



**DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES  
STATE OF MICHIGAN**

**TIMBER SALE PROSPECTUS #4605**

SCHEDULED SALE DATE AND TIME: 3:00 p.m. (local time) on May 14, 2012.

LOCATION: GWINN MGMT UNIT, 410 WEST M-35, GWINN, MI 49841.

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

LEISNER ASPEN (32-002-12-01) / T43N, R24W, SEC. 30, S1/2NW, N1/2SW.

T43N, R25W, SEC. 25, SENE, NESE.

Marquette County, Advertised Price \$25,775.75, 86.0 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 land.

ESCANABA R. CAMPSITE ASPEN (32-003-12-01) / T43N, R25W, SEC. 03, S1/2NW, N1/2SW.

Marquette County, Advertised Price \$6,359.50, 20.0 Acres

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ESCANABA RIVER RD #2 (32-005-12-01) / T43N, R24W, SEC. 29, SWSW.

T43N, R24W, SEC. 30, SENW, SWNE, N1/2SE, SESE.

Marquette County, Advertised Price \$14,568.90, 31.0 Acres

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ESCANABA RIVER RD #1 (32-006-12-01) / T43N, R24W, SEC. 29, W1/2SE, E1/2SW, SWSW.

T43N, R24W, SEC. 32, N1/2NW, SWNW.

Marquette County, Advertised Price \$33,998.50, 61.0 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.

DADS PLACE ASPEN (32-007-12-01) / T43N, R24W, SEC. 32, S1/2NE.

Marquette County, Advertised Price \$9,849.90, 23.0 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 land.

## BID INSTRUCTIONS (VER. 02/13/2012):

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

Bids must be received by the Unit Manager, GWINN OFFICE, 410 WEST M-35, GWINN, MI 49841, no later than 3:00 p.m. (local time) on May 14, 2012. For further information concerning this sale, contact Jim Ferris at 906-346-9201.

### 2. Bidder's Qualifications (2/12)

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/FRD No-Bid List. This list contains the names of purchasers who previously failed to execute a contract within 21-days or who have a history of poor performance.

### 3. Preparation of Sealed Bids (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](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 (10/11)

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 Pure 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

### LEISNER ASPEN (32-002-12-01)

T43N, R24W, SEC. 30; T43N, R25W, SEC. 25.

Marquette County (Advertised Price \$25,775.75)

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

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Pulpwood		
Balsam Fir	194.00 Cords	\$ 20.15 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	312.00 Cords	\$ 18.00 / Cord
Mixed Softwood	77.00 Cords	\$ 25.90 / Cord
Q. Aspen	651.00 Cords	\$ 20.85 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$683.00:

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Mixed Hardwood	0.20 MBF	\$ 112.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
B. Poplar	12.00 Cords	\$ 15.05 / Cord
Paper Birch	25.00 Cords	\$ 19.20 / Cord

\* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 10.56 percent. The estimated units are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

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

1. A bond in the amount of **\$1,289.00** 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	11%
02	55%
03	34%
4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 05/31/2014.

## Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Leisner Aspen Sale Number: 32-002-12-01

### 1 - Sale Area

#### 1.2 - Boundaries

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

The sale boundary is marked and identified by red paint. Interior Payment Unit boundaries are marked with green paint. Do not cut painted boundary line trees unless also marked with orange paint. Green 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

##### 2.1.2 - Clearcut unit(s) w/o unmerchantable trees (8/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 2 and 3, cut all aspen, balsam poplar, balsam fir, maple, tamarack and black spruce trees which meet minimum piece specifications in 2.2 Utilization. In addition, cut all white spruce containing 3 sticks or more of merchantable height.

##### 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, all balsam fir, aspen, balsam poplar and paper birch which meet minimum piece specification may be cut.

##### 2.1.11 - Description of timber note (2/04)

Note that Mixed Softwood includes all black spruce, tamarack, and only white spruce greater than 3 sticks of merchantable height.

#### 2.2 - Utilization

##### 2.2.10 - No chipping tops and limbs (12/08)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 - 3, chipping of the bole, 2-inches in diameter or greater, is allowed. Chipping of limbs or portions of the tree less than 2-inches in diameter is not permitted. Limbs and the remaining top must be left on site and scattered.

### 3 - Payments

#### 3.3 - Pre-measured Sales

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

Payment unit(s) 2 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.

### 4 - Transportation

#### 4.1 - Construction

##### 4.1.4 - Timber removed for construction (12/09)

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

##### 4.1.6 - Road construction (1/09)

Construction of new roads or improvements of existing roads shall be done in such a way as to minimize the environmental and visual impacts. Merchantable trees shall be cut and utilized unless otherwise directed. Non-merchantable trees shall be severed and laid flat on the ground. Slash shall be scattered, and not left in windrows and kept a minimum of 10 feet back from the road edge. Stumps shall be set upright, not left on edge, and be moved at least 10 feet away from the road edge. Disturbed soil shall be feathered into the woods and not left in berms or windrows.

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

All new roads built into the sale must be blocked to vehicle traffic upon completion of the sale. In general, this will require dispersing slash, stumps and logs into the roadbed. All stumps from road building and landing construction must be reserved to block any newly constructed roads upon completion of the sale. These stumps must be scattered along the road system to

prohibit vehicular movement. Contact the sale administrator for specific details of design and placement.

#### 4.2 - Maintenance

##### 4.2.1 - Hauling restriction (12/08)

Hauling will be restricted on private access roads by the Unit Manager or his/her representative. The restriction will occur during spring breakup and/or if conditions exist which will severely impact the road integrity.

##### 4.2.5 - Two wheel drive condition (2/04)

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

#### 4.4 - Access

##### 4.4.1 - Private property access (3/11)

Permission for access across private land has been obtained by the DNR.

### 5 - Operations

#### 5.2 - Conduct of Operations

##### 5.2.1 - Slash

###### 5.2.1.8 - Slash height (12/08)

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

###### 5.2.1.10 - No slash in openings (5/10)

No brush or logging debris is to be left in the opening(s) which are indicated by G0 on the Timber Sale Map (at the bridge location). Any damage to the opening shall be repaired according to specifications of the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

##### 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 (9/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 - 3, unless changed by written agreement, cutting, skidding, and hauling are limited to the period of December 15th to March 15th (spring break-up). This restriction is due to private access permission granted, and risk of soil compaction.

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

Timber harvesting in any Payment Unit must be completed before significant aspen sprouting occurs in that Payment Unit so as to minimize damage to the new regeneration. 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.

###### 5.2.32 - Decking/landing restoration (9/11)

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

#### 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

#### 7.5 - Loss

##### 7.5.1 - Deteriorating timber (7/09)

The sale area has received damage from windthrow and mortality. The purchaser should harvest the wood as soon as

possible. The Department of Natural Resources is held free of responsibility of any further damage or deterioration due to delay in harvesting.





# TIMBER SALE MAP

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

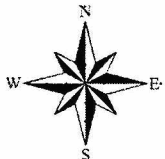
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Forest Management Unit <b>Gwinn</b>		County <b>Marquette</b>	Mapped By <b>T Sysol</b>	Date <b>10/26/11</b>	Page <b>1</b>	of <b>1</b>
Township <b>43 N</b>	Range <b>25/24 W</b>	Section(s) and Subdivision(s) <b>25 SENE, NESE 30 S 1/2 NW, N 1/2 SW</b>				
Cover Type			Density			
A = Aspen	G = Grass	O = Oak	U = Upland Brush	0 = Non Stocked	5 = Pole Timber Medium	
B = Paper Birch	H = Hemlock	P = Lowland Poplar	V = Bog or Marsh	1 = Seedling Sapling Poor	6 = Pole Timber Well	
C = Cedar	J = Jack Pine	Q = Mixed Swamp Cnfr	W = White Pine	2 = Seedling Sapling Medium	7 = Saw Timber Poor	
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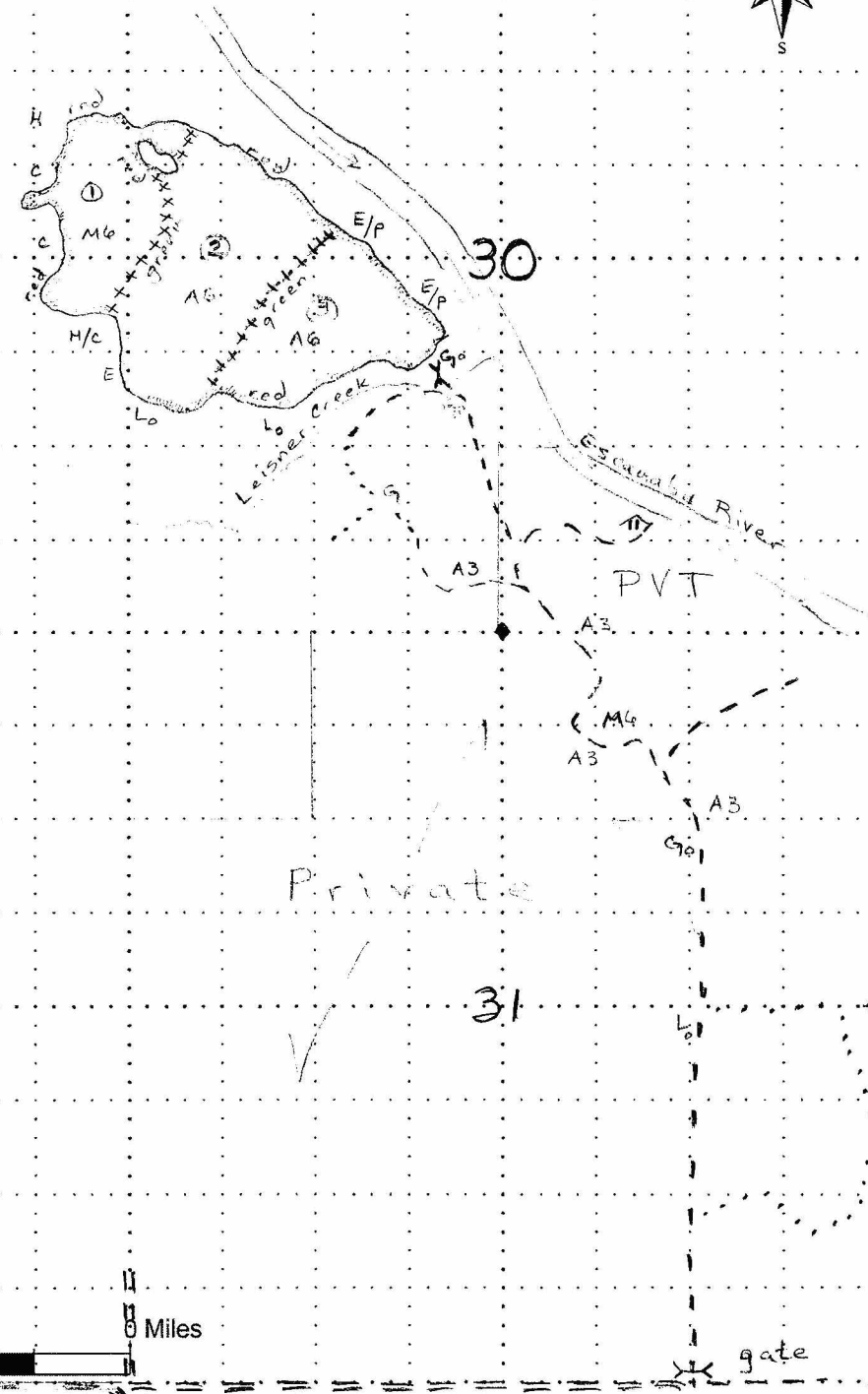
## LEISNER ASPEN

8.6 acres



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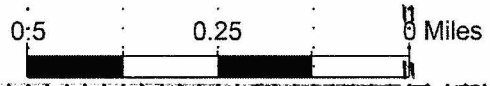
- Sale Area (red)
- Unit Lines xxx (green)
- Unit Number ①
- Survey corner ♦
- Paved County Road
- Good Gravel Road
- Gate X
- Bridge site X (Leisner Creek)
- Two-track road - - - -
- Camp ↑
- Trails .....

36

31

Unit 1 = .22 acs.  
 Unit 2 = 38 acs.  
 Unit 3 = 26 acs.  
 86 acres

← 4.5 miles to Watson



Co Rd S I

gate



# TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

ESCANABA R. CAMPSITE ASPEN (32-003-12-01)

T43N, R25W, SEC. 03.

Marquette County (Advertised Price \$6,359.50)

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Pulpwood		
Balsam Fir	63.00 Cords	\$ 21.90 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	20.00 Cords	\$ 18.35 / Cord
Q. Aspen	186.00 Cords	\$ 24.80 / Cord

\* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 21.52 percent. The estimated units are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

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

1. A bond in the amount of **\$318.00** 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 11/30/2014.

## Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Escanaba R. Campsite Aspen Sale Number: 32-003-12-01

### 2 - Timber Specifications

#### 2.1 - Included Timber

##### 2.1.2 - Clearcut unit(s) w/o unmerchantable trees (8/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, cut all aspen, balsam fir, red maple and sugar maple trees which meet minimum piece specifications in 2.2 Utilization. DO NOT CUT ANY SPRUCE, YELLOW BIRCH, PAPER BIRCH, CHERRY, ELM OR ASH which may be present.

#### 2.2 - Utilization

##### 2.2.10 - No chipping tops and limbs (12/08)

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#### 4.1 - Construction

##### 4.1.6 - Road construction (1/09)

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##### 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

##### 4.2.3 - Road maintenance (9/08)

The following road maintenance is needed: Maintain the Escanaba River Road in a condition as good or better by grading, dragging and/or leveling, and fill holes where they exist or where they are expected to develop due to operations.

##### 4.2.5 - Two wheel drive condition (2/04)

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### 5 - Operations

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5.4.1 - Rutting restriction, general (1/09)

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**7 - Other Conditions**

7.5 - Loss

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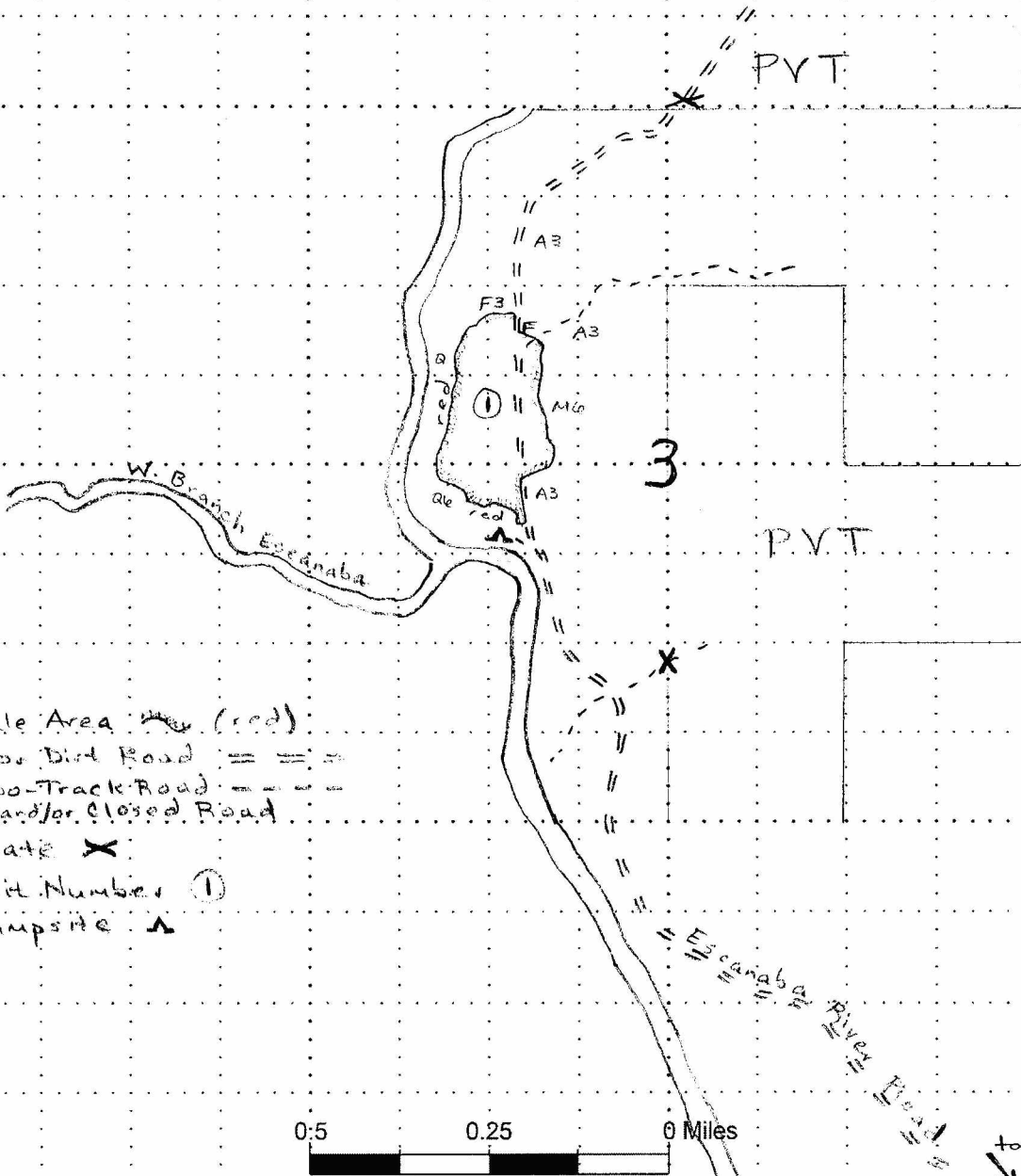
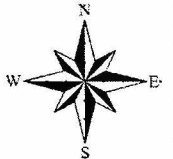
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Forest Management Unit Gwinn		County Marquette	Mapped By T Sysoi	Date 11/15/11	Page 1	of 1
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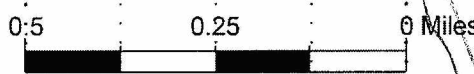
Poor Dirt Road

Two-Track Road and/or Closed Road

Gate X

Unit Number ①

Campsite ▲



to W. Rock Road 2.5 miles

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<u>PAYMENT UNIT NUMBER</u>	<u>PERCENT OF TOTAL SALE VALUE</u>
01	60%
02	40%
4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 05/31/2015.

## Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Escanaba River Rd #2 Sale Number: 32-005-12-01

### 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

##### 2.1.2 - Clearcut unit(s) w/o unmerchantable trees (8/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 and 2, cut all aspen, balsam poplar, red maple, basswood, ironwood, and tamarack trees which meet minimum piece specifications in 2.2 Utilization. In addition, cut all balsam fir and spruce which are greater than 6" stump diameter (i.e. 2 merchantable sticks of pulpwood or greater). Do not cut any smaller balsam fir and spruce. DO NOT CUT ANY CEDAR, HEMLOCK, WHITE PINE, SUGAR MAPLE, YELLOW BIRCH, PAPER BIRCH, ELM, ASH OR CHERRY. DO NOT CUT ANY BASSWOOD MARKED WITH GREEN PAINT.

##### 2.1.11 - Description of timber note (2/04)

Note that mixed hardwood includes red maple, basswood, ironwood and balsam poplar. Mixed softwood includes balsam fir, black and white spruce, and tamarack.

##### 2.1.15 - Hazard trees near roads (9/11)

Cut and remove all standing dead trees within 30 feet of the cleared portion of the Escanaba River Road. These cut snags may be utilized or scattered back into the sale area.

#### 2.2 - Utilization

##### 2.2.8 - Utilization and removal (2/11)

All products meeting standards set forth in 2.2 Utilization must be removed from the sale area. Retain on site more than 1/6 to 1/3 of the slash from harvested trees (tree tops and limbs less than four inches in diameter).

### 4 - Transportation

#### 4.1 - Construction

##### 4.1.3 - Slash and earthen piles (8/04)

Piles or windrows of earth along roads and landings that have been widened or constructed shall be leveled. Slash from road maintenance or construction, including stumps, shall be dispersed throughout the sale.

##### 4.1.6 - Road construction (1/09)

Improvements of existing roads shall be done in such a way as to minimize the environmental and visual impacts. Merchantable trees shall be cut and utilized unless otherwise directed. Non-merchantable trees shall be severed and laid flat on the ground. Slash shall be scattered, and not left in windrows and kept a minimum of 10 feet back from the road edge. Stumps shall be set upright, not left on edge, and be moved at least 10 feet away from the road edge. Disturbed soil shall be feathered into the woods and not left in berms or windrows.

##### 4.1.12 - 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

##### 4.2.1 - Hauling restriction (12/08)

Hauling may be restricted on forest roads by the Unit Manager or his/her representative. The restriction may occur during spring breakup or during prolonged wet weather conditions.

##### 4.2.5 - Two wheel drive condition (2/04)

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



sale.

## **5 - Operations**

### 5.2 - Conduct of Operations

#### 5.2.1 - Slash

##### 5.2.1.2 - Slash Removal

###### 5.2.1.2.1 - Slash removal, right-of-way (12/04)

All slash must be removed at least 10 feet from the cleared right-of-way of the Escanaba River Road.

#### 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

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

Timber harvesting in any Payment Unit must be completed before significant aspen sprouting occurs in that Payment Unit so as to minimize damage to the new regeneration. Any post harvest operations, such as chipping, must be completed before sprouting of regeneration occurs. If it is anticipated that chipping and hauling will be delayed, then tops shall be left unchipped and dispersed. The Unit Manager or his/her representative may cease such operations if sprouting occurs before the operation is complete.

##### 5.2.32 - Decking/landing restoration (9/11)

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

## **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 the Escanaba River 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.

## **7 - Other Conditions**

### 7.5 - Loss

#### 7.5.1 - Deteriorating timber (7/09)

The sale area has received damage from windthrow. The purchaser should harvest the wood as soon as possible. The Department of Natural Resources is held free of responsibility of any further damage or deterioration due to delay in harvesting.



**TIMBER SALE MAP**

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Sale Number

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32-005

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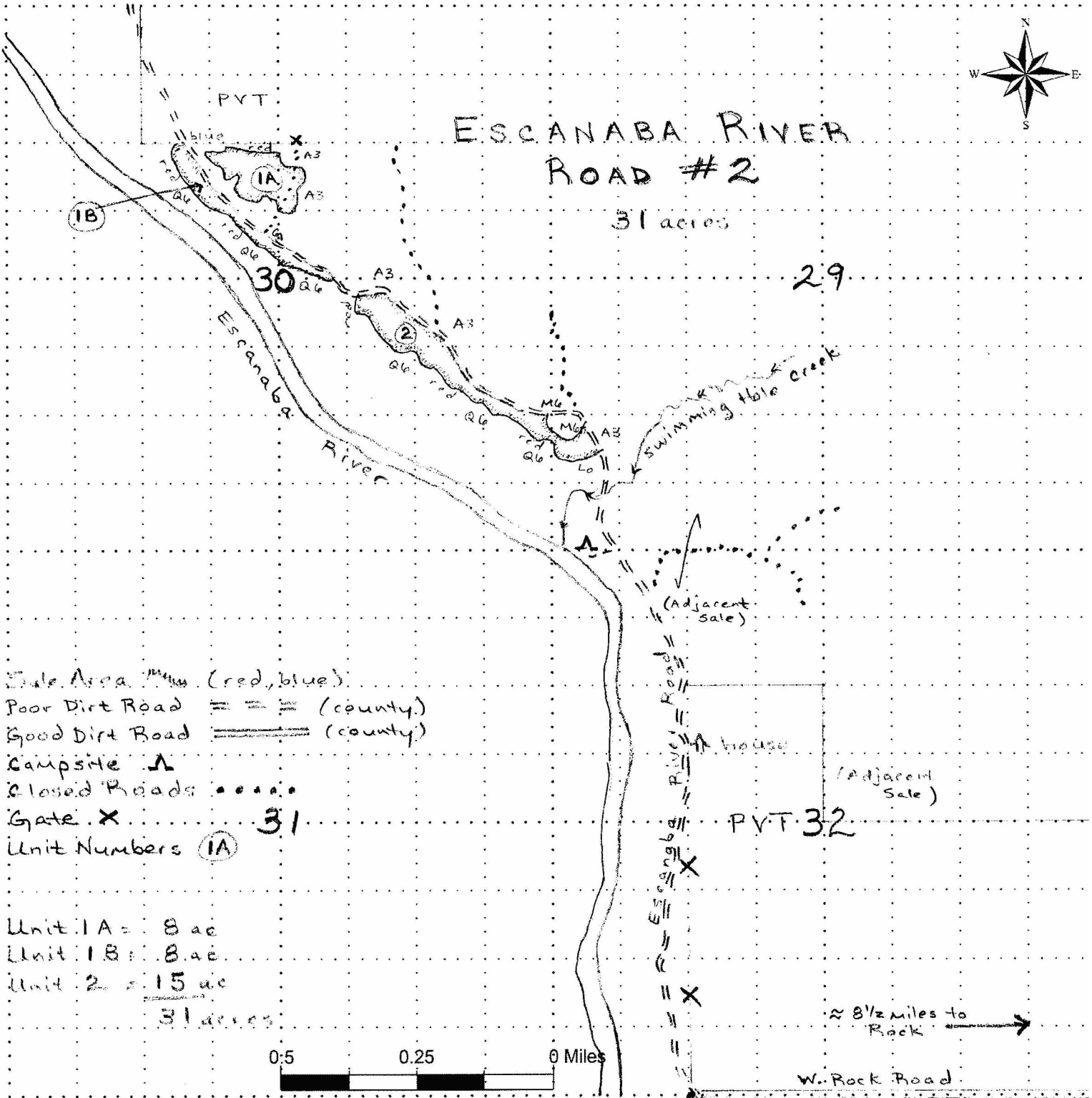
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Township 43N	Range 24W	Section(s) and Subdivision(s) 30 SENW, SWNE, N <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> SE, SESE	29 SWSW
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**Cover Type**

**Density**

A = Aspen	G = Grass	O = Oak	U = Upland Brush	0 = Non Stocked	5 = Pole Timber Medium
B = Paper Birch	H = Hemlock	P = Lowland Poplar	V = Bog or Marsh	1 = Seedling Sapling Poor	6 = Pole Timber Well
C = Cedar	J = Jack Pine	Q = Mixed Swamp Cnfr	W = White Pine	2 = Seedling Sapling Medium	7 = Saw Timber Poor
D = Treed Bog	L = Lowland Brush	R = Red Pine	X = Non Stocked	3 = Seedling Sapling Well	8 = Saw Timber Medium
E = Swamp Hdwoods	M = Mpl, Bch, Brch	S = Black Spruce	Z = Water	4 = Pole Timber Poor	9 = Saw Timber Well
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Sale Area (red, blue)  
 Poor Dirt Road = = = (county)  
 Good Dirt Road = = = (county)  
 Campsite  $\Delta$   
 Closed Roads .....  
 Gate X  
 Unit Numbers (1A) 31

Unit 1A = 8 ac  
 Unit 1B = 8 ac  
 Unit 2 = 15 ac  
 31 acres

## TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

ESCANABA RIVER RD #1 (32-006-12-01)  
 T43N, R24W, SEC. 29; T43N, R24W, SEC. 32.  
 Marquette County (Advertised Price \$33,998.50)

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:

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Pulpwood		
Balsam Fir	108.00 Cords	\$ 29.35 / Cord
Black Spruce	376.00 Cords	\$ 31.40 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	109.00 Cords	\$ 26.10 / Cord
Q. Aspen	299.00 Cords	\$ 31.90 / Cord
Tamarack	227.00 Cords	\$ 24.90 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$987.00:

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Pulpwood		
Paper Birch	35.00 Cords	\$ 28.20 / Cord

\* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 11.17 percent. The estimated units are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

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

1. A bond in the amount of **\$1,700.00** 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	53%
02	47%
4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 05/31/2015.

## Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Escanaba River Rd #1 Sale Number: 32-006-12-01

### 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 green paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. Interior Payment Unit boundaries are marked with green paint. Do not cut painted boundary line trees. Green painted trees designating an interior Payment Unit boundary are only to be cut when all surrounding Payment Units have been paid for and if they are a designated cut species.

### 2 - Timber Specifications

#### 2.1 - Included Timber

##### 2.1.7 - Leave tree marked unit(s) (8/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, 2A and 2B, all aspen, balsam poplar, paper birch, red maple, basswood, balsam fir, black spruce and tamarack trees, which meet minimum piece specifications in 2.2 Utilization, are designated for cutting. Do not cut any paper birch or basswood trees marked with green paint above and below stump height (located within Unit 2B). In addition, within Payment Unit 2B, additional aspen, balsam poplar and balsam fir trees are designated for cutting when marked with orange paint above and below stump height, regardless of merchantability. These are located along both sides of the Escanaba River Road (~2 dozen trees), starting north of the campground road and stopping prior to crossing Swimming Hole Creek. DO NOT CUT ANY SUGAR MAPLE, YELLOW BIRCH, CHERRY, ELM, ASH, CEDAR, HEMLOCK, WHITE PINE OR WHITE SPRUCE.

##### 2.1.11 - Description of timber note (2/04)

Note that mixed hardwood includes red maple, basswood and balsam poplar.

##### 2.1.15 - Hazard trees near roads (9/11)

Cut and remove all standing dead trees within 30 feet of the cleared portion of the Escanaba River Road. These cut snags may be utilized or scattered back into the sale area.

#### 2.2 - Utilization

##### 2.2.8 - Utilization and removal (2/11)

All products meeting standards set forth in 2.2 Utilization must be removed from the sale area. Retain on site more than 1/6 to 1/3 of the slash from harvested trees (tree tops and limbs less than four inches in diameter).

### 4 - Transportation

#### 4.1 - Construction

##### 4.1.3 - Slash and earthen piles (8/04)

Piles or windrows of earth along roads and landings that have been widened or constructed shall be leveled. Slash from road maintenance or construction, including stumps, shall be dispersed throughout the sale.

##### 4.1.6 - Road construction (1/09)

Construction of new roads or improvements of existing roads shall be done in such a way as to minimize the environmental and visual impacts. Merchantable trees shall be cut and utilized unless otherwise directed. Non-merchantable trees shall be severed and laid flat on the ground. Slash shall be scattered, and not left in windrows and kept a minimum of 10 feet back from the road edge. Stumps shall be set upright, not left on edge, and be moved at least 10 feet away from the road edge. Disturbed soil shall be feathered into the woods and not left in berms or windrows.

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

All new roads built into the sale must be blocked to vehicle traffic upon completion of the sale. Overgrown roads that are reopened shall be reblocked. These roads must be rendered impassable to ORV's and trucks. All stumps and brush from road building and landing construction must be reserved to block any newly constructed roads upon completion of the sale. These stumps and brush must be scattered along the road system to prohibit vehicular movement. Any skid trails which may be driveable should be blocked also. Temporary berms may be required if no sale activity occurs for 30 or more consecutive days. Contact the sale administrator for specific details of design and placement.

## 4.2 - Maintenance

### 4.2.1 - Hauling restriction (12/08)

Hauling may be restricted on forest roads by the Unit Manager or his/her representative. The restriction may occur during spring breakup or during prolonged wet weather conditions.

### 4.2.5 - Two wheel drive condition (2/04)

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

## 5 - Operations

### 5.2 - Conduct of Operations

#### 5.2.1 - Slash

##### 5.2.1.2 - Slash Removal

###### 5.2.1.2.1 - Slash removal, right-of-way (12/04)

All slash must be removed at least 10 feet from the cleared right-of-way of the Escanaba River Road.

#### 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 (9/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, unless changed by written agreement, cutting, skidding, and hauling are limited to the period of December 1st to March 15th. This restriction is due to wet grounds which will require frozen conditions to operate.

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

Timber harvesting in any Payment Unit must be completed before significant aspen sprouting occurs in that Payment Unit so as to minimize damage to the new regeneration. Any post harvest operations, such as chipping, must be completed before sprouting of regeneration occurs. If it is anticipated that chipping and hauling 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.

##### 5.2.32 - Decking/landing restoration (9/11)

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

### 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.

## 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 the Escanaba River 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.

## 7 - Other Conditions

### 7.5 - Loss

#### 7.5.1 - Deteriorating timber (7/09)

The sale area has received damage from windthrow. The purchaser should harvest the wood as soon as possible. The Department of Natural Resources is held free of responsibility of any further damage or deterioration due to delay in harvesting.





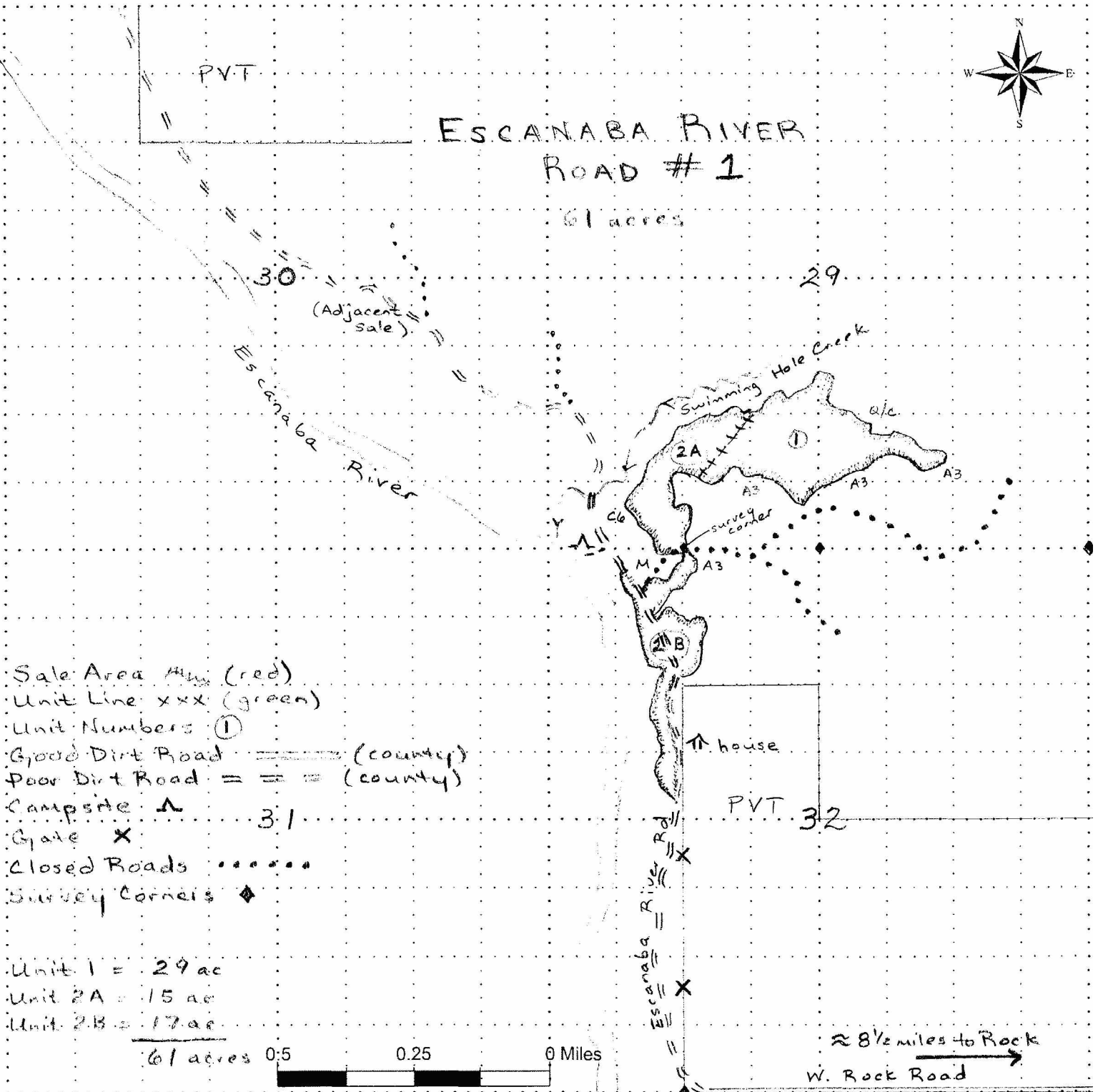
### TIMBER SALE MAP

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Township 43N	Range 24W	Section(s) and Subdivision(s) 29 W $\frac{1}{2}$ SE, E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW, SWSW	32 N $\frac{1}{2}$ NW, SWNW		

Cover Type				Density			
A = Aspen	G = Grass	O = Oak	U = Upland Brush	0 = Non Stocked	5 = Pole Timber Medium		
B = Paper Birch	H = Hemlock	P = Lowland Poplar	V = Bog or Marsh	1 = Seedling Sapling Poor	6 = Pole Timber Well		
C = Cedar	J = Jack Pine	Q = Mixed Swamp Cnfr	W = White Pine	2 = Seedling Sapling Medium	7 = Saw Timber Poor		
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F = Spruce Fir	N = Marsh	T = Tamarack					



- Sale Area  $\equiv$  (red)
- Unit Line xxx (green)
- Unit Numbers ①
- Good Dirt Road  $\equiv$  (county)
- Poor Dirt Road  $\equiv$  (county)
- Campsite  $\wedge$  3.1
- Gate X
- Closed Roads  $\dots\dots$
- Survey Corners  $\blacklozenge$

Unit 1 = 29 ac  
 Unit 2A = 15 ac  
 Unit 2B = 17 ac



$\approx$  8 1/2 miles to Rock  
 W. Rock Road  $\rightarrow$





## TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

DADS PLACE ASPEN (32-007-12-01)

T43N, R24W, SEC. 32.

Marquette County (Advertised Price \$9,849.90)

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 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 UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Pulpwood		
Balsam Fir	65.00 Cords	\$ 25.00 / Cord
Q. Aspen	231.00 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 \$1,063.90:

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Basswood	2.20 MBF	\$ 127.00 / MBF
Sugar Maple	0.80 MBF	\$ 400.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Basswood	10.00 Cords	\$ 14.50 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	15.00 Cords	\$ 21.30 / Cord

\* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 22.60 percent. The estimated units are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

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

1. A bond in the amount of **\$492.00** 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 05/31/2015.

## Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Dads Place Aspen Sale Number: 32-007-12-01

### 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 unless also marked with orange paint.

### 2 - Timber Specifications

#### 2.1 - Included Timber

##### 2.1.7 - Leave tree marked unit(s) (8/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, all aspen, balsam fir and paper birch trees, which meet minimum piece specifications in 2.2 Utilization, are designated for cutting. In addition, cut all maple, basswood, and ironwood trees marked with orange paint above and below stump height regardless of merchantability. DO NOT CUT ANY CEDAR, HEMLOCK, WHITE PINE, WHITE SPRUCE, ELM, ASH, CHERRY OR YELLOW BIRCH.

#### 2.2 - Utilization

##### 2.2.4 - Skidding length (2/11)

Skidding of unlimbed tops or lengths over 17 feet is not permissible.

##### 2.2.8 - Utilization and removal (2/11)

All products not meeting standards set forth in 2.2 Utilization may not be removed from the sale area, e.g. tops.

##### 2.2.9 - No chipping permitted (12/08)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, all wood must be removed by tree segment or roundwood. No chipping is permitted.

### 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 50% 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 \$100 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, or at a rate of \$50 per sawtimber tree and \$10 per pole sized tree, whichever is greater.

### 4 - Transportation

#### 4.1 - Construction

##### 4.1.6 - Road construction (1/09)

Construction of new roads or improvements of existing roads shall be done in such a way as to minimize the environmental and visual impacts. Merchantable trees shall be cut and utilized unless otherwise directed. Non-merchantable trees shall be severed and laid flat on the ground. Slash shall be scattered, and not left in windrows and kept a minimum of 10 feet back from the road edge. Stumps shall be set upright, not left on edge, and be moved at least 10 feet away from the road edge. Disturbed soil shall be feathered into the woods and not left in berms or windrows.

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

All new roads built into the sale must be blocked to vehicle traffic within 30 days of completion of hauling. Overgrown roads that are reopened shall be considered new roads. In general, stumps from road building and landing construction must be reserved to block any newly constructed roads upon completion of the sale. These stumps must be scattered along the road system to prohibit vehicular movement. Contact the sale administrator for specific details of design and placement.

#### 4.4 - Access

##### 4.4.1 - Private property access (3/11)

Permission for access across private land is the responsibility of the purchaser. Written permission from the private land-owner may be required by the DNR.

### 5 - Operations

#### 5.2 - Conduct of Operations

##### 5.2.1 - Slash

###### 5.2.1.8 - Slash height (12/08)

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

###### 5.2.1.10 - No slash in openings (5/10)

No brush or logging debris is to be left, or landings created, in the maintained wildlife opening which is indicated by G0 on the Timber Sale Map. Any damage to the opening shall be repaired according to specifications of the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

##### 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

###### 5.2.3.3 - Bark slippage restriction (3/09)

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 restriction is because of bark slippage within the hardwood area of the sale.

##### 5.2.22 - Operating Caution

###### 5.2.22.1 - Operating caution (6/11)

It is recommended, but not required, that within Payment Unit(s) 1, cutting, skidding, and hauling occur during dry summer or frozen winter conditions. The reason for the recommendation is due to access issues.

##### 5.2.32 - Decking/landing restoration (9/11)

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

##### 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.



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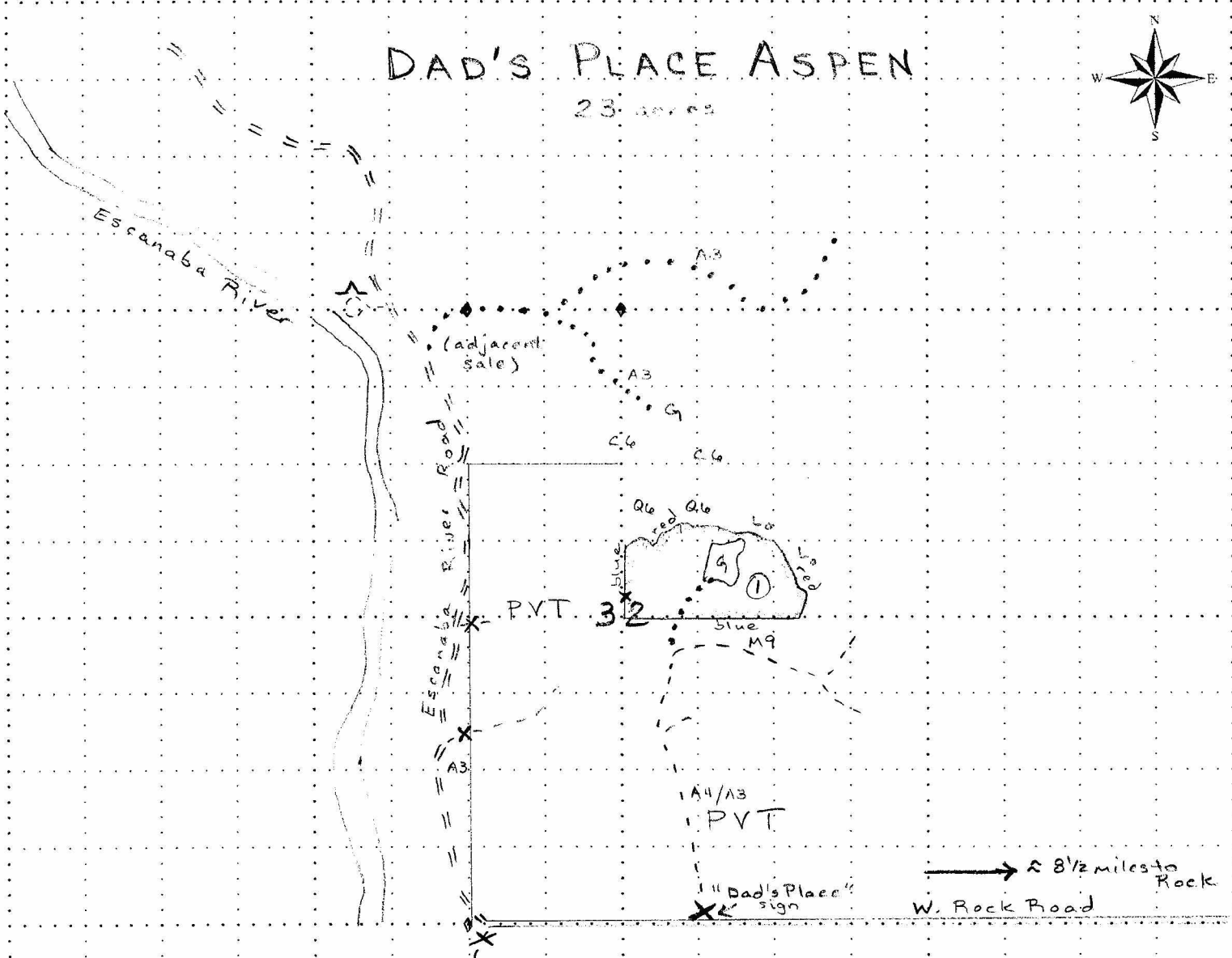
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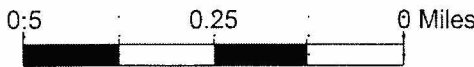
**DAD'S PLACE ASPEN**

23 acres



Sale Area (red, blue)

- Gates(s) X
- Good Dirt Road (county)
- Poor Dirt Road (county)
- Two-Track Road
- Closed Road
- Survey corner
- Campsite
- Unit Number ①



LEISNER ASPEN (32-002-12-01)  
T43N, R24W, SEC. 30; T43N, R25W, SEC. 25, Marquette County

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<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Pulpwood		
Balsam Fir	194.00 Cords	\$ 20.15 / Cord \$ _____ / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	312.00 Cords	\$ 18.00 / Cord \$ _____ / Cord
Mixed Softwood	77.00 Cords	\$ 25.90 / Cord \$ _____ / Cord
Q. Aspen	651.00 Cords	\$ 20.85 / Cord \$ _____ / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$683.00 :

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Mixed Hardwood	0.20 MBF	\$ 112.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
B. Poplar	12.00 Cords	\$ 15.05 / Cord
Paper Birch	25.00 Cords	\$ 19.20 / Cord

\* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 10.56 percent. The estimated units are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

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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

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Part 525 of Act 451 of 1994, as amended.*

<b>FOR DEPARTMENT USE ONLY</b>
Sale Number (XX - XXX - XX - XX)
Forest Management Unit:

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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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  - 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.*

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
Title

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**BID FORM**

ESCANABA R. CAMPSITE ASPEN (32-003-12-01)  
T43N, R25W, SEC. 03, Marquette County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 3:00 p.m. (local time) on May 14, 2012, 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 UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Pulpwood		
Balsam Fir	63.00 Cords	\$ 21.90 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	20.00 Cords	\$ 18.35 / Cord
Q. Aspen	186.00 Cords	\$ 24.80 / Cord

\* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 21.52 percent. The estimated units are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

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:	

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  - 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

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

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Title

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date



ESCANABA RIVER RD #2 (32-005-12-01)  
T43N, R24W, SEC. 29; T43N, R24W, SEC. 30, Marquette County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 3:00 p.m. (local time) on May 14, 2012, 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 UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Pulpwood		
Mixed Hardwood	77.00 Cords	\$ 26.10 / Cord
Mixed Softwood	152.00 Cords	\$ 39.90 / Cord
Q. Aspen	198.00 Cords	\$ 32.80 / Cord

\* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 14.69 percent. The estimated units are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

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

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

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

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Title

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

ESCANABA RIVER RD #1 (32-006-12-01)  
T43N, R24W, SEC. 29; T43N, R24W, SEC. 32, Marquette County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 3:00 p.m. (local time) on May 14, 2012, 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 UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Pulpwood		
Balsam Fir	108.00 Cords	\$ 29.35 / Cord
Black Spruce	376.00 Cords	\$ 31.40 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	109.00 Cords	\$ 26.10 / Cord
Q. Aspen	299.00 Cords	\$ 31.90 / Cord
Tamarack	227.00 Cords	\$ 24.90 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$987.00 :

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Pulpwood		
Paper Birch	35.00 Cords	\$ 28.20 / Cord

\* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 11.17 percent. The estimated units are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

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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**

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Part 525 of Act 451 of 1994, as amended.*

FOR DEPARTMENT USE ONLY	
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Forest Management Unit:	

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

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**BID FORM**

DADS PLACE ASPEN (32-007-12-01)  
T43N, R24W, SEC. 32, Marquette County

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Pulpwood		
Balsam Fir	65.00 Cords	\$ 25.00 / Cord
Q. Aspen	231.00 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 \$1,063.90 :

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Basswood	2.20 MBF	\$ 127.00 / MBF
Sugar Maple	0.80 MBF	\$ 400.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Basswood	10.00 Cords	\$ 14.50 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	15.00 Cords	\$ 21.30 / Cord

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# TIMBER SALE

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Forest Management Unit:	

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