.17 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.

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 SECU	IRITY NUMBER:	<u> </u>
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:

Phone number :_____ Email (optional):_____

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TIMBER SALE VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE

FOR DEPARTMENT USE ONLY

Sale Number (XX – XXX – XX – XX)

Forest Management Unit:

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

VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE

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BID FORM

THUNDER MUG HARDWOODS (61-091-10-01) T25N, R14W, SEC.26; BENZIE COUNTY

In response to the notice of sale to be held 2:00PM on July 21, 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.

PRODUCTS & SPECIES Sawlogs	<u>ESTIMATED</u>	VOLUME*	<u>AD</u>	VERTISED PRICE	BID PRICE	
B. T. Aspen	22.60	MBF	\$	78.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF
Mixed Hardwood	13.40	MBF	\$	60.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF
Sugar Maple	30.80	MBF	\$	233.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF
Pulpwood						
B. T. Aspen	37.20	Cords	\$	13.90 / Cord	\$	/ Cord
Sugar Maple	89.20	Cords	\$	8.00 / Cord	\$	/ Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$867.28 :

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED VOLUME*		AD∖	ERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs				
Beech	17.50	MBF	\$	17.00 / MBF
Pulpwood				
Beech	34.80	Cords	\$	10.60 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	22.70	Cords	\$	8.85 / Cord

*The volumes are statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 29.67 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.

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Company or individual bidding:			-
Company representative's name:			
Address:			_
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Individual or company representative's signature:	 Date:

Phone number :_____ Email (optional):_____

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BID FORM

TOTEM ASPEN (61-095-10-01)

T27N, R09W, SEC.12; GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY

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Sawlogs	40.40				•	
B. T. Aspen	18.40	MBF	\$	90.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF
Pulpwood	C4 00	Carda	•	17.05 / Cand	¢	
B. T. Aspen	64.00	Corus	\$	17.35 / Cord	Ф	/ Cord

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