

## DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES STATE OF MICHIGAN

# TIMBER SALE PROSPECTUS #5174

## <u>SCHEDULED SALE DATE AND TIME:</u> 10:00 a.m. (local time) on July 30, 2014. <u>LOCATION:</u> BAY CITY OSC, 3580 STATE PARK DRIVE, BAY CITY, MI 48706.

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 Game Area Manager, CASS CITY FIELD OFFICE, for certain timber on the following described lands:

<u>HILL TOP MIXED HARDWOOD</u> (55-082-14-01) / T16N, R13E, SEC. 01. T16N, R13E, SEC. 23, SE 1/4. Huron County, Advertised Price \$2,940.00, 9.8 Acres

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

BOG ASPEN (55-083-14-01) / T14N, R14E, SEC. 30, NE 1/4. Sanilac County, Advertised Price \$5,379.00, 16.3 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 other public land.

<u>WHEATLAND ASPEN</u> (55-084-14-01) / T13N, R13E, SEC. 12, NE1/4. T13N, R14E, SEC. 07, NW1/4. Sanilac County, Advertised Price \$8,645.00, 24.7 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 other public land.

LITTLE MIX (55-085-14-01) / T13N, R10E, SEC. 15, SE. Tuscola County, Advertised Price \$9,052.00, 24.8 Acres

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

<u>SEVERANCE ASPEN</u> (55-086-14-01) / T13N, R10E, SEC. 22, NE. Tuscola County, Advertised Price \$13,158.00, 38.7 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 other public land.

## BID INSTRUCTIONS (VER. 06/06/2013):

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

Bids must be received by the Unit Manager, BAY CITY OFFICE, 3580 STATE PARK DRIVE, BAY CITY, MI 48706, no later than 10:00 a.m. (local time) on July 30, 2014. For further information concerning this sale, contact Don Bonnette at 989-684-9141.

## 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. 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

## HILL TOP MIXED HARDWOOD (55-082-14-01)

T16N, R13E, SEC. 01; T16N, R13E, SEC. 23.

Huron County (Advertised Price \$2,940.00)

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 other public land.

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

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	ADVI	ERTISED PRICE
Pulpwood			
Mixed Hardwood	9.80 Acres	\$	300.00 / Acre

\* 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 **\$500.00** to insure faithful performance of the conditions of the contract will be deposited by the successful bidder within 21 days of the sale award.
- 2. Cutting in any sale or unit without the required advance payment would be considered a trespass.
- 3. Total payment must be paid in advance or according to the following schedule:
- (a) Ten percent (10%) of the sale value must be paid within 21 days of the sale award.
  - (b) The remainder is due before cutting begins.
- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 10/01/2015.

## Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

## Sale Name: Hill Top Mixed Hardwood Sale Number: 55-082-14-01

## 1 - Sale Area

1.2 - Boundaries

1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (1/14)

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

## 2 - Timber Specifications

## 2.1 - Included Timber

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, cut all trees that are two (2) inches or more in diameter measured at a point four and one-half (4-1/2) feet above ground level regardless of merchantability except white pine, oak, hemlock, apple, cedar, beech, juneberry, and trees marked with green paint.

2.1.11 - Description of timber note (2/04)

Note that the sale consists primarily of aspen poles and logs with lesser quanitites of mixed hardwood (black cherry, red maple, ash, sugar maple) logs and poles.

#### 2.2 - Utilization

2.2.3 - Stump heights (4/07)

Stump heights within the Sale Area shall not exceed 12 inches.

2.2.10 - No chipping tops and limbs (4/12)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, chipping of the bole, 4-inches in diameter or greater, is allowed. Chipping of limbs or portions of the tree less than 4-inches in diameter is not permitted. Limbs and the remaining top must be left on site and scattered.

## 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, or chipped, utilized or otherwise removed from the sale.

#### 4.2 - Maintenance

4.2.3 - Road maintenance (8/13)

The following road maintenance is required: access from Scott Road must be maintained in passable condition to 2-wheel drive vehicles for the duration of operations.

## 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 Unit Manager or his/her representative must be contacted at least 10 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

5.2.1.8 - Slash height (12/08)

No slash or tree tops may exceed 48 inches in height.

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

To facilitate reforestation, the sale, log processing and decking areas shall be left with slash evenly distributed. Bunched tops within the cutting area shall be broken up and scattered. Stumps shall be cut low to the ground. Processing sites shall not be left with a compacted layer of slash; tops from these sites shall be hauled back into the cut area and scattered.

#### 5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

## 5.2.3.1 - Operating restrictions (9/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, operations must minimize the number of skid trails; multiple skid trails will not be permitted. This restriction is necessary to minimize soil compaction and protect regeneration.

## 5.2.3.2 - Operating restrictions (9/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) cutting, skidding, and hauling are absolutely prohibited during the period of 04/01 to 06/15. This restriction is necessary to limit soil compaction, rutting and to maximize aspen regeneration.

#### 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.

## 5.2.32 - Decking/landing restoration (9/13)

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. At the sale administrators discretion, this may include grading, leveling and seeding of all landing and loading areas. All windrows of material on the edges of landing and processing areas must be dispersed within the sale boundaries.

#### 5.4 - Soil Protection

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

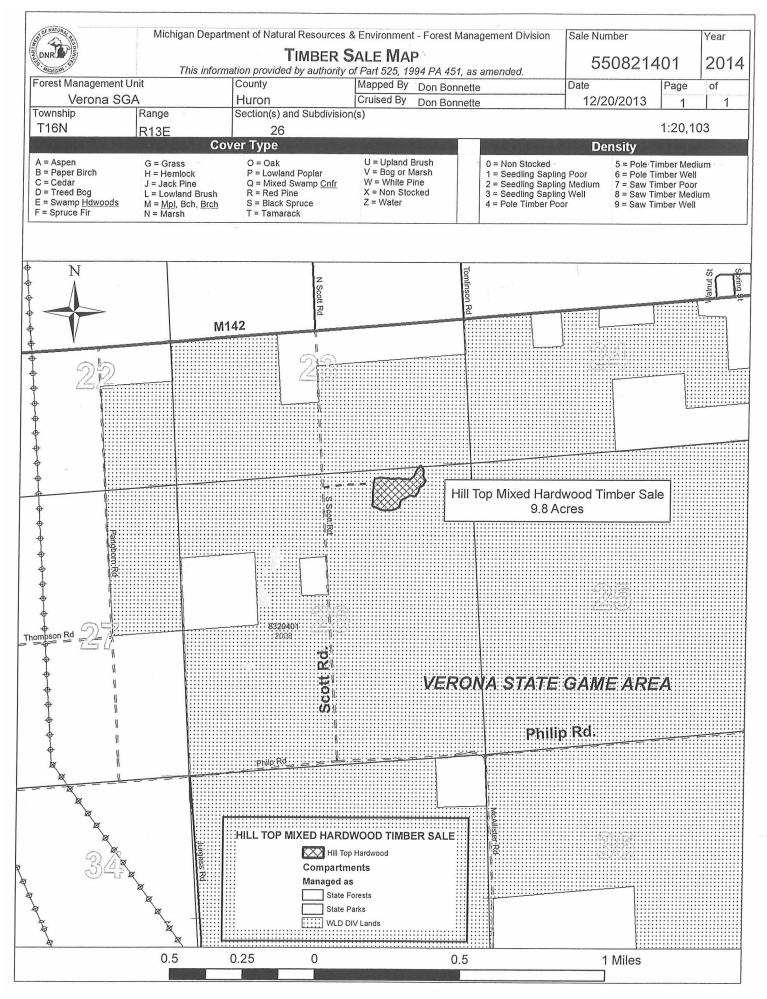
Operations are to cease immediately if equipment and weather conditions result in rutting of roads and skid trails which is 8 inches or greater in depth and 50 feet in length. The Unit Manager or his/her representative may restrict hauling and/or skidding if ruts exceed the specified depth. With the 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

#### 7.10 - Certified Timber

## 7.10.1 - Non-certified timber (12/05)

The area encompassed by this timber sale is not certified to the standards of the Forest Stewardship Council (FSC) or the Sustainable Forestry Initiative (SFI). Forest products from this sale may not be delivered to the mill as "FSC and / or SFI certified".



## TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

# BOG ASPEN (55-083-14-01)

T14N, R14E, SEC. 30.

Sanilac County (Advertised Price \$5,379.00)

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 other public land.

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

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	ADVE	ERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs			
Mixed Aspen	16.30 Acres	\$	330.00 / Acre

\* 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 **\$750.00** 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 04/01/2016.

## Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

## Sale Name: Bog Aspen Sale Number: 55-083-14-01

## 1 - Sale Area

1.2 - Boundaries

1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (1/14)

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

## 2 - Timber Specifications

## 2.1 - Included Timber

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, cut all trees that are two (2) inches or more in diameter measured at a point four and one-half (4-1/2) feet above ground level regardless of merchantability except white pine, oak, hemlock, beech, apple, juneberry, and trees marked with green paint.

2.1.11 - Description of timber note (2/04)

Note that the sale consists primarily of aspen logs and poles with lesser quanitites of mixed hardwood (black cherry, red maple, ash, sugar maple) logs and poles.

2.2 - Utilization

2.2.3 - Stump heights (4/07)

Stump heights within the Sale Area shall not exceed 12 inches.

2.2.10 - No chipping tops and limbs (4/12)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, chipping of the bole, 4-inches in diameter or greater, is allowed. Chipping of limbs or portions of the tree less than 4-inches in diameter is not permitted. Limbs and the remaining top must be left on site and scattered.

## 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, or chipped, utilized or otherwise removed from the sale. All materials placed in low, wet areas must be removed and dispersed within the sale boundaries or in areas designated by the sale administrator when operations are complete.

#### 4.2 - Maintenance

#### 4.2.3 - Road maintenance (8/13)

The following road maintenance is required: the access trail from Verona Road must be maintained in passable condition to 2-wheel drive vehicles for the duration of operations. Addionally, within 60 days of completion of hauling, or if no hauling occurs for 60 days, the road must be maintained and graded. This includes cleaning of drainage areas, grading, crowning and filling with gravel, if necessary. Damages will be assessed if grading/repair does not occur. Any vehicle gates or barriers removed during operations shall be replaced or restored to the sale administrators specifications.

## 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 Unit Manager or his/her representative must be contacted at least 10 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

## 5.2.1.8 - Slash height (12/08)

No slash or tree tops may exceed 48 inches in height.

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

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## 5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

## 5.2.3.1 - Operating restrictions (9/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, operations must minimize the number of skid trails; multiple skid trails will not be permitted. This restriction is necessary to minimize soil compaction and protect regeneration.

## 5.2.3.2 - Operating restrictions (9/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) cutting, skidding, and hauling are absolutely prohibited during the period of 04/01 to 06/15. This restriction is necessary to limit soil compaction, rutting, protect the road network and to maximize aspen regeneration.

## 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.

## 5.2.32 - Decking/landing restoration (9/13)

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. At the sale administrators discretion, this may include grading, leveling and seeding of all landing and loading areas. All windrows of material on the edges of landing and processing areas must be dispersed within the sale boundaries.

## 5.4 - Soil Protection

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

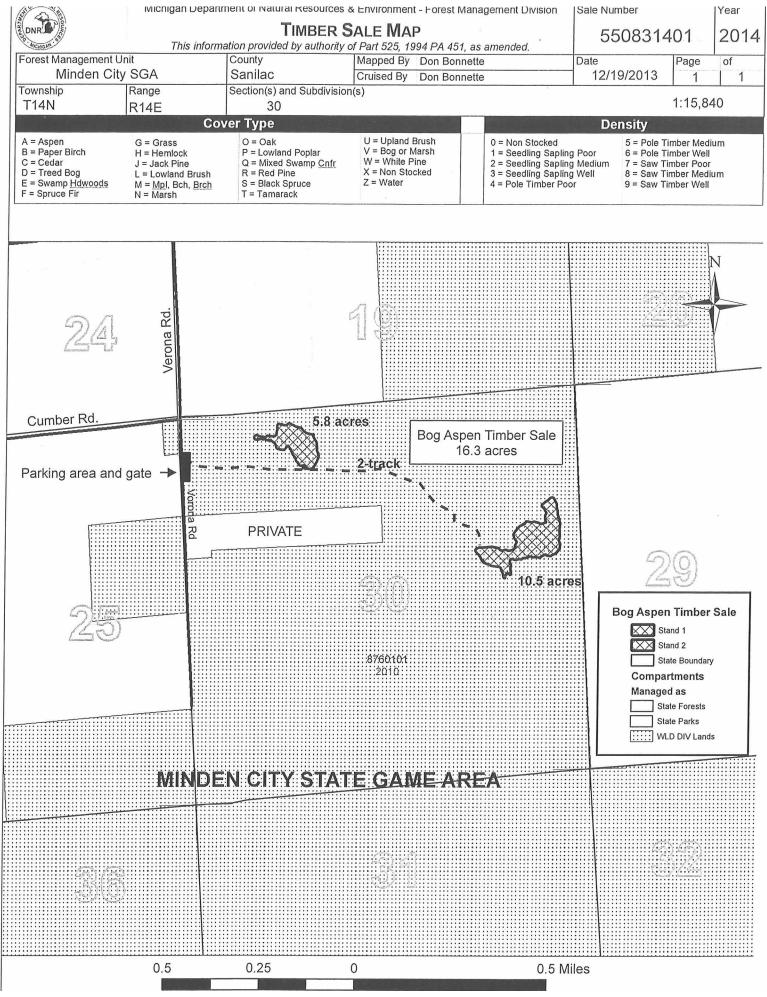
Operations are to cease immediately if equipment and weather conditions result in rutting of roads and skid trails which is 8 inches or greater in depth and 50 feet in length. The Unit Manager or his/her representative may restrict hauling and/or skidding if ruts exceed the specified depth. With the 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

## 7.10 - Certified Timber

## 7.10.1 - Non-certified timber (12/05)

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# TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

## WHEATLAND ASPEN (55-084-14-01)

T13N, R13E, SEC. 12; T13N, R14E, SEC. 07.

Sanilac County (Advertised Price \$8,645.00)

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 other public land.

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

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	<u>ADVI</u>	ERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs			
Mixed Aspen	24.70 Acres	\$	350.00 / Acre

\* 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 **\$950.00** 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 04/01/2016.

## Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

## Sale Name: Wheatland Aspen Sale Number: 55-084-14-01

## 1 - Sale Area

## 1.2 - Boundaries

1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (1/14)

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## 2 - Timber Specifications

## 2.1 - Included Timber

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, cut all red pine marked with orange paint, and all other 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 except white pine, oak, hemlock, apple, beech, juneberry, and unmarked red pine.

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

Note that the sale consists primarily of aspen logs and poles with lesser quantities of red pine logs and poles, and mixed hardwood (white birch, black cherry, red maple, ash) logs and poles.

## 2.2 - Utilization

2.2.3 - Stump heights (4/07)

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2.2.10 - No chipping tops and limbs (4/12)

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## 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, or chipped, utilized or otherwise removed from the sale. All materials placed in low, wet areas must be removed and dispersed within the sale boundaries or in areas designated by the sale administrator when operations are complete. Any gates and/or vehicle barriers removed during the conduct of logging operations shall be replaced according to the sale administrators' specifications.

#### 4.2 - Maintenance

## 4.2.3 - Road maintenance (8/13)

The following road maintenance is required: the access trail leading to and beyond the gate at the end of Wheatland Road must be maintained in passable condition to 2-wheel drive vehicles for the duration of operations. Any vehicle barriers (gates, posts, berms) must be replaced or restored to the sale administrators specifications. Addionally, within 60 days of completion of hauling, or if no hauling occurs for 60 days, the road must be maintained and graded. This includes cleaning of drainage areas, grading, crowning and filling with gravel, if necessary. Damages will be assessed if grading/repair does not occur.

## 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 Unit Manager or his/her representative must be contacted at least 10 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

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#### 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.

#### 5.2.4 - Dead and Down Creation

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

To create grouse habitat, one tree per acre (maple or ash where available) must be cut and left on site. These trees must have a DBH over 7" (inches) and are to be felled and left within 3'(feet) of the stump.

#### 5.2.32 - Decking/landing restoration (9/13)

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. At the sale administrators discretion, this may include grading, leveling and seeding of all landing and loading areas. All windrows of material on the edges of landing and processing areas must be dispersed within the sale boundaries.

#### 5.4 - Soil Protection

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

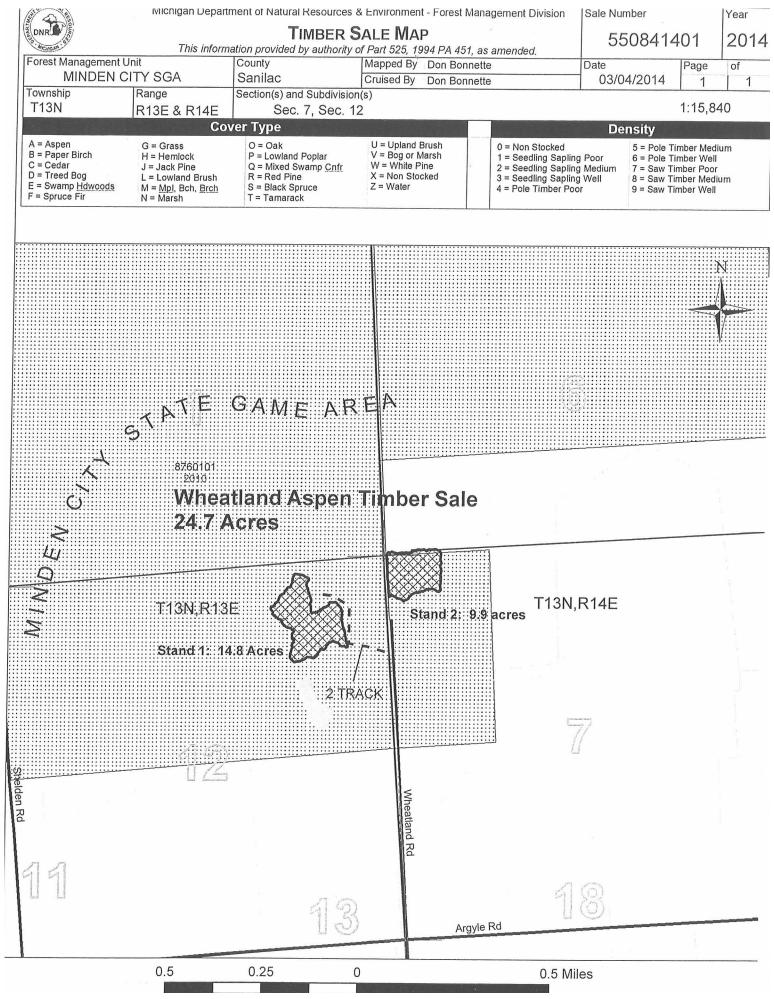
Operations must minimize the number of skid trails into and out of the sale area - multiple skid trails are not permitted. Operations are to cease immediately if equipment and weather conditions result in rutting of roads and skid trails which is 8 inches or greater in depth and 50 feet in length. The 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

7.10 - Certified Timber

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## TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

# LITTLE MIX (55-085-14-01)

T13N, R10E, SEC. 15.

## Tuscola County (Advertised Price \$9,052.00)

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 other public land.

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

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	ADVE	ERTISED PRICE
Pulpwood			
Mixed Hardwood	24.80 Acres	\$	365.00 / Acre

\* 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 **\$750.00** 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 04/01/2016.

## Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

## Sale Name: Little Mix Sale Number: 55-085-14-01

## 1 - Sale Area

1.2 - Boundaries

1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (1/14)

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

## 2 - Timber Specifications

## 2.1 - Included Timber

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, cut all red pine marked with orange paint, all white pine between 5 inches DBH and 12 inches DBH. In addition, cut all other 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 except oak, juneberry, apple, cedar, beech, tamarack, trees marked with green paint, white pine less than 5 inches DBH or greater than 12 inches DBH, or unmarked red pine.

2.1.11 - Description of timber note (2/04)

Note that the sale consists primarily of hardwood poles and logs, with lesser quanitites of red pine and white pine logs and poles.

2.2 - Utilization

2.2.3 - Stump heights (4/07)

Stump heights within the Sale Area shall not exceed 12 inches.

2.2.10 - No chipping tops and limbs (4/12)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, chipping of the bole, 4-inches in diameter or greater, is allowed. Chipping of limbs or portions of the tree less than 4-inches in diameter is not permitted. Limbs and the remaining top must be left on site and scattered.

#### 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, or chipped, utilized or otherwise removed from the sale. All materials placed in low, wet areas must be removed and dispersed within the sale boundaries or in areas designated by the sale administrator when operations are complete. Any gates and/or vehicle barriers removed during the conduct of logging operations shall be replaced according to the sale administrators' specifications.

4.2 - Maintenance

4.2.3 - Road maintenance (8/13)

The following road maintenance is required: the access trail leading to and beyond the gate from Little Road and the access trail leading to and beyond the gate at Duprey Road must be maintained in passable condition to 2-wheel drive vehicles for the duration of operations. Addionally, within 60 days of completion of hauling, or if no hauling occurs for 60 days, the road must be maintained and graded. This includes cleaning of drainage areas, grading, crowning and filling with gravel, if necessary. Damages will be assessed if grading/repair does not occur. No decking of logs or other forest products in the designated parking areas at the Little Road and Duprey accesses is permitted from September 1 to January 1.

#### 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 Unit Manager or his/her representative must be contacted at least 10 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

5.2.1.8 - Slash height (12/08)

No slash or tree tops may exceed 48 inches in height.

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

To facilitate reforestation, the sale, log processing and decking areas shall be left with slash evenly distributed. Bunched tops within the cutting area shall be broken up and scattered. Stumps shall be cut low to the ground. Processing sites shall not be left with a compacted layer of slash; tops from these sites shall be hauled back into the cut area and scattered.

## 5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

## 5.2.3.1 - Operating restrictions (9/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, operations must minimize the number of skid trails; multiple skid trails will not be permitted. This restriction is necessary to minimize soil compaction and protect regeneration.

## 5.2.3.2 - Operating restrictions (9/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) cutting, skidding, and hauling are absolutely prohibited during the period of 04/01 to 06/15. This restriction is necessary to limit soil compaction, protect the road network and maximize aspen regeneration.

## 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.

## 5.2.31 - Landing locations (9/13)

Required landing areas are marked on the timber sale map with the letter "L". Consult with the timber sale administrator prior to beginning operations for specific details. Landings must be confined to these designated sites unless otherwise authorized by the Unit Manager or his/her representative. In general, landings are limited to a "T" turnaround which will accommodate a truck with a 50 foot trailer.

#### 5.2.32 - Decking/landing restoration (9/13)

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. At the sale administrators discretion, this may include grading, leveling and seeding of all landing and loading areas. All windrows of material on the edges of landing and processing areas must be dispersed within the sale boundaries.

#### 5.4 - Soil Protection

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

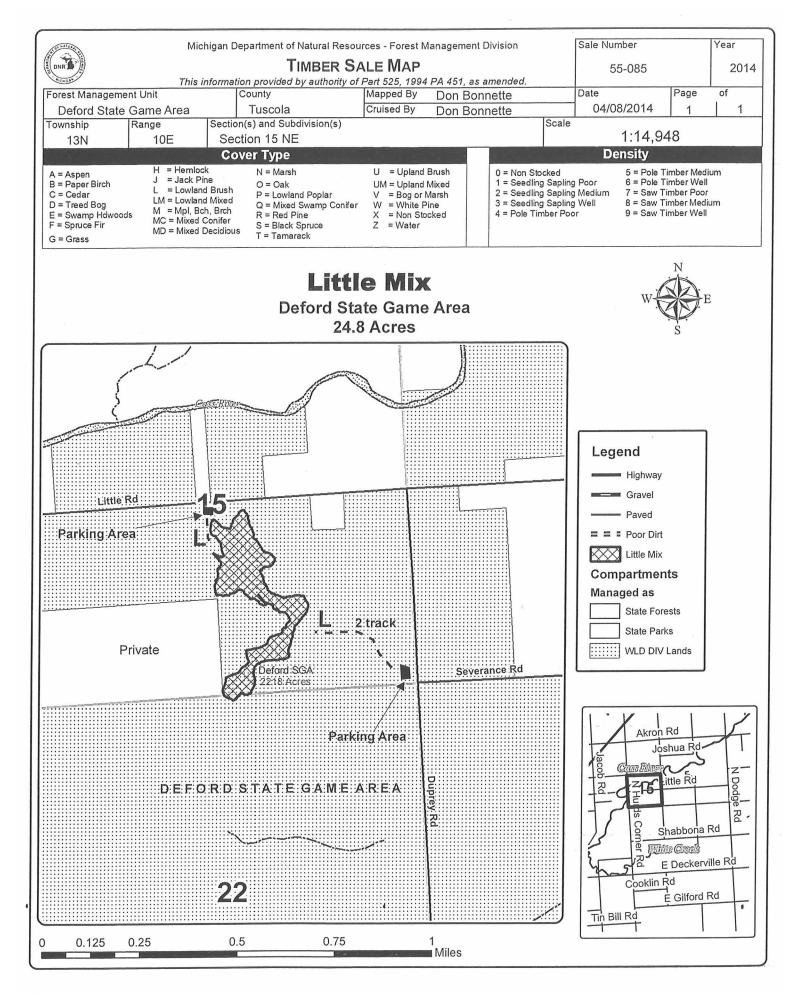
Operations are to cease immediately if equipment and weather conditions result in rutting of roads and skid trails which is 8 inches or greater in depth and 50 feet in length. The Unit Manager or his/her representative may restrict hauling and/or skidding if ruts exceed the specified depth. With the 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

## 7.10 - Certified Timber

## 7.10.1 - Non-certified timber (12/05)

The area encompassed by this timber sale is not certified to the standards of the Forest Stewardship Council (FSC) or the Sustainable Forestry Initiative (SFI). Forest products from this sale may not be delivered to the mill as "FSC and / or SFI certified".



# TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

# SEVERANCE ASPEN (55-086-14-01)

T13N, R10E, SEC. 22.

## Tuscola County (Advertised Price \$13,158.00)

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 other public land.

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

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	ADVE	ERTISED PRICE
Pulpwood			
Mixed Aspen	38.70 Acres	\$	340.00 / Acre

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## Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

## Sale Name: Severance Aspen Sale Number: 55-086-14-01

## 1 - Sale Area

1.2 - Boundaries

1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (1/14)

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## 2 - Timber Specifications

## 2.1 - Included Timber

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2.1.11 - Description of timber note (2/04)

Note that the sale consists primarily of aspen poles and logs with lesser quanitites of mixed hardwood (red maple, white birch, black cherry, ash, elm) logs and poles.

## 2.2 - Utilization

2.2.3 - Stump heights (4/07)

Stump heights within the Sale Area shall not exceed 12 inches.

2.2.10 - No chipping tops and limbs (4/12)

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## 5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

## 5.2.3.1 - Operating restrictions (9/11)

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## 5.2.3.2 - Operating restrictions (9/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) cutting, skidding, and hauling are absolutely prohibited during the period of 04/01 to 06/15. This restriction is necessary to limit soil compaction, rutting and to maximize aspen regeneration.

## 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.

#### 5.2.32 - Decking/landing restoration (9/13)

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. At the sale administrators discretion, this may include grading, leveling and seeding of all landing and loading areas. All windrows of material on the edges of landing and processing areas must be dispersed within the sale boundaries. Operations must minimize the size of landings and/or processing areas.

#### 5.4 - Soil Protection

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

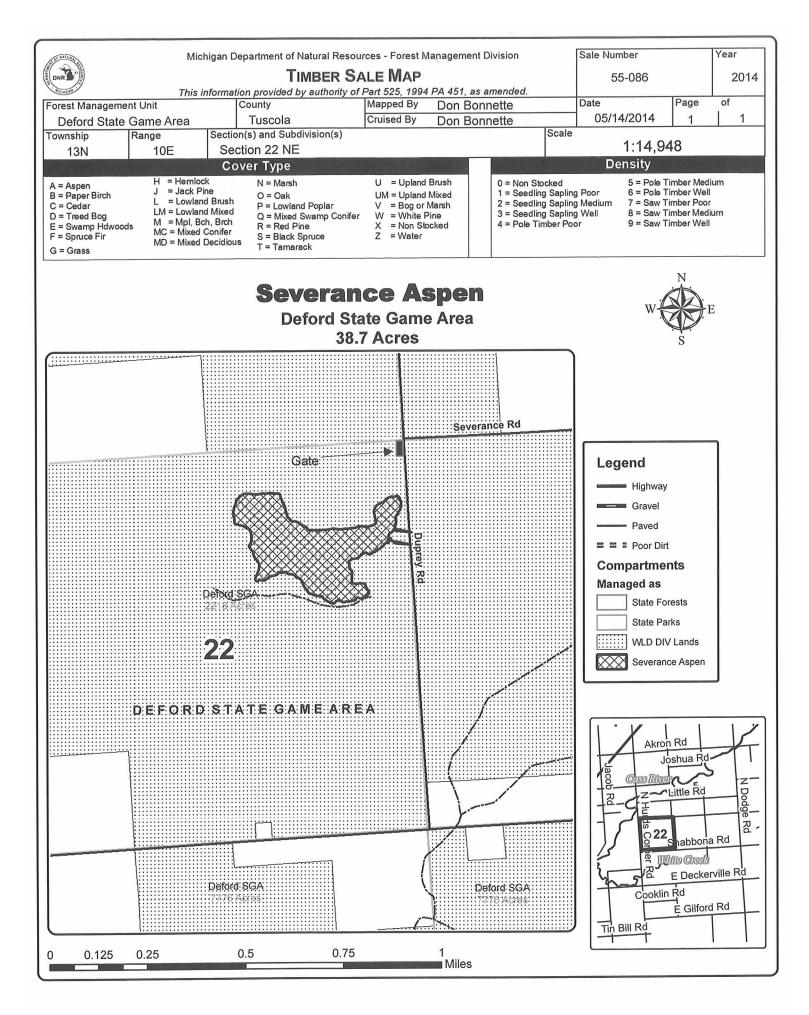
Operations are to cease immediately if equipment and weather conditions result in rutting of roads and skid trails which is 8 inches or greater in depth and 50 feet in length. The Unit Manager or his/her representative may restrict hauling and/or skidding if ruts exceed the specified depth. With the 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

#### 7.10 - Certified Timber

## 7.10.1 - Non-certified timber (12/05)

The area encompassed by this timber sale is not certified to the standards of the Forest Stewardship Council (FSC) or the Sustainable Forestry Initiative (SFI). Forest products from this sale may not be delivered to the mill as "FSC and / or SFI certified".



#### **BID FORM**

## HILL TOP MIXED HARDWOOD (55-082-14-01)

T16N, R13E, SEC. 01; T16N, R13E, SEC. 23, Huron County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 10:00 a.m. (local time) on July 30, 2014, I am hereby submitting my sealed bid (firm offer) for the following forest products to be cut. Bids for individual species must be at or above the advertised price. All non-responsive bid forms may be rejected.

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	AD'	VERTISED PRICE	<b>BID PRICE</b>	
Pulpwood					
Mixed Hardwood	9.80 Acres	\$	300.00 / Acre	\$	/ Acre

\* 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):	



Michigan Department of Natural Resources & Environment Forest Management Division

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

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## VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE

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

Please Check Appropriate Categories:

- 1. My business is organized as (you **must** check <u>one</u> of the boxes below):
  - A. Sole Proprietorship (individual)
  - B. D Partnership
  - C. Corporation
- 2. You must check one of the boxes below:
  - A. I certify that my business is a sole proprietorship and it has no employees but the sole proprietor. I am not subject to the Worker's Compensation Laws.
  - B. I certify that my business has satisfied its obligation to the Worker's Compensation Act through the use of an approved Notice of Exclusion (BWC-337, Rev. 5/96). I will provide a copy of the Notice of Exclusion within 21 days of the contract award. (For questions or a copy of the BWC-337, please call the Worker's Compensation Bureau at 517-322-1195).
  - C. I certify that my business has a Worker's Compensation Policy. I will provide an original Certificate of Insurance within 21 days of the contract award.
- 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	s true and correct.	I agree to notify the Michigan DNRE of any changes that

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

# Sale Number (XX – XXX – XX – XX)

FOR DEPARTMENT USE ONLY

Forest Management Unit:

## **BID FORM**

#### BOG ASPEN (55-083-14-01)

T14N, R14E, SEC. 30, Sanilac County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 10:00 a.m. (local time) on July 30, 2014, I am hereby submitting my sealed bid (firm offer) for the following forest products to be cut. Bids for individual species must be at or above the advertised price. All non-responsive bid forms may be rejected.

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	AD'	VERTISED PRICE	<b>BID PRICE</b>	
Sawlogs					
Mixed Aspen	16.30 Acres	\$	330.00 / Acre	\$	_ / Acre

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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):	



Michigan Department of Natural Resources & Environment Forest Management Division

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

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## VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE

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

Please Check Appropriate Categories:

- 1. My business is organized as (you **must** check <u>one</u> of the boxes below):
  - A. Sole Proprietorship (individual)
  - B. D Partnership
  - C. Corporation
- 2. You must check one of the boxes below:
  - A. I certify that my business is a sole proprietorship and it has no employees but the sole proprietor. I am not subject to the Worker's Compensation Laws.
  - B. I certify that my business has satisfied its obligation to the Worker's Compensation Act through the use of an approved Notice of Exclusion (BWC-337, Rev. 5/96). I will provide a copy of the Notice of Exclusion within 21 days of the contract award. (For questions or a copy of the BWC-337, please call the Worker's Compensation Bureau at 517-322-1195).
  - C. I certify that my business has a Worker's Compensation Policy. I will provide an original Certificate of Insurance within 21 days of the contract award.
- 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.
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Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative

Title

Date

# Sale Number (XX – XXX – XX – XX)

FOR DEPARTMENT USE ONLY

Forest Management Unit:

## **BID FORM**

## WHEATLAND ASPEN (55-084-14-01)

#### T13N, R13E, SEC. 12; T13N, R14E, SEC. 07, Sanilac County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 10:00 a.m. (local time) on July 30, 2014, I am hereby submitting my sealed bid (firm offer) for the following forest products to be cut. Bids for individual species must be at or above the advertised price. All non-responsive bid forms may be rejected.

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Sawlogs					
Mixed Aspen	24.70 Acres	\$	350.00 / Acre	\$	_ / Acre

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Address:		
City: Sta	ate: Zip:	_

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FOR DEPARTMENT USE ONLY

Forest Management Unit:

## **BID FORM**

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Company or individual bidding:		
Company representative's name:		
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Sale Number (XX – XXX – XX – XX)

Forest Management Unit:

#### **BID FORM**

#### SEVERANCE ASPEN (55-086-14-01) T13N, R10E, SEC. 22, Tuscola County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 10:00 a.m. (local time) on July 30, 2014, I am hereby submitting my sealed bid (firm offer) for the following forest products to be cut. Bids for individual species must be at or above the advertised price. All non-responsive bid forms may be rejected.

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	<u>AD</u>	VERTISED PRICE	<b>BID PRICE</b>	
Pulpwood Mixed Aspen	38.70 Acres	\$	340.00 / Acre	\$	/ Acre

\* 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: Sta	te: Zip:	

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

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



Michigan Department of Natural Resources & Environment Forest Management Division

# 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.

## VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE

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

Please Check Appropriate Categories:

- 1. My business is organized as (you **must** check <u>one</u> of the boxes below):
  - A. Sole Proprietorship (individual)
  - B. D Partnership
  - C. Corporation
- 2. You must check one of the boxes below:
  - A. I certify that my business is a sole proprietorship and it has no employees but the sole proprietor. I am not subject to the Worker's Compensation Laws.
  - B. I certify that my business has satisfied its obligation to the Worker's Compensation Act through the use of an approved Notice of Exclusion (BWC-337, Rev. 5/96). I will provide a copy of the Notice of Exclusion within 21 days of the contract award. (For questions or a copy of the BWC-337, please call the Worker's Compensation Bureau at 517-322-1195).
  - C. I certify that my business has a Worker's Compensation Policy. I will provide an original Certificate of Insurance within 21 days of the contract award.
- 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	I agree to notify the Michigan DNRE of any changes that	

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

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