

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES STATE OF MICHIGAN

TIMBER SALE PROSPECTUS #5276

<u>SCHEDULED SALE DATE AND TIME:</u> 3:00 p.m. (local time) on February 23, 2015. <u>LOCATION:</u> MANTON FIELD OFFICE, 521 N MICHIGAN, MANTON, MI 49663.

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

PORTER MIX (63-007-14-01) / T22N, R05W, SEC. 02, NWSE,SWSE,NESW,SESW,NWSW,SWNW. T22N, R05W, SEC. 10, NENE,SENE. Missaukee County, Advertised Price \$22,937.70, 91.0 Acres

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

PORTER RANCH RESERVE (63-008-14-01) / T22N, R05W, SEC. 01, SENE,NESE,SESE,SWSE,SESW,SWSW. T22N, R05W, SEC. 02, SESE,SWSE. T22N, R05W, SEC. 11, NENE,NWNE. T22N, R05W, SEC. 12, NWNW. Missaukee County, Advertised Price \$31,762.75, 134.0 Acres

55 ACCESS MIX (63-023-14-01) / T22N, R05W, SEC. 01, E1/2NW,W1/2NE. Missaukee County, Advertised Price \$29,136.90, 59.0 Acres

<u>COW LINE PINE & HDWD</u> (63-025-14-01) / T21N, R05W, SEC. 19, NWNW. Missaukee County, Advertised Price \$17,472.90, 27.0 Acres

PORTER JACK (63-035-14-01) / T22N, R05W, SEC. 11, E1/2,NESW,SESW. Missaukee County, Advertised Price \$28,591.10, 117.0 Acres

BID INSTRUCTIONS (VER. 10/01/2014):

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

Bids must be received by the Unit Manager, MANTON OFFICE, 521 N MICHIGAN, MANTON, MI 49663, no later than 3:00 p.m. (local time) on February 23, 2015. For further information concerning this sale, contact Jim Malloy at 231-824-3591 extension 10.

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 (9/14)

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 expiration date.

10. Disclaimer of Estimates and Bidder's Warranty of Inspection (1/11)

Before submitting this bid, the Bidder is advised and cautioned to inspect the sale area, review the requirements of the sale contract, and take other steps as may be reasonably necessary to ascertain the location, estimated volumes, construction estimates, and operating costs of the proposed sale. Failure to do so will not relieve the Bidder from responsibility for completing the contract.

The Bidder warrants that this bid is submitted solely on the basis of the Bidder's examination and inspection of the quality and quantity of the timber offered for sale and the Bidder's opinion of the value thereof and the costs of recovery. No reliance should be placed on the State of Michigan's estimates of timber quality, quantity or costs of recovery. Bidder further acknowledges that the State of Michigan: (i) expressly disclaims any warranty of fitness of timber for any purpose; (ii) offers this timber as is without any warranty of quality (merchantability) or quantity and (iii) expressly disclaims any warranty as to the quantity or quality of timber sold.

11. Certification and Chain-of-Custody (10/14)

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-SF5. 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

PORTER MIX (63-007-14-01)

T22N, R05W, SEC. 02; T22N, R05W, SEC. 10.

Missaukee County (Advertised Price \$22,937.70)

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

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>AD</u> V	ERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs Red Pine	27.70 MBF	\$	120.00 / MBF
Pulpwood Jack Pine	711.00 Cords	\$	7.90 / Cord
Mixed Aspen Red Pine	414.00 Cords 113.00 Cords	\$ \$	15.85 / Cord 40.90 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$2,813.20:

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* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 12.57 percent. The estimated units are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

BOND AND PAYMENT SCHEDULE:

- 1. A bond in the amount of **\$1,200.00** 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	20%
02	10%
03	70%

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

5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 03/31/2017.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Porter Mix Sale Number: 63-007-14-01

1 - Sale Area

1.2 - Boundaries

1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (1/14)The sale boundary is marked and identified by red paint.

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, 2, and 3, cut all trees which meet minimum piece specifications in 2.2 Utilization, EXCEPT white pine, oak, and cherry. Within unit 2, avoid damage to white pine understory.

3 - Payments

3.3 - Pre-measured Sales

3.3.4 - Dividing payment units (7/14)

Payment Unit(s) 3 may be divided at the request of the Purchaser and upon approval of the Unit Manager. Dividing Payment Units is a contract modification which requires a Timber Sale Contract Supplement. There will be only one division per Payment Unit.

4 - Transportation

4.1 - Construction

4.1.6 - Road construction (1/09)

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

4.2 - Maintenance

4.2.5 - Two wheel drive condition (2/04)

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

5 - Operations

5.1 - 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 Unit Manager or his/her representative must be contacted at least 3 days in advance to schedule the conference.

5.1.4 - Post-sale conference (6/11)

A post-sale conference on site between the Purchaser and sale administrator is required 3 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 red paint line.

5.2.1.8 - Slash height (12/08)

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

5.2.2 - Hazard Trees/Snags

5.2.2.1 - Den trees (2/04)

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

5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

5.2.3.1 - Operating restrictions (9/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1-3, unless changed by written agreement, cutting, skidding, and hauling are limited to winter frozen or dry summer conditions only. This restriction is due to wet and sensitive soils.

5.2.4 - Dead and Down Creation

5.2.4.4 - Dead and down creation, grouse (8/13)

To encourage grouse and other wildlife, in Payment Unit(s) 1, 2, and 3 leave one, 12" diameter or larger log-length (8 foot minimum) piece on the ground for every 2 acres. These will be evenly scattered throughout the unit. This can be an unmerchantable piece or a full tree. Each log must be clearly identified by a piece of blue flagging.

5.2.41 - Snowmobile trail protection (9/11)

The trail 6/7 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. The road maintenance/restoration must be done prior to December 1. If the trail is used for hauling, it must be graded to the satisfaction of the Unit Manager or his/her representative prior to December 1st. 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. Snowmobile trail may only be crossed at right angles. Maintain a 20 foot wide slash, debris, and rut free zone daily using the snowmobile trail as the centerline. No decking of forest products will be permitted along the snowmobile trail. In addition, any trees cut within 5 feet of the trail must have the stumps removed and be disposed of according to the direction of the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

5.4 - Soil Protection

5.4.1 - Rutting restriction, general (1/09)

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

5.4.6 - Wet area protection (5/10)

No harvesting operations, including skidding and felling, are to take place within the vernal pond areas or drainages. When harvesting occurs, there should be no disturbance to the vernal pond depression. All equipment, trees and tops should be kept out of this area. Within 100 feet of the pond, equipment should only be used when the soil is in a dry or frozen condition. Care must be taken by the Purchaser to identify and avoid operating in these areas of the timber sale.

6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

6.2 - Signing

6.2.1 - Road posting (9/09)

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on Jeffs Road prior to beginning operations. The road must be posted 200 feet from the sale area to warn of logging activity and truck traffic. Signs must be removed when harvest operations are suspended or completed. The Purchaser will provide these signs.

6.2.2 - Snowmobile trail posting (8/09)

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on snowmobile trail 6/7 prior to beginning operations during the snowmobile season (approximately December 1 to March 31). The trail must be posted 200 feet from the sale area to warn of logging activity and truck traffic. Signs must be removed when harvest operations are suspended or completed. The Purchaser will provide these signs.

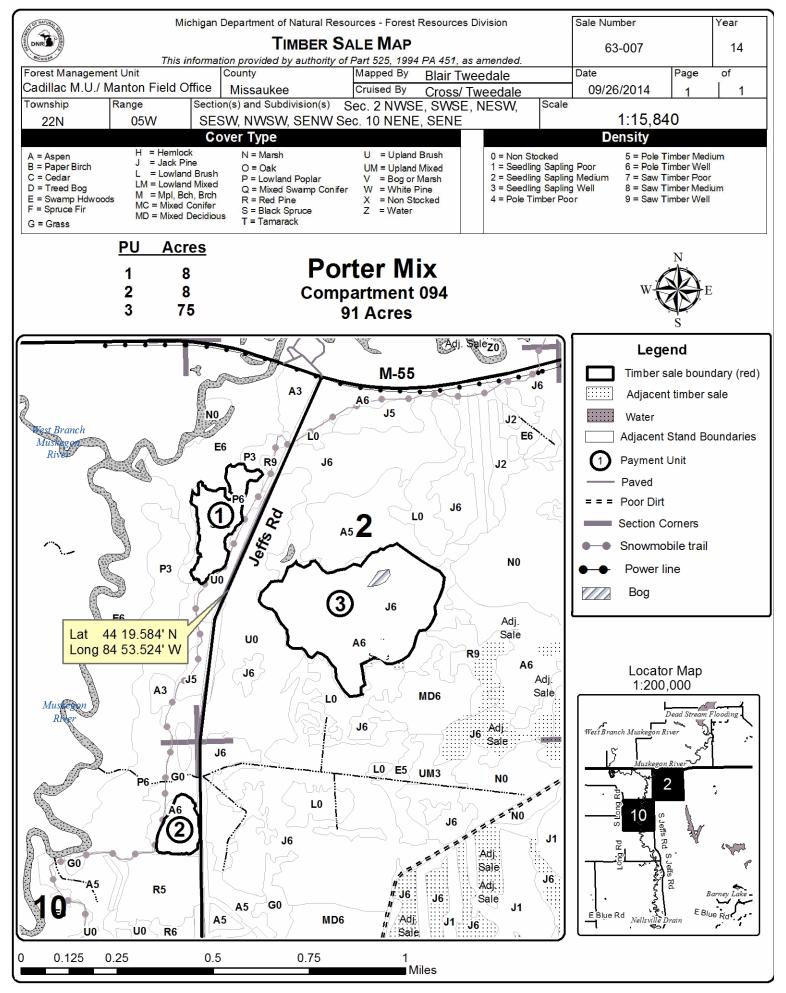
7 - Other Conditions

7.2 - Extensions

7.2.5 - Weather related extension (1/13)

If weather conditions during the operating period of this contract prevent harvesting, this sale may qualify for a weather

related extension. If approved, the normal extension fee would be waived. To qualify, there must be a documented attempt each year to harvest in the difficult portion of the sale.



TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

PORTER RANCH RESERVE (63-008-14-01) T22N, R05W, SEC. 01; T22N, R05W, SEC. 02; T22N, R05W, SEC. 11; T22N, R05W, SEC. 12.

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*	AD\	/ERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs			
Mixed Aspen	37.40 MBF	\$	44.00 / MBF
Red Pine	47.90 MBF	\$	125.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
Jack Pine	1,235.00 Cords	\$	7.55 / Cord
Mixed Aspen	415.00 Cords	\$	18.50 / Cord
Red Pine	97.00 Cords	\$	40.20 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$3,228.50:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	<u>ADV</u>	ERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs			
Jack Pine	62.00 MBF	\$	16.00 / MBF
Red Maple	10.10 MBF	\$	72.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
Red Maple	129.00 Cords	\$	11.70 / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 10.35 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:

PAYMENT

- 1. A bond in the amount of **\$1,650.00** 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:

UNIT NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALE VALUE
01	5%
02	55%
03	10%
04	30%
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4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.

5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 03/31/2017.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Porter Ranch Reserve Sale Number: 63-008-14-01

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.

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, 2, 3, and 4, cut all trees which meet minimum piece specifications in 2.2 Utilization, EXCEPT DO NOT CUT oak and cherry. Also, in unit 4, DO NOT CUT RED PINE OVER 18 inches.

3 - Payments

3.3 - Pre-measured Sales

3.3.4 - Dividing payment units (7/14)

Payment Unit(s) 2 and 4 may be divided at the request of the Purchaser and upon approval of the Unit Manager. Dividing Payment Units is a contract modification which requires a Timber Sale Contract Supplement.

4 - Transportation

4.1 - Construction

4.1.5 - Culverts (5/14)

Roads may require the installation of culverts or portable bridges for cross drainage or at natural drainage-ways. If culverts are needed in these locations, their placement will be specified by the sale administrator and they shall be installed prior to hauling. The culverts shall be new, corrugated metal or plastic gauge. Culverts will be a minimum of 12 inches in diameter and 24 feet in length. If culverts are removed, fill shall be removed from wetland soils as specified. Soils shall be maintained and left in a non-erodible condition, with water bars, seed, fertilizer, mulch, and slash installed as directed by the sale administrator and as specified in the BMP manual. Stream crossing permits, if needed, will be obtained by the DNR. If a portable bridge is needed for crossing ditches or wet areas, the DNR will supply and install the bridge.

4.1.6 - Road construction (1/09)

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

4.1.7 - Road closure (10/11)

All new roads built into the sale must be blocked to vehicle traffic upon completion of the sale. Overgrown roads that are reopened shall be considered new roads. In general, this will require constructing a four (4') foot high berm of stumps and logs covered with earth. These roads must be rendered impassable to cars and trucks.

4.2 - Maintenance

4.2.5 - Two wheel drive condition (2/04)

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

5 - Operations

5.1 - 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 Unit Manager or his/her representative must be contacted at least 3 days in advance to schedule the conference.

5.1.4 - Post-sale conference (6/11)

A post-sale conference on site between the Purchaser and sale administrator is required 3 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 24 inches in height.

5.2.1.11 - Slash for reforestation (5/07)

To facilitate reforestation, all units 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, 2, 3, and 4, unless changed by written agreement, cutting, skidding, and hauling are are limited to winter frozen ground only conditions. This restriction is due to wet and sensitive soils.

5.4 - Soil Protection

5.4.1 - Rutting restriction, general (1/09)

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

5.4.6 - Wet area protection (5/10)

No harvesting operations, including skidding and felling, are to take place within the vernal pond areas or drainages. When harvesting occurs, there should be no disturbance to the vernal pond depression. All equipment, trees and tops should be kept out of this area. Within 100 feet of the pond, equipment should only be used when the soil is in a dry or frozen condition. Care must be taken by the Purchaser to identify and avoid operating in these areas of the timber sale.

7 - Other Conditions

7.2 - Extensions

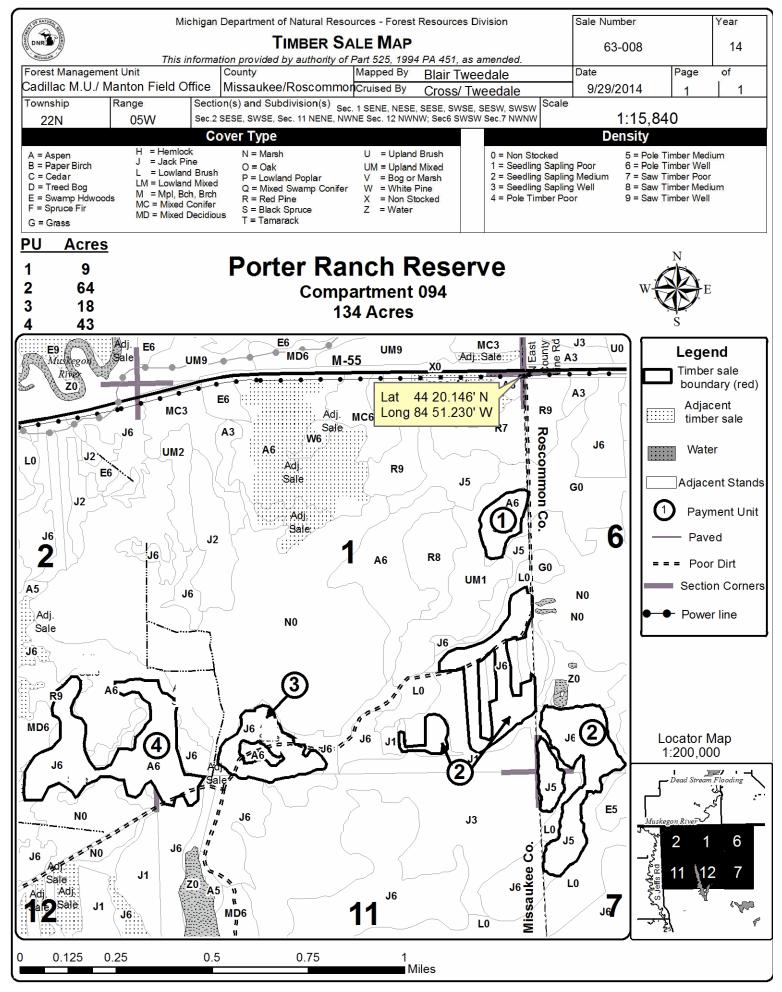
7.2.5 - Weather related extension (1/13)

If weather conditions during the operating period of this contract prevent harvesting, this sale may qualify for a weather related extension. If approved, the normal extension fee would be waived. To qualify, there must be a documented attempt each year to harvest in the difficult portion of the sale.

7.5 - Loss

7.5.1 - Deteriorating timber (7/09)

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



TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

<u>55 ACCESS MIX (63-023-14-01)</u> T22N, R05W, SEC. 01.

Missaukee County (Advertised Price \$29,136.90)

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	73.10 MBF	\$	71.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
Mixed Aspen	979.00 Cords	\$	19.20 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$5,150.00:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	ADV	ERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs White Pine	16.90 MBF	\$	80.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
Jack Pine	30.00 Cords	\$	7.80 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	121.00 Cords	\$	11.75 / Cord
Red Pine	20.00 Cords	\$	50.80 / Cord
White Pine	85.00 Cords	\$	13.25 / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 16.04 percent. The estimated units are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

BOND AND PAYMENT SCHEDULE:

- 1. A bond in the amount of **\$1,500.00** 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 03/31/2017.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: 55 Access Mix Sale Number: 63-023-14-01

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. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with 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 (6/14)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, cut all trees that are two (2) inches or more at DBH, except do not cut any White Pine, Red Pine, or Oak unless marked with orange paint.

3 - Payments

3.3 - Pre-measured Sales

3.3.4 - Dividing payment units (7/14)

Payment Unit(s) 1 may be divided at the request of the Purchaser and upon approval of the Unit Manager. Dividing Payment Units is a contract modification which requires a Timber Sale Contract Supplement. There will be only one division per Payment Unit.

4 - Transportation

4.1 - Construction

4.1.6 - Road construction (1/09)

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

4.1.7 - Road closure (10/11)

All new roads built into the sale must be blocked to vehicle traffic upon completion of the sale. These roads must be rendered impassable to cars and trucks. All stumps from road building and landing construction must be reserved to block any newly constructed roads upon completion of the sale. These stumps must be scattered along the road system to prohibit vehicular movement. Temporary berms may be required if no sale activity occurs for 30 or more consecutive days. Contact the sale administrator for specific details of design and placement.

4.1.11 - Permits (2/12)

The Michigan DNR will secure any necessary highway and stream crossing permits that may be required.

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 Unit Manager or his/her representative must be contacted at least 3 days in advance to schedule the conference.

5.1.4 - Post-sale conference (6/11)

A post-sale conference on site between the Purchaser and sale administrator is required 3 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 24 inches in height.

5.2.2 - Hazard Trees/Snags

5.2.2.1 - Den trees (2/04)

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

5.2.4 - Dead and Down Creation

5.2.4.4 - Dead and down creation, grouse (8/13)

To encourage grouse and other wildlife, in Payment Unit(s) 1, leave one, 12" diameter or larger log-length (8 foot minimum) piece on the ground for every 2 acres. These will be evenly scattered throughout the unit. This can be an unmerchantable piece or a full tree.

5.2.22 - Operating Caution

5.2.22.1 - Operating caution (6/11)

It is recommended, but not required, that within Payment Unit(s) 1, cutting, skidding, and hauling occur during dry summer or frozen winter conditions. The reason for the recommendation is because of a high water table in the area.

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. Wood debris, chips and "cookies" from trimmings must be removed or scattered away from landing and loading areas and may not be windrowed on the edge. Landing areas must be planted with an approved seed mixture.

5.4 - Soil Protection

5.4.1 - Rutting restriction, general (1/09)

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

5.4.6 - Wet area protection (5/10)

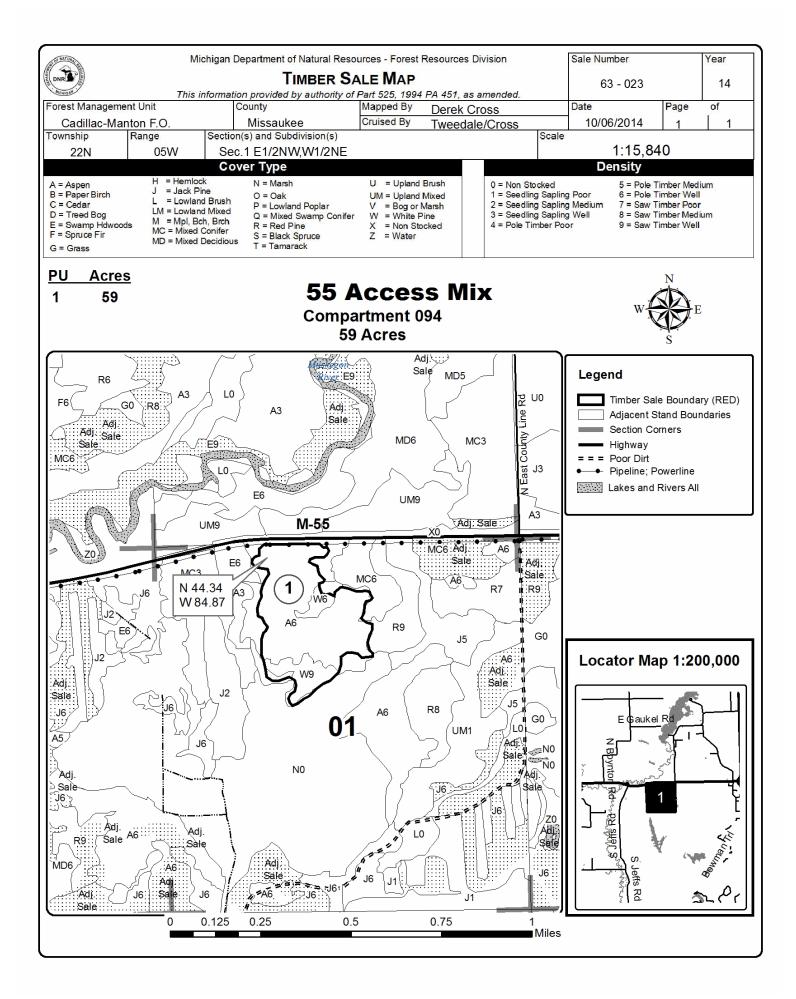
No harvesting operations, including skidding and felling, are to take place within the vernal pond areas or drainages. Care must be taken by the Purchaser to identify and avoid operating in these areas of the timber sale.

6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

6.2 - Signing

6.2.1 - Road posting (9/09)

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on M-55 prior to beginning operations. The road must be posted 200 feet from the sale area to warn of logging activity and truck traffic. Signs must be removed when harvest operations are suspended or completed. The Purchaser will provide these signs.



TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

COW LINE PINE & HDWD (63-025-14-01) T21N, R05W, SEC. 19. Missaukee County (Advertised Price \$17,472.90)

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:

D UNITS* <u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
/IBF \$ 105.00 / MBF
/IBF \$ 279.00 / MBF
Cords \$ 37.10 / Cord
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In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$1,538.50:

ESTIMATED UNITS*	ADV	ERTISED PRICE
4.00 MBF	\$	95.00 / MBF
4.70 MBF	\$	92.00 / MBF
4.90 MBF	\$	62.00 / MBF
41.00 Cords	\$	10.30 / Cord
	4.00 MBF 4.70 MBF 4.90 MBF	4.00 MBF \$ 4.70 MBF \$ 4.90 MBF \$

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 35.43 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 **\$900.00** to insure faithful performance of the conditions of the contract will be deposited by the successful bidder within 21 days of the sale award.
- 2. Cutting in any sale or unit without the required advance payment would be considered a trespass.
- 3. Total payment must be paid in advance or according to the following schedule:
 - (a) Ten percent (10%) of the sale value must be paid within 21 days of the sale award.
 - (b) The 10% down payment will be credited towards the first unit cut.
 - (c) Payment for each of the following units must be made before cutting begins in that unit: PAYMENT UNIT NUMBER PERCENT OF TOTAL SALE VALUE

INIT NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALE VALUE
01	70%
02	30%

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

5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 03/31/2017.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Cow Line Pine & Hdwd Sale Number: 63-025-14-01

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 blue and red paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against private property are marked with blue paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. Interior Payment Unit Boundaries are marked with red paint. The painted boundary line trees are not Included Timber and are to be protected unless marked with orange paint.

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 and 2, all trees are designated for cutting when marked with orange paint above and below stump height, regardless of merchantability.

2.2 - Utilization

2.2.3 - Stump heights (4/07)

Stump heights within Payment Unit 1 shall not exceed 6 inches for all trees. This is in order to facilitate planting operations.

2.2.7 - Uncut designated trees (2/04)

Liquidated damages of \$5.00 per tree will be assessed for every marked tree not cut.

3 - Payments

3.3 - Pre-measured Sales

3.3.4 - Dividing payment units (7/14)

Payment Unit(s) 1 may be divided at the request of the Purchaser and upon approval of the Unit Manager. Dividing Payment Units is a contract modification which requires a Timber Sale Contract Supplement. There will be only one division per Payment Unit.

4 - Transportation

4.1 - Construction

4.1.12 - No new roads (1/12)

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

4.2 - Maintenance

4.2.5 - Two wheel drive condition (2/04)

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

5 - Operations

- 5.1 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 Unit Manager or his/her representative must be contacted at least 3 days in advance to schedule the conference.

5.1.4 - Post-sale conference (6/11)

A post-sale conference on site between the Purchaser and sale administrator is required 3 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 24 inches in height.

5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

5.2.3.3 - Bark slippage restriction (3/09)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 & 2, 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.

5.2.20 - Equipment width (2/04)

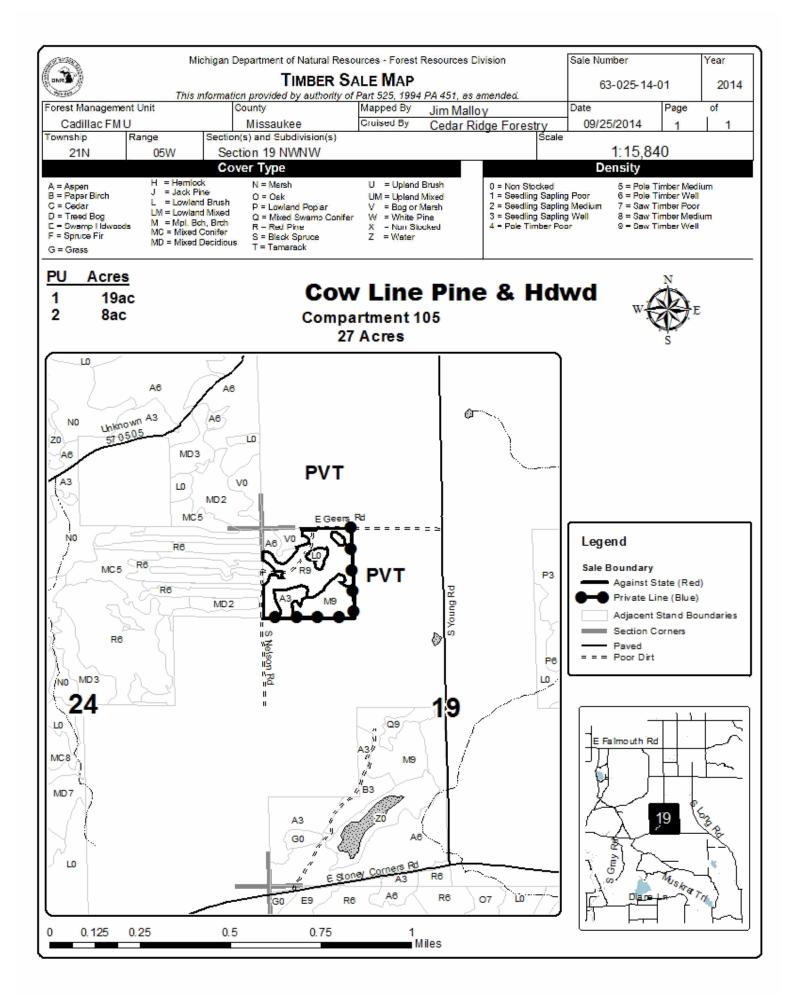
Equipment used to remove designated trees must be capable of moving through cut rows without damaging residual trees.

6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

6.2 - Signing

6.2.1 - Road posting (9/09)

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



TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

PORTER JACK (63-035-14-01) T22N, R05W, SEC. 11.

Missaukee County (Advertised Price \$28,591.10)

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*	AD\	/ERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs			
Jack Pine	91.50 MBF	\$	16.00 / MBF
Red Pine	67.10 MBF	\$	125.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
Jack Pine	1,332.00 Cords	\$	7.90 / Cord
Red Pine	136.00 Cords	\$	41.50 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$2,572.80:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	<u>ADV</u>	ERTISED PRICE
Pulpwood			
Mixed Aspen	60.00 Cords	\$	19.30 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	131.00 Cords	\$	10.80 / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 11.80 percent. The estimated units are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

BOND AND PAYMENT SCHEDULE:

- 1. A bond in the amount of **\$1,500.00** 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 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	64%
02	36%
no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will	not be refunded

- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 03/31/2017.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Porter Jack Sale Number: 63-035-14-01

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.

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

2.1.1 - Clearcut unit(s) with unmerchantable trees (6/14) Within Payment Unit(s) 1 and 2, cut all trees that are two (2) inches or more at DBH, EXCEPT oak and white pine.

2.1.11 - Description of timber note (2/04)

Note that Mixed Hardwood species includes red maple (95%) and paper birch (5%).

3 - Payments

3.3 - Pre-measured Sales

3.3.4 - Dividing payment units (7/14)

Payment Unit(s) may be divided at the request of the Purchaser and upon approval of the Unit Manager. Dividing Payment Units is a contract modification which requires a Timber Sale Contract Supplement. There will be only one division per Payment Unit.

4 - Transportation

- 4.1 Construction
 - 4.1.1 Stream crossings, general (3/11)

All stream crossing structures will be temporary and therefore, shall be provided by the Purchaser, and must be removed upon completion of the sale. All permits for stream crossings will be provided by the DNR.

4.1.5 - Culverts (5/14)

Roads may require the installation of culverts for cross drainage or at natural drainage-ways. If culverts are needed in these locations, their placement will be specified by the sale administrator and they shall be installed prior to hauling. The culverts shall be new, corrugated metal or plastic gauge. Culverts will be a minimum of 12 inches in diameter and 24 feet in length. If culverts are removed, fill shall be removed from wetland soils as specified. Soils shall be maintained and left in a non-erodible condition, with water bars, seed, fertilizer, mulch, and slash installed as directed by the sale administrator and as specified in the BMP manual. Stream crossing permits, if needed, will be obtained by the DNR.

- 4.2 Maintenance
 - 4.2.5 Two wheel drive condition (2/04)

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

5 - Operations

- 5.1 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 Unit Manager or his/her representative must be contacted at least 3 days in advance to schedule the conference.

5.1.4 - Post-sale conference (6/11)

A post-sale conference on site between the Purchaser and sale administrator is required 3 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 24 inches in height.

5.2.1.11 - Slash for reforestation (5/07)

To facilitate reforestation, all units 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 and 2, unless changed by written agreement, cutting, skidding, and hauling are are limited to winter frozen ground only conditions. This restriction is due to wet and sensitive soils.

5.4 - Soil Protection

5.4.1 - Rutting restriction, general (1/09)

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

5.4.6 - Wet area protection (5/10)

No harvesting operations, including skidding and felling, are to take place within the vernal pond areas or drainages. When harvesting occurs, there should be no disturbance to the vernal pond depression. All equipment, trees and tops should be kept out of this area. Within 100 feet of the pond, equipment should only be used when the soil is in a dry or frozen condition. Care must be taken by the Purchaser to identify and avoid operating in these areas of the timber sale.

7 - Other Conditions

7.2 - Extensions

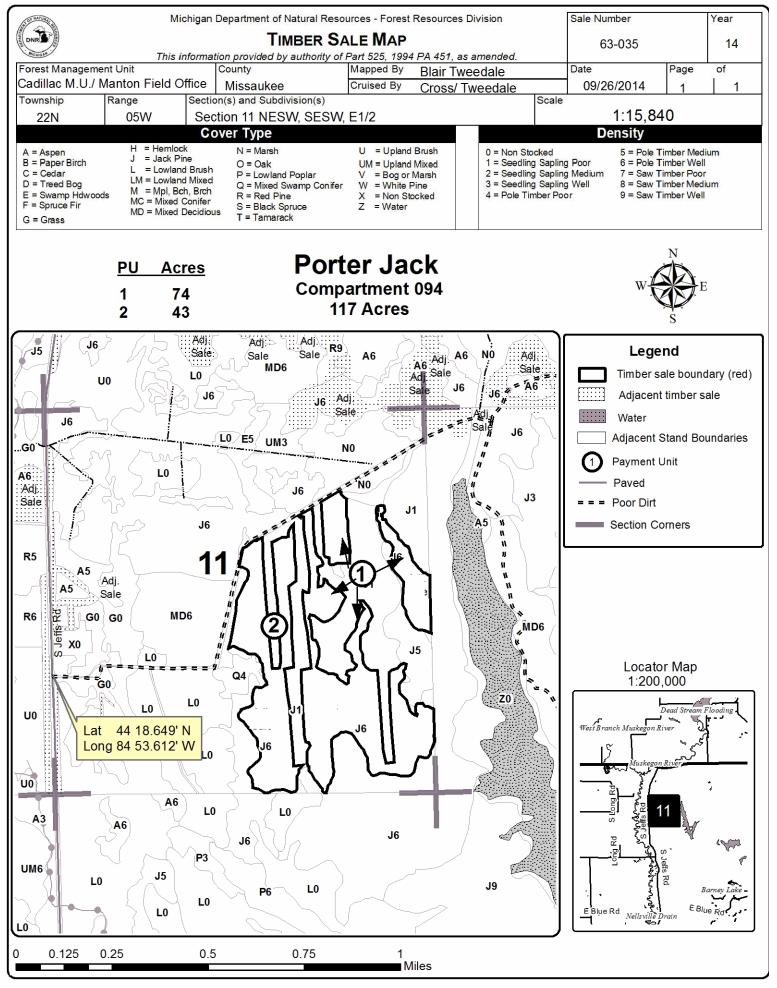
7.2.5 - Weather related extension (1/13)

If weather conditions during the operating period of this contract prevent harvesting, this sale may qualify for a weather related extension. If approved, the normal extension fee would be waived. To qualify, there must be a documented attempt each year to harvest in the difficult portion of the sale.

7.5 - Loss

7.5.1 - Deteriorating timber (7/09)

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



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BID FORM

PORTER MIX (63-007-14-01)

T22N, R05W, SEC. 02; T22N, R05W, SEC. 10, Missaukee County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 3:00 p.m. (local time) on February 23, 2015, I am hereby submitting my sealed bid (firm offer) for the following forest products to be cut. Bids for individual species must be at or above the advertised price. All non-responsive bid forms may be rejected.

PRODUCTS & SPECIES Sawlogs	ESTIMATED UNITS*	ADVERTISED PRICE	BID PRICE
Red Pine	27.70 MBF	\$ 120.00 / MBF	\$ / MBF
Pulpwood			
Jack Pine	711.00 Cords	\$ 7.90 / Cord	\$ / Cord
Mixed Aspen	414.00 Cords	\$ 15.85 / Cord	\$ / Cord
Red Pine	113.00 Cords	\$ 40.90 / Cord	\$ / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$2,813.20:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*		ADVERTISED PRICE		
Sawlogs					
Jack Pine	49.80	MBF	\$	18.00 / MBF	
Mixed Aspen	21.00	MBF	\$	50.00 / MBF	
Pulpwood					
Balsam Fir	22.00	Cords	\$	6.10 / Cord	
Mixed Hardwood	74.00	Cords	\$	9.90 / Cord	

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 12.57 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 SECUR	RITY NUMBER:	<u> </u>
Company or individual bidding:			_
Company representative's name:			
Address:			_
City: S	State:	Zip:	_

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

Individual or company representative's signature:

Phone number : _____ Email (optional): _____

Date:

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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 occur in factors affecting my coverage durin		I agree to notify the Michigan DNRE of any changes that nt and future operations.

Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative

Title

Date

FOR DEPARTMENT USE ONLY

Sale Number (XX – XXX – XX – XX)

Forest Management Unit:

BID FORM

PORTER RANCH RESERVE (63-008-14-01)

T22N, R05W, SEC. 01; T22N, R05W, SEC. 02; T22N, R05W, SEC. 11; T22N, R05W, SEC. 12, Missaukee

County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 3:00 p.m. (local time) on February 23, 2015, 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	BID PR	ICE
Sawlogs						
Mixed Aspen	37.40	MBF	\$	44.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF
Red Pine	47.90	MBF	\$	125.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF
Pulpwood						
Jack Pine	1,235.00	Cords	\$	7.55 / Cord	\$	/ Cord
Mixed Aspen	415.00	Cords	\$	18.50 / Cord	\$	/ Cord
Red Pine	97.00	Cords	\$	40.20 / Cord	\$	/ Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$3,228.50:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*		ADVERTISED PRICE	
Sawlogs				
Jack Pine	62.00 MBF	\$	16.00 / MBF	
Red Maple	10.10 MBF	\$	72.00 / MBF	
Pulpwood				
Red Maple	129.00 Cords	\$	11.70 / Cord	

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 10.35 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:

Phone number :_____ Email (optional):_____

_____ Date:_____

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 - 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 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

FOR DEPARTMENT USE ONLY Sale Number (XX – XXX – XX – XX)

Forest Management Unit:

BID FORM

55 ACCESS MIX (63-023-14-01)

T22N, R05W, SEC. 01, Missaukee County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 3:00 p.m. (local time) on February 23, 2015, I am hereby submitting my sealed bid (firm offer) for the following forest products to be cut. Bids for individual species must be at or above the advertised price. All non-responsive bid forms may be rejected.

PRODUCTS & SPECIES Sawlogs	ESTIMATED UNIT	<u>ADV</u>	ERTISED PRICE	BID PRICE	
Mixed Aspen	73.10 MBF	\$	71.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF
Pulpwood Mixed Aspen	979.00 Cords	s \$	19.20 / Cord	\$	/ Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$5,150.00:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*		ADVERTISED PRICE	
Sawlogs				
White Pine	16.90	MBF	\$	80.00 / MBF
Pulpwood				
Jack Pine	30.00	Cords	\$	7.80 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	121.00	Cords	\$	11.75 / Cord
Red Pine	20.00	Cords	\$	50.80 / Cord
White Pine	85.00	Cords	\$	13.25 / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 16.04 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 SECU	IRITY NUMBER:	·
Company or individual bidding:			-
Company representative's name:			
Address:			_
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Individual or company representative's signature:	Date:

Phone number :_____ Email (optional):_____



Michigan Department of Natural Resources & Environment Forest Management Division

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 - B. I certify that my business has satisfied its obligation to the Worker's Compensation Act through the use of an approved Notice of Exclusion (BWC-337, Rev. 5/96). I will provide a copy of the Notice of Exclusion within 21 days of the contract award. (For questions or a copy of the BWC-337, please call the Worker's Compensation Bureau at 517-322-1195).
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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

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

COW LINE PINE & HDWD (63-025-14-01) T21N, R05W, SEC. 19, Missaukee County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 3:00 p.m. (local time) on February 23, 2015, I am hereby submitting my sealed bid (firm offer) for the following forest products to be cut. Bids for individual species must be at or above the advertised price. All non-responsive bid forms may be rejected.

PRODUCTS & SPECIES Sawlogs	ESTIMATED UNITS	ADVERTISED PRICE	BID PRICE
0	70.00 MPF		* (MDE
Red Pine	79.80 MBF	\$ 105.00 / MBF	\$ / MBF
Sugar Maple	7.40 MBF	\$ 279.00 / MBF	\$ / MBF
Pulpwood			
Red Pine	148.00 Cords	\$ 37.10 / Cord	\$ / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$1,538.50 :

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	ADVERTISED PRIC	E
Sawlogs			
Basswood	4.00 MBF	\$ 95.00 / MBF	
Red Maple	4.70 MBF	\$ 92.00 / MBF	
White Ash	4.90 MBF	\$ 62.00 / MBF	
Pulpwood			
Mixed Hardwood	41.00 Cords	\$ 10.30 / Cord	

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 35.43 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 SECU	JRITY NUMBER:	
Company or individual bidding:			_
Company representative's name:			-
Address:			_
City:	State:	Zip:	

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

Individual or company representative's signature:	Date:	

Phone number :_____ Email (optional):_____

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TIMBER SALE VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE

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 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

Date

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Forest Management Unit:

BID FORM

PORTER JACK (63-035-14-01)

T22N, R05W, SEC. 11, Missaukee County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 3:00 p.m. (local time) on February 23, 2015, 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*	ADVERTISED PRICE	BID PRICE
Sawlogs			
Jack Pine	91.50 MBF	\$ 16.00 / MBF	\$ / MBF
Red Pine	67.10 MBF	\$ 125.00 / MBF	\$ / MBF
Pulpwood			
Jack Pine	1,332.00 Cords	\$ 7.90 / Cord	\$ / Cord
Red Pine	136.00 Cords	\$ 41.50 / Cord	\$ / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$2,572.80:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	<u>AD\</u>	/ERTISED PRICE
Pulpwood Mixed Aspen	60.00 Cords	\$	19.30 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	131.00 Cords	\$	10.80 / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 11.80 percent. The estimated units are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

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FEDERAL ID:	or SOCIAL SECU	IRITY NUMBER:	··
Company or individual bidding:			_
Company representative's name:			_
Address:			_
City:	State:	Zip:	

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Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative

Title

Date

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