



**DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES  
STATE OF MICHIGAN**

**TIMBER SALE PROSPECTUS #4966**

SCHEDULED SALE DATE AND TIME: 10:00 a.m. (local time) on September 9, 2013.

LOCATION: SAULT STE MARIE MGMT UNIT, 2001 ASHMUN, SAULT STE MARIE, MI 49783.

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, SAULT STE MARIE MANAGEMENT UNIT, for certain timber on the following described lands:

BAY CITY BEECH (45-001-13-01) / T42N, R01W, SEC. 08, NWSW.

T42N, R01W, SEC. 09, S1/2SW.

T42N, R01W, SEC. 16, NW1/4.

T42N, R01W, SEC. 17, SENE.

Mackinac County, Advertised Price \$7,487.45, 73.0 Acres

SALE NOTE: The Bay City Lake campground is still in use although no longer maintained by the DNR, warning signs must be placed at both entrances to indicate logging activity. Operations are not allowed from April 15 to July 15 for bark slippage. There is an ORV trail within the sale and must be signed.

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.

HESSELL HARDWOOD (45-006-12-01) / T42N, R01W, SEC. 14, NWSW.

T42N, R01W, SEC. 15, SE1/4, S1/2NE, NESW.

T42N, R01W, SEC. 23, NE1/4, NESE.

Mackinac County, Advertised Price \$75,295.20, 155.0 Acres

SALE NOTE: Operations are only allowed from October 31 to March 31 because of deer yard concerns. The snowmobile trail runs through the sale area and must be signed.

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 private or state forest land.

CRANBERRY HARDWOOD (45-017-11-01) / T41N, R03E, SEC. 02, NW1/4, NESW, NWSE, SWNE.

Chippewa County, Advertised Price \$31,416.22, 113.0 Acres

SALE NOTE: Access to this sale is restricted to/from private land on the north side. It is the producer's responsibility to secure access before bidding. Operations are not allowed in Units 1-3 from April 15 to July 15 for bark slippage and Unit 4 operations are only allowed from December 1 to March 31 because of wet ground.

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. 06/06/2013):

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

Bids must be received by the Unit Manager, SAULT STE MARIE OFFICE, 2001 ASHMUN, SAULT STE MARIE, MI 49783, no later than 10:00 a.m. (local time) on September 9, 2013. For further information concerning this sale, contact Jeff Wise at 906-635-5281 extension 2.

### 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 (6/13)

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

If a bidder, present at a bid opening, has submitted bids on more than one sale, that bidder may withdraw their unopened bid envelopes after being declared the successful bidder on one sale.

### 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 (10/12)

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/timber](http://www.michigan.gov/timber). 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 (3/13)

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 100% 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

### BAY CITY BEECH (45-001-13-01)

T42N, R01W, SEC. 08; T42N, R01W, SEC. 09; T42N, R01W, SEC. 16; T42N,  
R01W, SEC. 17.

SALE NOTE: The Bay City Lake campground is still in use although no longer maintained by the DNR, warning signs must be placed at both entrances to indicate logging activity. Operations are not allowed from April 15 to July 15 for bark slippage. There is an ORV trail within the sale and must be signed.

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		
Beech	275.00 Cords	\$ 19.65 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$2,083.70:

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Red Maple	4.80 MBF	\$ 180.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Mixed Aspen	27.00 Cords	\$ 21.30 / Cord
Mixed Softwood	44.00 Cords	\$ 14.65 / Cord

\* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 16.01 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 **\$600.00** 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	15%
02	34%
03	51%
4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 10/31/2017.

## Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Bay City Beech Sale Number: 45-001-13-01

### 1 - Sale Area

#### 1.2 - Boundaries

##### 1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (10/12)

The sale boundary and Payment Unit boundaries are marked and identified by blue, red and/or yellow paint. The painted boundary line trees are not Included Timber and are to be protected. 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.

### 2 - Timber Specifications

#### 2.1 - Included Timber

##### 2.1.4 - Species designation unit(s) (12/08)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1-3, all beech are designated for cutting which are two (2) inches or more in diameter at breast height regardless of merchantability, except those marked with green paint on trunk and stump. In Unit 1, cut all aspen 10 inches or more in diameter at breast height. In Unit 2 and 3, cut all spruce and balsam fir two (2) inches or more in diameter at breast height, and red (soft) maple 12 inches or more in diameter at breast height.

### 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 undesigned 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.

#### 3.6 - Payment Unit Cutting Schedule

##### 3.6.2 - One active unit (12/08)

Each Payment Unit must be completed to the satisfaction of the Unit Manager or his/her representative before the next unit may be opened. The Purchaser must give a two day notice before finishing a unit to allow for inspection.

### 4 - Transportation

#### 4.2 - Maintenance

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

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

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

To maintain roads, fill material may be needed in areas where "holes" exist or may be expected to develop. This fill material should be placed before trucking begins. If grading does not keep holes filled, each hole that develops must have no less than ten yards of material provided at the purchaser's expense. Contact the sale administrator regarding the availability of onsite sand or gravel from adjacent State-owned lands at no expense before any material is removed.

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

The following road maintenance is required: All roads used for hauling must be maintained in as good or better condition than

when the sale started. Roads may need to be graded before operations begin and must be maintained for two wheel drive traffic for the duration of operations.

#### 4.2.4 - Grading (12/08)

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

## 5 - Operations

### 5.1 - Notification

#### 5.1.1 - Pre-sale conference (10/11)

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

#### 5.1.4 - Post-sale conference (6/11)

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

### 5.2 - Conduct of Operations

#### 5.2.1 - Slash

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

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

#### 5.2.2 - 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) 1-3, 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.

##### 5.2.3.9 - Beech hauling restriction (3/11)

American beech wood products with bark still attached, other than chips, are not to be transported from stands infested with beech scale to or through uninfested beech areas the lower peninsula or to Wisconsin from July 15 to November 15. Beech scale is mobile at this time of year and can move from infested wood to live beech. (See Map of current beech scale distribution on the DNR Forest Health Website, [www.michigan.gov/dnr](http://www.michigan.gov/dnr).)

#### 5.2.4 - Dead and Down Creation

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

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

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

No decking is allowed along the snowmobile trail (Bay City Lake Rd) during any winter operations.

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

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

#### 5.2.39 - ORV trail/route protection (1/09)

The Bay City Lake trail is an ORV trail and is shown on the Timber Sale Map. Do not cut trees or damage posts with orange ORV markers. Maintain a 10 foot wide slash, debris, and rut free zone daily using the ORV trail or route as the centerline. Do not run equipment down the ORV trail or route. Warning signs must be placed at each trail crossing to warn ORV users of logging operations.

#### 5.2.41 - Snowmobile trail protection (9/11)

The Bay City Lake Road is a snowmobile trail and is shown on the Timber Sale Map. Do not cut or damage posts with

orange trail markers or traffic control signs. If the trail is used, it must be maintained and restored to a condition equal to or better than before the sale. If the trail road is to be used for hauling during the snowmobile season, then a snow covered base must be left on the trail and signs must be placed at each end to warn of logging traffic. No decking of forest products will be permitted along the snowmobile trail.

#### 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 which is 12 inches or greater in depth and 50 feet in length. In addition, operations are to cease immediately if equipment and weather conditions result in rutting on skid trails which is 6 inches or greater in depth and 50 feet in length. The Unit Manager or his/her representative may restrict hauling and/or skidding if ruts exceed the specified depth. With the Unit Manager or his/her representative's approval, the Purchaser may return to the area when the risk of rutting has decreased.

#### 5.8 - Protection of Endangered Species

##### 5.8.5 - Protection of raptor nests (4/09)

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

### 7 - Other Conditions

#### 7.3 - Contract Modifications

##### 7.3.1 - Emerald Ash Borer

###### 7.3.1.2 - Emerald ash borer, ash or firewood on sale (2/05)

There is ash and/or "firewood" in this sale and it is located within an emerald ash borer quarantined area. The Director of the Michigan Department of Agriculture (MDA) by the authority of Act No. 72 of the Public Acts of 1945, as amended, and Quarantine Regulation No. 620, has promulgated this quarantine to prevent the further spread of this pest and sets forth: definitions, regulated articles, regulated areas, conditions of movement, violations and penalties, and special exemptions. The Purchaser must comply with this quarantine. Contact the MDA for further information.





# TIMBER SALE MAP

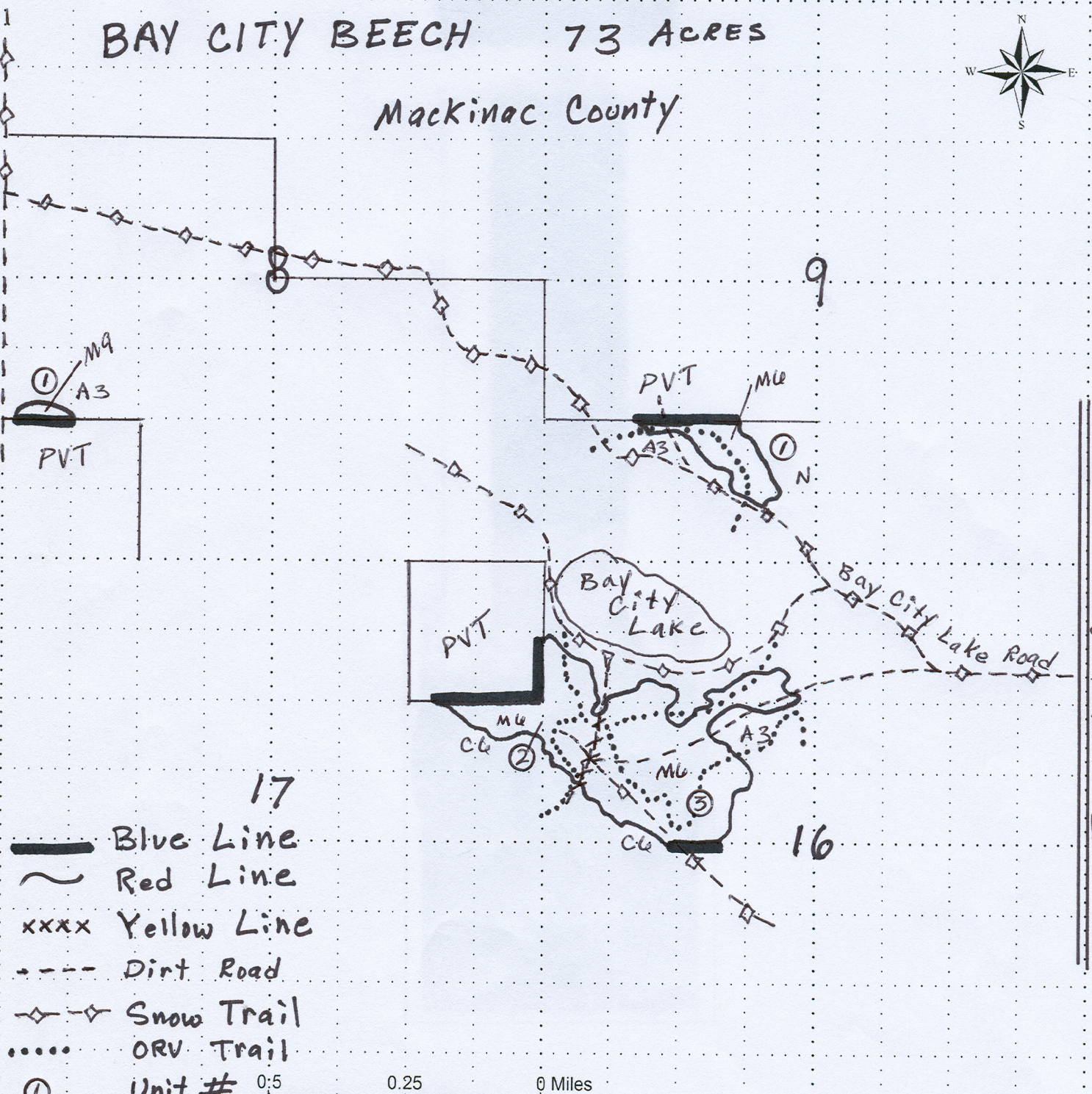
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Sale Number	Year
45-001-13-01	2013

Forest Management Unit Sault Ste. Marie	County Mackinac	Mapped By J Wise Cruised By J Wise	Date 12/06/12	Page 1	of 1
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Township 42N	Range 1W	Section(s) and Subdivision(s) 8-NWSW, 9-S1/2SW, 16-NW1/4, 17-SENE
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Cover Type				Density	
A = Aspen	J = Jack Pine	O = Oak	U = Upland Brush	0 = Non Stocked	5 = Pole Timber Medium
B = Paper Birch	K = Rock	P = Lowland Poplar	UM = Upland Mix Forest	1 = Seedling Sapling Poor	6 = Pole Timber Well
C = Cedar	L = Lowland Brush	Q = Mixed Swamp Conifer	V = Bog or Marsh	2 = Seedling Sapling Medium	7 = Saw Timber Poor
D = Treed Bog	LM = Lowland Mix Forest	R = Red Pine	W = White Pine	3 = Seedling Sapling Well	8 = Saw Timber Medium
E = Swamp Hardwoods	M = Maple, Beech, Birch	S = Black Spruce	X = Non Stocked	4 = Pole Timber Poor	9 = Saw Timber Well
F = Spruce/Fir	MC = Mixed Conifer	T = Tamarack	Y = Sand		
G = Grass	MD = Mixed Deciduous	Z = Water			
H = Hemlock	N = Marsh				





## TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

### HESSELL HARDWOOD (45-006-12-01)

T42N, R01W, SEC. 14; T42N, R01W, SEC. 15; T42N, R01W, SEC. 23.

Mackinac County (Advertised Price \$75,295.20)

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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>
Sawlogs		
Red Maple	31.10 MBF	\$ 185.00 / MBF
Sugar Maple	68.80 MBF	\$ 740.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Mixed Hardwood	768.00 Cords	\$ 16.30 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$6,111.30:

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Mixed Aspen	2.70 MBF	\$ 73.00 / MBF
W. Spruce	2.70 MBF	\$ 85.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Beech	144.00 Cords	\$ 17.45 / Cord
Mixed Aspen	3.00 Cords	\$ 20.30 / Cord
Mixed Softwood	170.00 Cords	\$ 18.30 / Cord

\* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 14.84 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 **\$6,000.00** 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	19%
02	30%
03	26%
04	21%
05	4%

4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 07/31/2017.

## Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Hessel Hardwood Sale Number: 45-006-12-01

### 1 - Sale Area

#### 1.2 - Boundaries

##### 1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (10/12)

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

### 2 - Timber Specifications

#### 2.1 - Included Timber

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 5, cut all trees that are four,(4), or more in diameter measured at a point four and one-half (4-1/2) feet above ground level regardless of merchantability, except do not cut hemlock, white and yellow birch, pine, and cedar.

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1-4, all trees are designated for cutting when marked with orange paint above and below stump height, regardless of merchantability. In addition, in Units 1 & 2, cut all beech that are four (4), inches in diameter measured at a point four and one half (4 1/2) feet above ground level, except do not cut beech marked with green paint on trunk and stump.

#### 2.2 - Utilization

##### 2.2.6 - Roundwood operation required (5/07)

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

### 3 - Payments

#### 3.4 - Damaged Timber

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

General Condition and Requirement 3.4 Damaged Timber, defines liquidated damages for undesignated live merchantable trees which are cut or injured. In addition, 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

#### 3.6 - Payment Unit Cutting Schedule

##### 3.6.2 - One active unit (12/08)

Each Payment Unit must be completed to the satisfaction of the Unit Manager or his/her representative before the next unit may be opened. The Purchaser must give a two day notice before finishing a unit to allow for inspection.

### 4 - Transportation

#### 4.1 - Construction

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

No new roads will be permitted in this sale. All operations are limited to existing roads.

## 4.2 - Maintenance

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

Hauling may be restricted on forest roads by the sale administrator. The restriction may occur during spring breakup or wet weather conditions.

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

To maintain roads, fill material may be needed in areas where "holes" exist or may be expected to develop. This fill material should be placed before trucking begins. Each hole that needs fill must have no less than ten yards of material provided at the purchaser's expense. Contact the sale administrator regarding the availability of onsite sand or gravel from adjacent State-owned lands at no expense before any material is removed.

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

The following road maintenance is required: All roads used for hauling must be maintained in as good or better condition than when the sale started. Roads may need to be graded before operations begin and must be maintained for two wheel drive traffic for the duration of operations.

### 4.2.4 - Grading (12/08)

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

## 4.4 - Access

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

Permission for access across private land is the responsibility of the purchaser. Part of Unit 1, and Unit 2 will require permission across Clark Township land near the Hessel Airport. Should the purchaser desire to cross private land, a copy of the written permission from the private land-owner may be required by the DNR.

## 5 - Operations

### 5.1 - Notification

#### 5.1.1 - Pre-sale conference (10/11)

A pre-sale conference between the Purchaser and sale administrator is required prior to beginning any operations to determine landing and road locations. The sale administrator must be contacted at least 3 days in advance to schedule the conference.

#### 5.1.4 - Post-sale conference (6/11)

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

### 5.2 - Conduct of Operations

#### 5.2.1 - Slash

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

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

#### 5.2.2 - 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) 1-4, unless changed by written agreement, cutting and skidding are limited to the period of October 31 to March 31. This restriction is because of the deer yard.

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1-4, 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.

##### 5.2.3.9 - Beech hauling restriction (3/11)

American beech wood products with bark still attached, other than chips, are not to be transported from stands infested with beech scale to or through uninfested beech areas the lower peninsula or to Wisconsin from July 15 to November 15. Beech scale is mobile at this time of year and can move from infested wood to live beech. (See Map of current beech scale distribution on the DNR Forest Health Website, [www.michigan.gov/dnr](http://www.michigan.gov/dnr).)

#### 5.2.4 - Dead and Down Creation

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

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

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

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

##### 5.2.41 - Snowmobile trail protection (9/11)

The haul road is a snowmobile trail and is shown on the Timber Sale Map. Do not cut or damage posts with orange trail markers or traffic control signs. If the trail road is to be used for hauling during the snowmobile season, then a snow covered base must be left on the trail. No decking of forest products will be permitted along the snowmobile trail. All stumps within 20 feet of the snowmobile trail must be cut at ground level.

#### 5.4 - Soil Protection

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

Operations are to cease immediately if equipment and weather conditions result in rutting of roads which is 12 inches or greater in depth and 50 feet in length and rutting on skid trails which is 6 inches or greater in depth and 50 feet in length. The Unit Manager or his/her representative may restrict hauling and/or skidding if ruts exceed the specified depth. With the Unit Manager or his/her representative's approval, the Purchaser may return to the area when the risk of rutting has decreased.

#### 5.8 - Protection of Endangered Species

##### 5.8.5 - Protection of raptor nests (4/09)

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

### 6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

#### 6.2 - Signing

##### 6.2.2 - Snowmobile trail posting (8/09)

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on the snowmobile trail. prior to beginning operations during the snowmobile season (approximately December 1 to March 31). The trail must be posted at appropriate distances from the sale area to warn of logging activity and truck traffic. Signs must be removed when harvest operations are suspended or completed. Coordinate with the snowmobile club for the possibility of obtaining and placing signs.

### 7 - Other Conditions

#### 7.3 - Contract Modifications

##### 7.3.1 - Emerald Ash Borer

###### 7.3.1.2 - Emerald ash borer, ash or firewood on sale (2/05)

There is ash and/or "firewood" in this sale and it is located within an emerald ash borer quarantined area. The Director of the Michigan Department of Agriculture (MDA) by the authority of Act No. 72 of the Public Acts of 1945, as amended, and Quarantine Regulation No. 620, has promulgated this quarantine to prevent the further spread of this pest and sets forth: definitions, regulated articles, regulated areas, conditions of movement, violations and penalties, and special exemptions. The Purchaser must comply with this quarantine. Contact the MDA for further information.



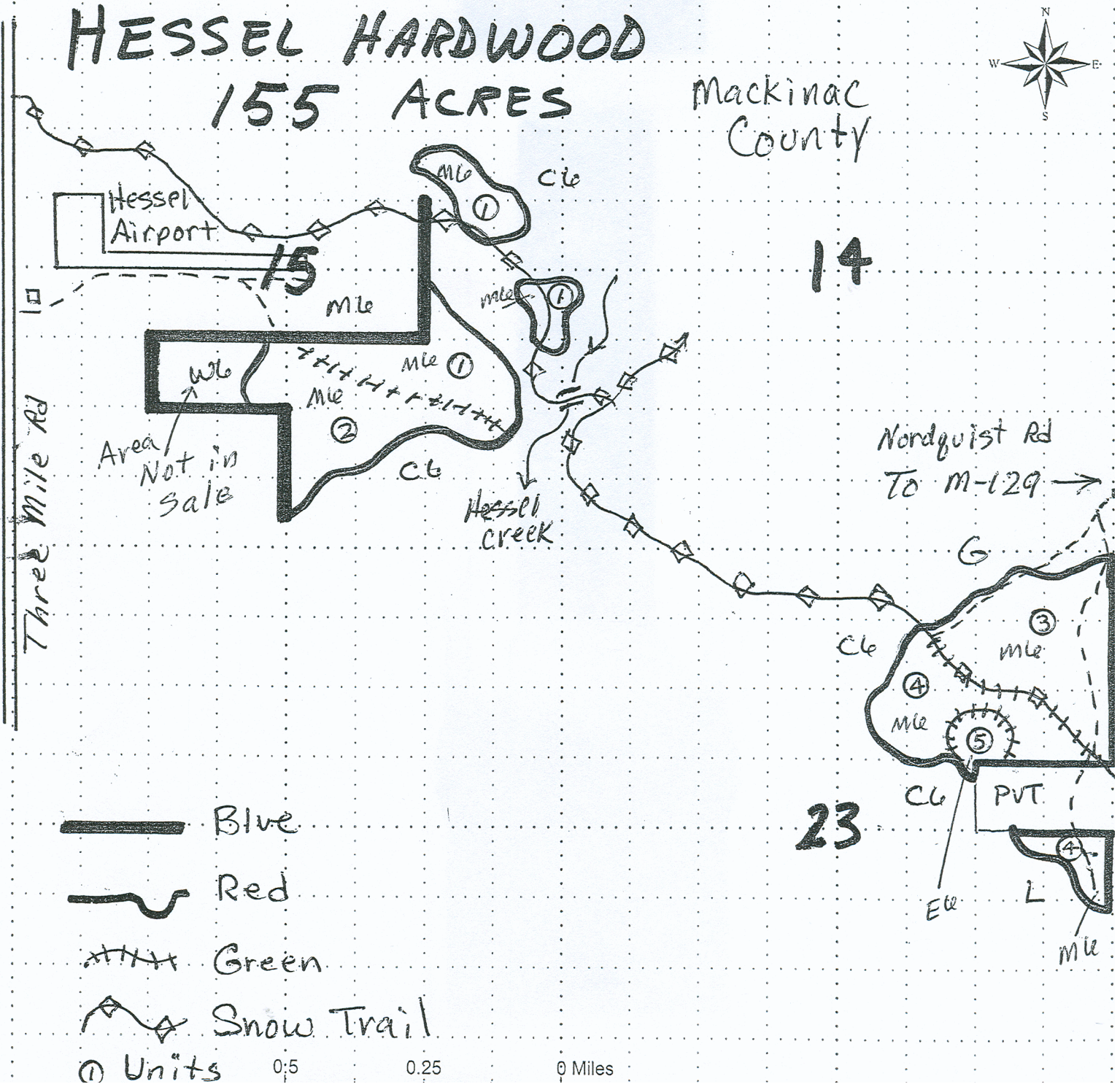
Sale Number	Year
45-006-12-01	2012

# TIMBER SALE MAP

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Forest Management Unit Sault Ste. Marie		County Mackinac	Mapped By J Wise	Date 10-03-2012	Page 1	of 1
Township 42N	Range 1W	Section(s) and Subdivision(s) 14-NWSW, 15-SE1/4, S1/2NE, NESW 23-NE1/4, NESE				

Cover Type				Density	
A = Aspen	J = Jack Pine	O = Oak	U = Upland Brush	0 = Non Stocked	5 = Pole Timber Medium
B = Paper Birch	K = Rock	P = Lowland Poplar	UM = Upland Mix Forest	1 = Seedling Sapling Poor	6 = Pole Timber Well
C = Cedar	L = Lowland Brush	Q = Mixed Swamp Conifer	V = Bog or Marsh	2 = Seedling Sapling Medium	7 = Saw Timber Poor
D = Tread Bog	LM = Lowland Mix Forest	R = Red Pine	W = White Pine	3 = Seedling Sapling Well	8 = Saw Timber Medium
E = Swamp Hardwoods	M = Maple, Beech, Birch	S = Black Spruce	X = Non Stocked	4 = Pole Timber Poor	9 = Saw Timber Well
F = Spruce/Fir	MC = Mixed Conifer	T = Tamarack	Y = Sand		
G = Grass	MD = Mixed Deciduous		Z = Water		
H = Hemlock	N = Marsh				







## TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

### CRANBERRY HARDWOOD (45-017-11-01)

T41N, R03E, SEC. 02.

Chippewa County (Advertised Price \$31,416.22)

SALE NOTE: Access to this sale is restricted to/from private land on the north side. It is the producer's responsibility to secure access before bidding. Operations are not allowed in Units 1-3 from April 15 to July 15 for bark slippage and Unit 4 operations are only allowed from December 1 to March 31 because of wet ground.

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>
Sawlogs		
Mixed Aspen	43.20 MBF	\$ 59.00 / MBF
Sugar Maple	11.90 MBF	\$ 610.85 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Mixed Aspen	361.00 Cords	\$ 24.50 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	475.00 Cords	\$ 18.50 / Cord
Mixed Softwood	95.00 Cords	\$ 23.80 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$1,705.30:

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Mixed Hardwood	7.40 MBF	\$ 95.00 / MBF
Paper Birch	4.60 MBF	\$ 116.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
B. Poplar	30.00 Cords	\$ 5.60 / Cord
Paper Birch	31.00 Cords	\$ 9.70 / Cord

\* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 14.82 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	28%
02	25%
03	25%
04	22%
4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 10/31/2016.

## Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Cranberry Hardwood Sale Number: 45-017-11-01

### 1 - Sale Area

#### 1.2 - Boundaries

##### 1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (10/12)

The sale boundary and Payment Unit boundaries are marked and identified by blue, red and green 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 green paint. Painted boundary line trees are only to be cut if they are marked with orange paint.

### 2 - Timber Specifications

#### 2.1 - Included Timber

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

Within Payment Unit(s) #4, cut all trees that are four (4), inches or more in diameter measured at a point four and one-half (4-1/2) feet above ground level regardless of merchantability except do not cut oak, hemlock, pine, cedar, yellow birch, or elm if any exist in the Unit.

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

Within Payment Unit(s) #'s 1-3, all trees are designated for cutting when marked with orange paint above and below stump height, regardless of merchantability. Do not cut any other trees.

### 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 \$300.00 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

#### 3.6 - Payment Unit Cutting Schedule

##### 3.6.2 - One active unit (12/08)

Each Payment Unit must be completed to the satisfaction of the Unit Manager or his/her representative before the next unit may be opened. The Purchaser must give a 3 day notice before finishing a unit to allow for inspection.

### 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. Merchantable trees shall be skidded and decked in an area to be scaled for payment. 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 (4/07)

All new roads built into the sale must be blocked to vehicle traffic upon completion of the sale. In general, this will require constructing a four (4') foot high berm constructed of stumps and logs covered with earth where the culvert or bridge was removed. Within the sale, all stumps and slash from road building and landing construction must be reserved to block any newly constructed roads. The stumps and slash must be scattered along the road system to prohibit vehicular movement and orv trails. Contact the sale administrator for specific details of design and placement.

#### 4.2 - Maintenance

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

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

#### 4.4 - Access

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

Permission for access across private land is the responsibility of the purchaser. Should the purchaser desire to cross private land, a copy of the written permission from the private land-owner may be required by the DNR as well as any keys required to enter gates.

### 5 - Operations

#### 5.1 - Notification

##### 5.1.1 - Pre-sale conference (12/08)

A pre-sale conference on site between the Purchaser and sale administrator is required prior to beginning any operations each sale Payment Unit to determine landing and road locations. The sale administrator must be contacted at least 5 days in advance to schedule the conference.

##### 5.1.4 - Post-sale conference (6/11)

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

#### 5.2 - Conduct of Operations

##### 5.2.2 - Hazard Trees/Snags

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

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

##### 5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

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

Within Payment Unit(s) #4, unless changed by written agreement, cutting, skidding, and hauling are limited to the period of December 1 to March 31. This restriction is because of possible wet ground.

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

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

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

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

##### 5.2.41 - Snowmobile trail protection (9/11)

The Cranberry Flooding Road is a snowmobile trail and is shown on the Timber Sale Map. Do not cut or damage posts with orange trail markers or traffic control signs. If the trail is used, it must be maintained and restored to a condition equal to or better than before the sale. If the trail road is to be used for hauling during the snowmobile season, then a snow covered base must be left on the trail.

#### 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 which is 12 inches or greater in depth and 50 feet in length. In addition, operations are to cease immediately if equipment and weather conditions result in rutting on skid trails which is 6 inches or greater in depth and 50 feet in length. The Unit Manager or his/her representative may restrict hauling and/or skidding if ruts exceed the specified depth. With the Unit Manager or his/her representative's approval, the Purchaser may return to the area when the risk of rutting has decreased.

#### 5.8 - Protection of Endangered Species

##### 5.8.5 - Protection of raptor nests (4/09)

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

##### 5.8.7 - Protection of walking fern habitat (9/08)

If walking fern is discovered on boulders within the sale area, operations in that immediate area should be suspended and the Unit Manager contacted. The contract may be amended to protect these sites. An area surrounding the boulders could be designated as a "no-cut" zone with appropriate adjustments made to the State Forest Timber Sale Contract.

### 6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

#### 6.2 - Signing

##### 6.2.3 - Recreational trail posting (2/10)

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on Cranberry Flooding Road prior to beginning operations. The trail must be posted at appropriate distances from the sale area to warn of logging activity and truck traffic at both ends of the trail. Signs must be removed when harvest operations are suspended or completed.



Sale Number	Year
45-017-11-01	2011

### TIMBER SALE MAP

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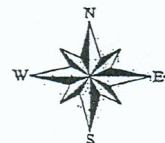
Forest Management Unit <b>Sault Ste Marie</b>	County <b>Chippewa</b>	Mapped By <i>Wise / Noble</i>	Date <b>8-24-11</b>	Page <b>1</b>	of <b>1</b>
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Cover Type				Density	
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# CRANBERRY HARDWOOD

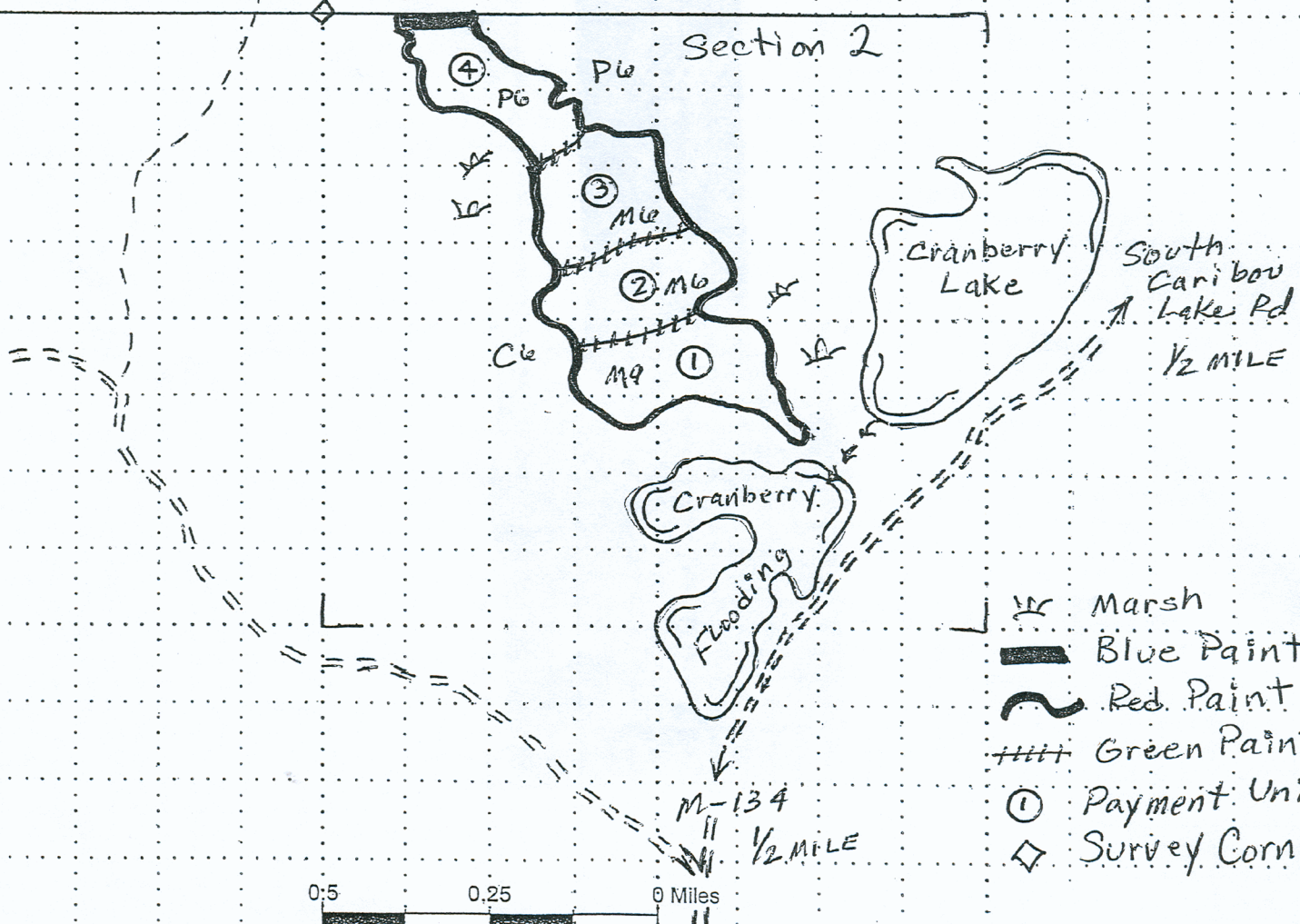
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Chippewa County



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BAY CITY BEECH (45-001-13-01)

T42N, R01W, SEC. 08; T42N, R01W, SEC. 09; T42N, R01W, SEC. 16; T42N, R01W, SEC. 17, Mackinac  
County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 10:00 a.m. (local time) on September 9, 2013, 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>	<u>BID PRICE</u>
Pulpwood			
Beech	275.00 Cords	\$ 19.65 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$2,083.70 :

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Red Maple	4.80 MBF	\$ 180.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Mixed Aspen	27.00 Cords	\$ 21.30 / Cord
Mixed Softwood	44.00 Cords	\$ 14.65 / Cord

\* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 16.01 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.
  - 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



HESSELL HARDWOOD (45-006-12-01)

T42N, R01W, SEC. 14; T42N, R01W, SEC. 15; T42N, R01W, SEC. 23, Mackinac County

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<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>	<u>BID PRICE</u>
Sawlogs			
Red Maple	31.10 MBF	\$ 185.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
Sugar Maple	68.80 MBF	\$ 740.00 / MBF	\$ _____ / MBF
Pulpwood			
Mixed Hardwood	768.00 Cords	\$ 16.30 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$6,111.30 :

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawlogs		
Mixed Aspen	2.70 MBF	\$ 73.00 / MBF
W. Spruce	2.70 MBF	\$ 85.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Beech	144.00 Cords	\$ 17.45 / Cord
Mixed Aspen	3.00 Cords	\$ 20.30 / Cord
Mixed Softwood	170.00 Cords	\$ 18.30 / Cord

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Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative

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Title

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

CRANBERRY HARDWOOD (45-017-11-01)  
T41N, R03E, SEC. 02, Chippewa County

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Mixed Hardwood	475.00 Cords	\$ 18.50 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord
Mixed Softwood	95.00 Cords	\$ 23.80 / Cord	\$ _____ / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$1,705.30 :

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
<u>Sawlogs</u>		
Mixed Hardwood	7.40 MBF	\$ 95.00 / MBF
Paper Birch	4.60 MBF	\$ 116.00 / MBF
<u>Pulpwood</u>		
B. Poplar	30.00 Cords	\$ 5.60 / Cord
Paper Birch	31.00 Cords	\$ 9.70 / Cord

\* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 14.82 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.
  - 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