



**DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
STATE OF MICHIGAN**

TIMBER SALE PROSPECTUS #4758

SCHEDULED SALE DATE AND TIME: 11:00 a.m. (local time) on October 24, 2012.

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

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

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

SAGUARO ASPEN (73-008-12-01) / T14N, R02W, SEC. 21, S1/2SW.

T14N, R02W, SEC. 28, SWSW.

T14N, R02W, SEC. 32, NW1/4.

T14N, R02W, SEC. 33, NWNW.

Midland County, Advertised Price \$37,136.10, 129.0 Acres

SALE NOTE: For PU#2,3 & 5 cutting & skidding are limited to period 07/15-09/30 and 01/01-03/15 due to wet soil conditions.

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

BEAR PAW (73-011-12-01) / T20N, R02E, SEC. 09.

T20N, R02E, SEC. 22, NE 1/4, NW 1/4, N 1/2 SW.

T20N, R02E, SEC. 23, NW/NW, SW/NW.

Gladwin County, Advertised Price \$37,803.10, 74.0 Acres

SALE NOTE: Within PU#1,2 & 3 unless otherwise approved cutting & skidding are allowed only during periods of 07/15-09/30 and 01/01-03/15 due to wet soil conditions.

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

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

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

Bids must be received by the Unit Manager, GLADWIN OFFICE, 801 N SILVERLEAF, GLADWIN, MI 48624, no later than 11:00 a.m. (local time) on October 24, 2012. For further information concerning this sale, contact Jason Hartman at 989-426-9205 extension 7640.

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. 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.

KEITH CREAGH
Director

TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

SAGUARO ASPEN (73-008-12-01)

T14N, R02W, SEC. 21; T14N, R02W, SEC. 28; T14N, R02W, SEC. 32; T14N,
R02W, SEC. 33.

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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 & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Mixed Aspen	71.20 MBF	\$ 54.00 / MBF
Red Maple	23.10 MBF	\$ 85.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Mixed Aspen	1,226.00 Cords	\$ 21.30 / Cord
Red Maple	316.00 Cords	\$ 16.50 / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 8.23 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 **\$1,900.00** 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	9%
02	6%
03	19%
04	18%
05	28%
06	8%
07	12%

4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 09/30/2015.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Saguaro Aspen Sale Number: 73-008-12-01

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 blue, red and yellow paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against private property are marked with blue paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. Interior Payment Unit boundaries are marked with yellow paint. Yellow painted trees designating an interior Payment Unit boundary are only to be cut when all surrounding Payment Units have been paid.

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

2.1.1 - Clearcut unit(s) with unmerchantable trees (8/11)

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

EXCEPTION: Do not cut any trees marked with green paint above and below stump height.

IN ADDITION: Within Payment Unit 3 cut all oak, except those marked with green paint above and below stump height.

2.2 - Utilization

2.2.3 - Stump heights (4/07)

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

3 - Payments

3.4 - Damaged Timber

3.4.1 - Damaged timber (6/05)

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

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

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

4 - Transportation

4.1 - Construction

4.1.5 - Culverts (9/11)

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

4.1.7 - Road closure (10/11)

All new roads built into the sale must be blocked to vehicle traffic upon completion of the sale. Overgrown roads that are

reopened shall be considered new roads. Stumps, and tree tops or limbs, must be placed along the road in order to make the road impassable to cars and trucks. Contact the sale administrator for specific details of design and placement.

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

During road construction or improvement, merchantable trees that are not in a Payment Unit shall be cut and decked in an area separate from other designated timber and not removed until inspected by the Sale Administrator. After inspection, these trees may be utilized. At the Sale Administrator's discretion, payment may be required for this timber at the specified Purchase Unit Price. Unmerchantable trees shall be chipped, scattered into the Purchase Unit or otherwise removed from the road. Stumps shall be reserved for road closure if required by the Sale Administrator, or set upright at least 10 feet from road edge, or scattered into the Payment Unit. Disturbed soil shall not be left in piles or windrows, but feathered into the woods or graded back onto the road.

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 wet soil conditions.

5 - Operations

5.2 - Conduct of Operations

5.2.1 - Slash

5.2.1.2 - Slash Removal

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

All slash must be removed at least 10 feet from the cleared right-of-way of forest or county roads, as well as from the blue paint line. Slash must be scattered evenly throughout the sale area and not left in piles or windrows. No trees shall be felled outside the sale area.

5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

5.2.3.1 - Operating restrictions (9/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 2, 3 and 5, unless approved by the Unit Manager or his/her representative, cutting and skidding are limited to the period of 07/15 to 09/30 and to the period of 01/01 to 03/15. This restriction is because of seasonal wet soil conditions.

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.

5.2.4 - Dead and Down Creation

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

Except as provided for in General Condition and Requirement 5.2.2, no dead trees, standing or down, are to be cut, skidded, or processed. Exception: All dead trees within 50' of the cleared portion of Coleman and Gordonville Roads shall be cut. These trees may be utilized.

5.4 - Soil Protection

5.4.1 - Rutting restriction, general (1/09)

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



TIMBER SALE MAP

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

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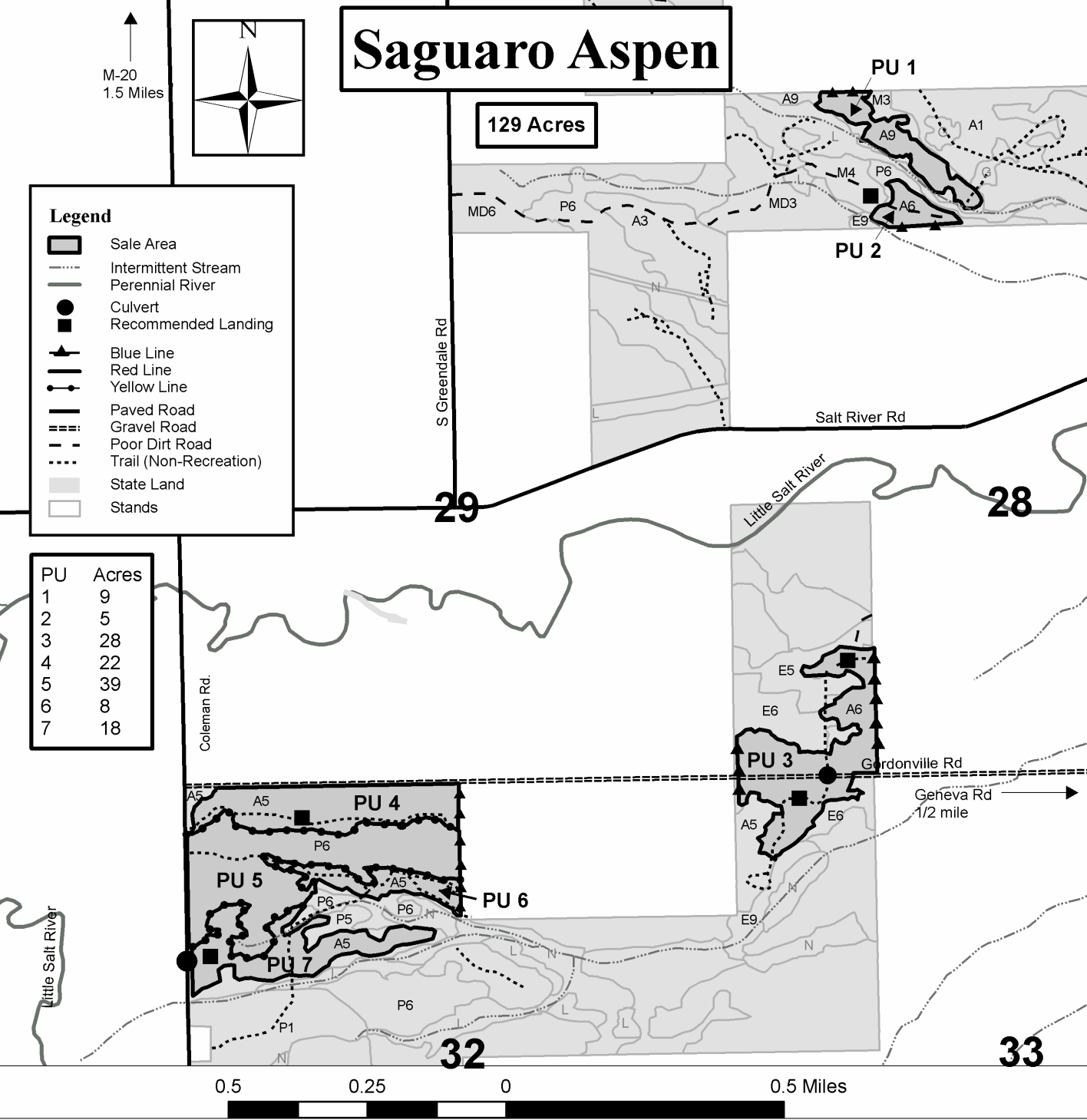
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Forest Management Unit Gladwin		County Midland	Mapped By M. Reichel	Lead Inspector: S. Nyhoff	Date 8/8/2012	Page 1	of 1
Township T14N	Range R02W	Section(s) and Subdivision(s) Sec. 21: S1/2SW; Sec. 28: SWSW; Sec. 32: NW1/4; Sec. 33: NWNW			1:15,840		

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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E = Swamp Hdwoods	M = Mpl, Bch, Brch	S = Black Spruce	Z = Water	4 = Pole Timber Poor	9 = Saw Timber Well
F = Spruce Fir	N = Marsh	T = Tamarack			

Saguaro Aspen

129 Acres



Legend

- Sale Area
- Intermittent Stream
- Perennial River
- Culvert
- Recommended Landing
- Blue Line
- Red Line
- Yellow Line
- Paved Road
- Gravel Road
- Poor Dirt Road
- Trail (Non-Recreation)
- State Land
- Stands

PU	Acres
1	9
2	5
3	28
4	22
5	39
6	8
7	18

TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

BEAR PAW (73-011-12-01)

T20N, R02E, SEC. 09; T20N, R02E, SEC. 22; T20N, R02E, SEC. 23.

Gladwin County (Advertised Price \$37,803.10)

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<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Mixed Aspen	54.20 MBF	\$ 52.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Mixed Aspen	1,379.00 Cords	\$ 18.85 / Cord
Red Maple	191.00 Cords	\$ 11.65 / Cord
Red Pine	85.00 Cords	\$ 40.70 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$3,305.90:

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Mixed Oak	7.90 MBF	\$ 120.00 / MBF
Red Maple	6.80 MBF	\$ 83.00 / MBF
Red Pine	3.40 MBF	\$ 138.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Mixed Hardwood	41.00 Cords	\$ 12.80 / Cord
Mixed Oak	25.00 Cords	\$ 13.80 / Cord
White Pine	30.00 Cords	\$ 15.15 / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 12.27 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 **\$2,000.00** to insure faithful performance of the conditions of the contract will be deposited by the successful bidder within 21 days of the sale award.
2. Cutting in any sale or unit without the required advance payment would be considered a trespass.
3. Total payment must be paid in advance or according to the following schedule:
 - (a) Ten percent (10%) of the sale value must be paid within 21 days of the sale award.
 - (b) The 10% down payment will be credited towards the first unit cut.
 - (c) Payment for each of the following units must be made before cutting begins in that unit:

<u>PAYMENT UNIT NUMBER</u>	<u>PERCENT OF TOTAL SALE VALUE</u>
01	13%
02	10%
03	11%
04	66%
4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 09/30/2015.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Bear Paw Sale Number: 73-011-12-01

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 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 (8/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, 2, 3, and 4, cut all trees that are two (2) inches or more in diameter measured at a point four and one-half (4-1/2) feet above ground level regardless of merchantability.

EXCEPTION: Within ALL Units Do Not Cut any trees marked with green paint above and below stump height.

EXCEPTION: Within Units 1, 2, and 3 Do Not Cut any conifer trees.

EXCEPTION: Within Unit 4 Do Not Cut any cedar, tamarack or hemlock.

2.2 - Utilization

2.2.3 - Stump heights (4/07)

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

3 - Payments

3.3 - Pre-measured Sales

3.3.4 - Dividing payment units (12/08)

Payment unit(s) 4 may be divided at the request of the purchaser and upon approval of the Unit Manager. Dividing payment units is a contract modification which requires a Timber Sale Contract Supplement.

3.4 - Damaged Timber

3.4.1 - Damaged timber (6/05)

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

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

4 - Transportation

4.1 - Construction

4.1.12 - No new roads (1/12)

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

4.4 - Access

4.4.3 - Access gate (12/08)

The access gate to Unit 2 must be locked at the completion of each day unless otherwise approved by the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

5 - Operations

5.2 - Conduct of Operations

5.2.1 - Slash

5.2.1.10 - No slash in openings (5/10)

No brush or logging debris are allowed in the maintained wildlife opening which is indicated 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

5.2.3.1 - Operating restrictions (9/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, 2, and 3, unless approved by the Unit Manager or his/her representative, cutting and skidding are limited to the period of 07/15 to 09/30 and to the period of 01/01 to 03/15. This restriction is because of seasonal wet soil conditions.

5.4 - Soil Protection

5.4.1 - Rutting restriction, general (1/09)

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

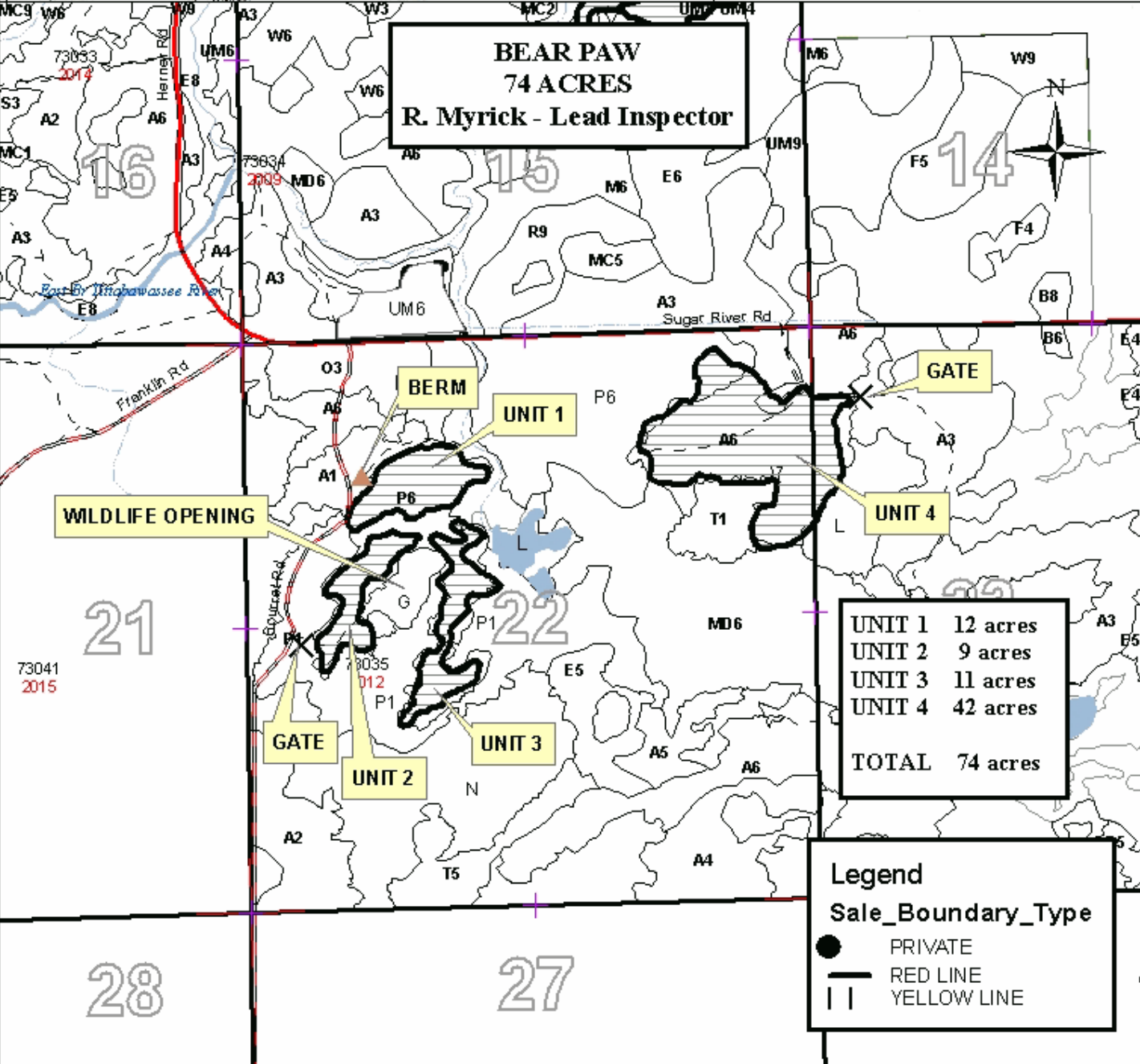


TIMBER SALE MAP

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

Forest Management Unit GLADWIN	County GLADWIN	Mapped By RICK MYRICK	Date 08/28/2012	Page 1	of 1
Township T20N	Range R02E	Section(s) and Subdivision(s) 22, NE1/4, NW1/4, N1/2 SW, 23, NW/NW, SW/NW	1:15,840		

Cover Type				Density	
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D = Paper Birch	H = Hemlock	P = Lowland Poplar	V = Bog or Marsh	1 = Seeding Sapling Poor	6 = Pole Timber Well
C = Cedar	J = Jack Pine	Q = Mixed Swamp Confr	W = White Pine	2 = Seeding Sapling Medium	7 = Saw Timber Poor
U = Upland Bog	L = Lowland Brush	R = Red Pine	X = Non Stocked	3 = Seeding Sapling Well	8 = Saw Timber Medium
S = Swamp Hardwoods	M = Mpl. Rich, Birch	S = Black Spruce	Z = Water	4 = Pole Timber Poor	9 = Saw Timber Well
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SAGUARO ASPEN (73-008-12-01)

T14N, R02W, SEC. 21; T14N, R02W, SEC. 28; T14N, R02W, SEC. 32; T14N, R02W, SEC. 33, Midland
County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 11:00 a.m. (local time) on October 24, 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 & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>	<u>BID PRICE</u>
Sawlogs			
Mixed Aspen	71.20 MBF	\$ 54.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
Red Maple	23.10 MBF	\$ 85.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
Pulpwood			
Mixed Aspen	1,226.00 Cords	\$ 21.30 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord
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* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 8.23 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

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

Please Check Appropriate Categories:

1. My business is organized as (you **must** check one of the boxes below):
 - A. Sole Proprietorship (individual)
 - B. Partnership
 - C. Corporation
2. You **must** check one of the boxes below:
 - A. I certify that my business is a sole proprietorship and it has no employees but the sole proprietor. I am not subject to the Worker's Compensation Laws.
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Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative

Title

Date

BEAR PAW (73-011-12-01)

T20N, R02E, SEC. 09; T20N, R02E, SEC. 22; T20N, R02E, SEC. 23, Gladwin County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 11:00 a.m. (local time) on October 24, 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 & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>	<u>BID PRICE</u>
Sawlogs			
Mixed Aspen	54.20 MBF	\$ 52.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
Pulpwood			
Mixed Aspen	1,379.00 Cords	\$ 18.85 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord
Red Maple	191.00 Cords	\$ 11.65 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord
Red Pine	85.00 Cords	\$ 40.70 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$3,305.90 :

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Mixed Oak	7.90 MBF	\$ 120.00 / MBF
Red Maple	6.80 MBF	\$ 83.00 / MBF
Red Pine	3.40 MBF	\$ 138.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Mixed Hardwood	41.00 Cords	\$ 12.80 / Cord
Mixed Oak	25.00 Cords	\$ 13.80 / Cord
White Pine	30.00 Cords	\$ 15.15 / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 12.27 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): _____

THE WINNING BIDDER MUST COMPLETE THE VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE (ON REVERSE SIDE IF DOUBLE SIDED) WITHIN 21 DAYS OF SALE AWARD DATE



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

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

Please Check Appropriate Categories:

1. My business is organized as (you **must** check one of the boxes below):
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 - B. Partnership
 - C. Corporation
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