

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES STATE OF MICHIGAN

TIMBER SALE PROSPECTUS #5263

SCHEDULED SALE DATE AND TIME: 3:30 p.m. (local time) on December 4, 2014. LOCATION: TRAVERSE CITY MGMT UNIT, 970 EMERSON, TRAVERSE CITY, MI 49696.

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

ROUND UP (61-002-14-01) / T26N, R09W, SEC. 28, N1/2 N1/2S1/2. Grand Traverse County, Advertised Price \$128,393.40, 239.0 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.

HALLEYS COMET PINE (61-033-14-01) / T25N, R10W, SEC. 35, E1/2NE. T25N, R10W, SEC. 36, W1/2NW.

Grand Traverse County, Advertised Price \$35,620.60, 44.0 Acres

BADGER PINE (61-038-14-01) / T25N, R11W, SEC. 35, SW1/4,W1/2SE1/4. Grand Traverse County, Advertised Price \$70,061.70, 103.0 Acres

<u>LAYLAS MIX</u> (61-043-14-01) / T25N, R11W, SEC. 35, NW1/4. Grand Traverse County, Advertised Price \$29,927.95, 67.0 Acres

C233 RED PINE THIN (61-049-14-01) / T24N, R14W, SEC. 01, NWSW. T24N, R14W, SEC. 02, NESE. T24N, R14W, SEC. 12, SESE.

Manistee County, Advertised Price \$61,520.00, 79.0 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.

<u>PARADIGM SHIFT ASPEN</u> (61-069-14-01) / T24N, R14W, SEC. 17, E1/2NW, N1/2SW, SWSW. Manistee County, Advertised Price \$27,293.00, 39.0 Acres

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

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

Bids must be received by the Unit Manager, TRAVERSE CITY OFFICE, 970 EMERSON, TRAVERSE CITY, MI 49696, no later than 3:30 p.m. (local time) on December 4, 2014. For further information concerning this sale, contact David Lemmien at 231-922-5280 extension 6840.

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

ROUND UP (61-002-14-01)

T26N, R09W, SEC. 28.

Grand Traverse County (Advertised Price \$128,393.40)

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*	AD\	/ERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs			
Red Oak	37.50 MBF	\$	177.00 / MBF
Red Pine	490.70 MBF	\$	162.00 / MBF
White Oak	53.50 MBF	\$	79.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
Mixed Oak	370.00 Cords	\$	10.15 / Cord
Red Pine	764.00 Cords	\$	44.55 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$244.30:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	<u>ADV</u>	ERTISED PRICE
Pulpwood			
B. T. Aspen	3.00 Cords	\$	21.10 / Cord
Jack Pine	16.00 Cords	\$	9.35 / Cord
Red Maple	2.00 Cords	\$	15.70 / Cord

^{*} The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 11.71 percent. The estimated units are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

BOND AND PAYMENT SCHEDULE:

- 1. A bond in the amount of \$6,419.00 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	10%
02	55%
03	21%
04	14%

- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 12/31/2016.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Round Up Sale Number: 61-002-14-01

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. Interior Payment Unit boundaries between units 2 and 4 are marked with red paint on both sides. The other unit lines are not marked but delineated by roads or the snowmobile trail as indicated on the timber sale map.

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

2.1.7 - Leave tree marked unit(s) (6/14)

Within Payment Unit(s) #'s 1-4, cut all trees that are four (4) inches or more at DBH except trees marked with green paint above and below stump height. In addition do not cut any red pine 6" or less at DBH.

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 36 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.

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

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

5.2.39 - ORV trail/route protection (12/12)

The ORV trail is shown on the Timber Sale Map. Do not cut trees any trees within 10 feet on each side of the ORV Trail. Do not run equipment down the ORV trail or route. Skidding across the trail or route may only occur in locations approved by the sale administrator

5.2.41 - Snowmobile trail protection (9/11)

The 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. The snowmobile trail may not be used for any timber sale operations from December 1 to March 31. Maintain a 20 foot wide slash, debris, and rut free zone daily using the snowmobile trail as the centerline. All stumps within 20 feet of the snowmobile trail must be cut at ground level.

5.4 - Soil Protection

5.4.1 - Rutting restriction, general (1/09)

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

6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

6.2 - Signing

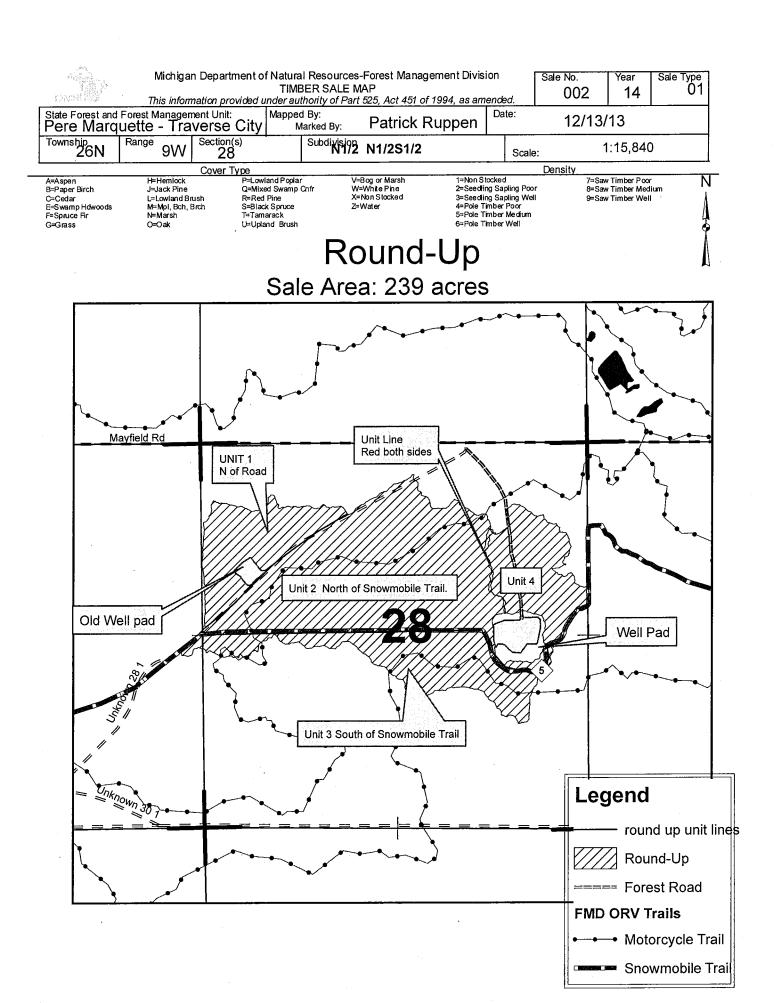
6.2.1 - Road posting (9/09)

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on roads in the sale area prior to beginning operations. The road must be posted at appropriate locations in 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.

6.2.3 - Recreational trail posting (2/10)

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

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TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

HALLEYS COMET PINE (61-033-14-01)

T25N, R10W, SEC. 35; T25N, R10W, SEC. 36.

Grand Traverse County (Advertised Price \$35,620.60)

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>ADV</u>	ERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs			
Mixed Aspen	90.80 MBF	\$	67.00 / MBF
Red Maple	27.90 MBF	\$	161.00 / MBF
Red Pine	51.90 MBF	\$	131.00 / MBF
Sugar Maple	9.50 MBF	\$	328.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
Mixed Aspen	162.00 Cords	\$	18.20 / Cord
Red Maple	127.00 Cords	\$	14.30 / Cord
Red Pine	223.00 Cords	\$	40.00 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$1,445.70:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	<u>ADV</u>	ERTISED PRICE
Pulpwood			
Mixed Hardwood	94.00 Cords	\$	11.60 / Cord
White Pine	34.00 Cords	\$	10.45 / Cord

^{*} The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 17.12 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 \$1,800.00 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	57%
02	43%

- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 12/31/2016.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Halleys Comet Pine Sale Number: 61-033-14-01

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, red and/or yellow paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against private property are marked with blue paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. Interior Payment Unit boundaries are marked with yellow paint. The painted boundary line trees are not Included Timber and are to be protected. Yellow painted trees designating an interior Payment Unit boundary are only to be cut when all surrounding Payment Units have been paid.

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

2.1.1 - Clearcut unit(s) with unmerchantable trees (6/14)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, cut all trees that are two (2) inches or more at DBH except trees marked with green paint.

2.1.8 - Designated plantation row unit(s) (12/08)

Within Payment Unit(s) 2, all trees which meet minimum piece specifications in 2.2 Utilization, within designated plantation rows are designated for cutting. Designated plantation rows begin with the third row in from the outside of the plantation, then continue every third row. Because of the variability of row direction, it shall be the responsibility of the producer to maintain the third row sequence. In addition, all aspen within unit 2 are designated for harvest.

3 - Payments

3.4 - Damaged Timber

3.4.1 - Damaged timber (6/14)

General Condition and Requirement 3.4 Damaged Timber, defines liquidated damages for undesignated live merchantable trees which are cut or injured. No damage is acceptable to merchantable trees. Within the sale area, if more than 10% of trees (> 4.5" DBH) within a specified area of the sale are damaged, liquidated damages will be assessed for all trees damaged. Rates will be in accordance with General Condition and Requirement 3.4 Damaged Timber.

4 - Transportation

4.1 - Construction

4.1.11 - Permits (2/12)

The Purchaser will secure any necessary permits that may be required.

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.

5 - Operations

5.1 - Notification

5.1.4 - Post-sale conference (6/11)

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

5.2 - Conduct of Operations

5.2.1 - Slash

5.2.1.1 - Slash within sale area (2/04)

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

5.2.1.8 - Slash height (12/08)

No slash or tree tops may exceed 36 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

5.2.3.3 - Bark slippage restriction (3/09)

Within Payment Unit(s) 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 risk.

5.2.29 - Shrub protection (9/07)

Do not cut or damage hawthorn, witch-hazel or juneberry. These woody-shrub plants are highly beneficial to various wildlife species.

5.4 - Soil Protection

5.4.1 - Rutting restriction, general (1/09)

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

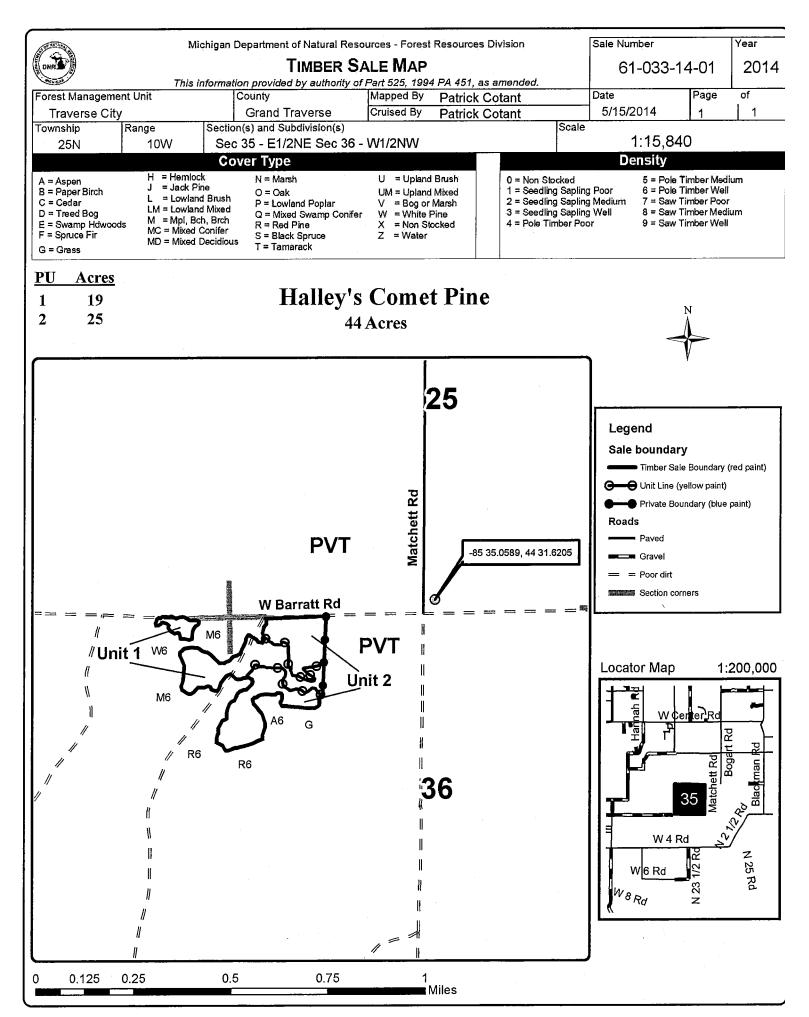
6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

6.2 - Signing

6.2.1 - Road posting (9/09)

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on Barratt 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.

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TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

BADGER PINE (61-038-14-01)

T25N, R11W, SEC. 35.

Grand Traverse County (Advertised Price \$70,061.70)

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>	/ERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs			
Mixed Aspen	40.00 MBF	\$	62.00 / MBF
Red Pine	89.20 MBF	\$	150.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
Red Pine	1,021.00 Cords	\$	47.40 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$5,806.30:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	<u>ADV</u>	ERTISED PRICE
Pulpwood			
Mixed Aspen	249.00 Cords	\$	20.50 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	58.00 Cords	\$	12.10 / Cord

^{*} The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 16.63 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 \$3,550.00 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	25%
02	25%
03	25%
04	25%

- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 12/31/2016.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Badger Pine Sale Number: 61-038-14-01

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

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, 2, 3, and 4, all trees are designated for cutting when marked with orange paint above and below stump height, regardless of merchantability. In addition to the marked trees all aspen is to be cut and utilized.

2.2 - Utilization

2.2.3 - Stump heights (4/07)

Stump heights within the Sale Area shall not exceed 12 inches for trees greater than 10 inches DBH and 4 inches for trees smaller than 10 inches DBH.

3 - Payments

3.3 - Pre-measured Sales

3.3.4 - Dividing payment units (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.

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 locations. The Unit Manager or his/her representative must be contacted at least 5 days in advance to schedule the conference.

5.1.4 - Post-sale conference (6/11)

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

5.2 - Conduct of Operations

5.2.1 - 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.

5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

5.2.3.3 - Bark slippage restriction (3/09)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, 2, 3, and 4, unless changed by written agreement, cutting and skidding are not permitted during the period of April 15 to July 15. This restriction is because of bark slippage.

5.2.32 - 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. Landings must be planted with an approved seed mixture prior to closing of the sale.

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

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

5.4 - Soil Protection

5.4.1 - Rutting restriction, general (1/09)

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

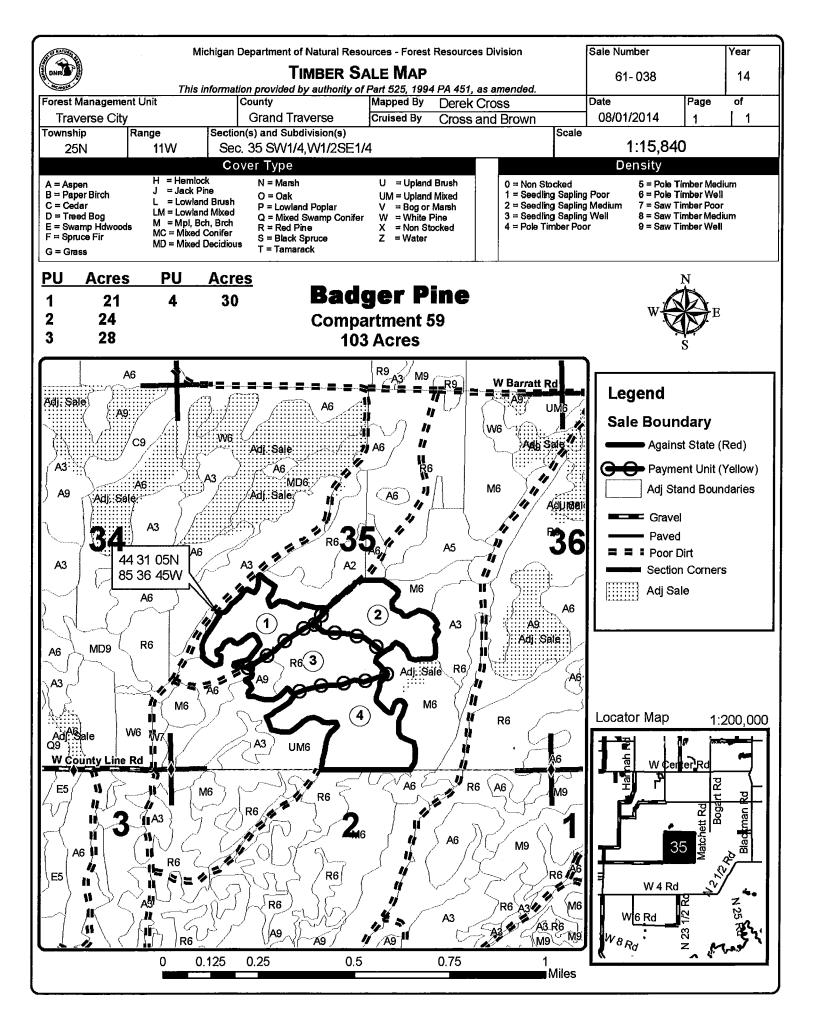
6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

6.2 - Signing

6.2.1 - Road posting (9/09)

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on area roads 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.

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TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

LAYLAS MIX (61-043-14-01)

T25N, R11W, SEC. 35.

Grand Traverse County (Advertised Price \$29,927.95)

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PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	<u>AD\</u>	/ERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs			
Mixed Aspen	73.70 MBF	\$	51.00 / MBF
Red Pine	12.90 MBF	\$	129.00 / MBF
Sugar Maple	15.70 MBF	\$	290.00 / MBF
White Pine	64.50 MBF	\$	52.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
Mixed Aspen	485.00 Cords	\$	16.10 / Cord
White Pine	865.00 Cords	\$	8.05 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$1,826.40:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	<u>ADV</u>	ERTISED PRICE
Pulpwood			
Red Maple	42.00 Cords	\$	10.45 / Cord
Red Pine	21.00 Cords	\$	40.00 / Cord
Sugar Maple	73.00 Cords	\$	7.50 / Cord

^{*} The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 10.94 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:

PERCENT OF TOTAL SALE VALUE
44%
32%
24%

- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 12/31/2016.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Laylas Mix Sale Number: 61-043-14-01

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 and yellow paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. Interior Payment Unit boundaries are marked with yellow paint. The painted boundary line trees are not Included Timber and are to be protected. Yellow painted trees designating an interior Payment Unit boundary are only to be cut when all surrounding Payment Units have been paid.

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

2.1.1 - Clearcut unit(s) with unmerchantable trees (6/14)

Within Payment Unit(s) 3, cut all trees that are two (2) inches or more at DBH except for black cherry, american beech and all trees ringed with green paint. In addition, no timber sale operations are to take place within retention areas that have been delineated by green paint.

2.1.8 - Designated plantation row unit(s) (12/08)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 & 2, all white pine and red pine trees which meet minimum piece specifications in 2.2 Utilization, within designated plantation rows are designated for cutting. Designated plantation rows follow a take two, leave two pattern. Because of the variability of row direction, it shall be the responsibility of the producer to maintain the take 2-leave 2 row sequence as best as possible. In addition, all aspen are to be removed along with any individual trees marked with orange paint. Do not cut any black cherry within units 1 & 2.

3 - Payments

3.4 - Damaged Timber

3.4.1 - Damaged timber (6/14)

General Condition and Requirement 3.4 Damaged Timber, defines liquidated damages for undesignated live merchantable trees which are cut or injured. No damage is acceptable to merchantable trees. Within the sale area, if more than 10% of trees (> 4.5" DBH) within a specified area of the sale are damaged, liquidated damages will be assessed for all trees damaged. Rates will be in accordance with General Condition and Requirement 3.4 Damaged Timber.

4 - Transportation

4.1 - Construction

4.1.6 - 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. These stumps should be set aside to be used for road/skid trail closure upon completion of sale. 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. Contact the sale administrator for specific details of design and placement.

4.1.11 - Permits (2/12)

The Purchaser will secure any necessary permits that may be required.

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.

5.1.4 - Post-sale conference (6/11)

A post-sale conference on site between the Purchaser and sale administrator is required 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 36 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

5.2.3.6 - Bark beetle restriction (12/08)

In the event drought creates a high risk of pine bark beetle infestation, pine is not to be cut during the period March 1 through July 1, unless all portions of trees greater than two inches in diameter are removed from the sale area, reduced to chips, or treated to the satisfaction of the Unit Manager or his/her representative, within fifteen days of being severed from the stump. Pine log decks, pulpwood piles and treetops that are piled for chipping in the fall or winter within a 1/4 mile of susceptible sites must be removed before March 15. Residual slash must not be placed in piles or rows and must be spread over the site for quick drying. The Department of Natural Resources will exercise this specification if the risk of damage warrants.

5.2.29 - Shrub protection (9/07)

Do not cut or damage hawthorn, witch-hazel, dogwood or juneberry. These woody-shrub plants are highly beneficial to various wildlife species.

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.

5.8 - Protection of Endangered Species

5.8.5 - Protection of raptor nests (3/13)

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

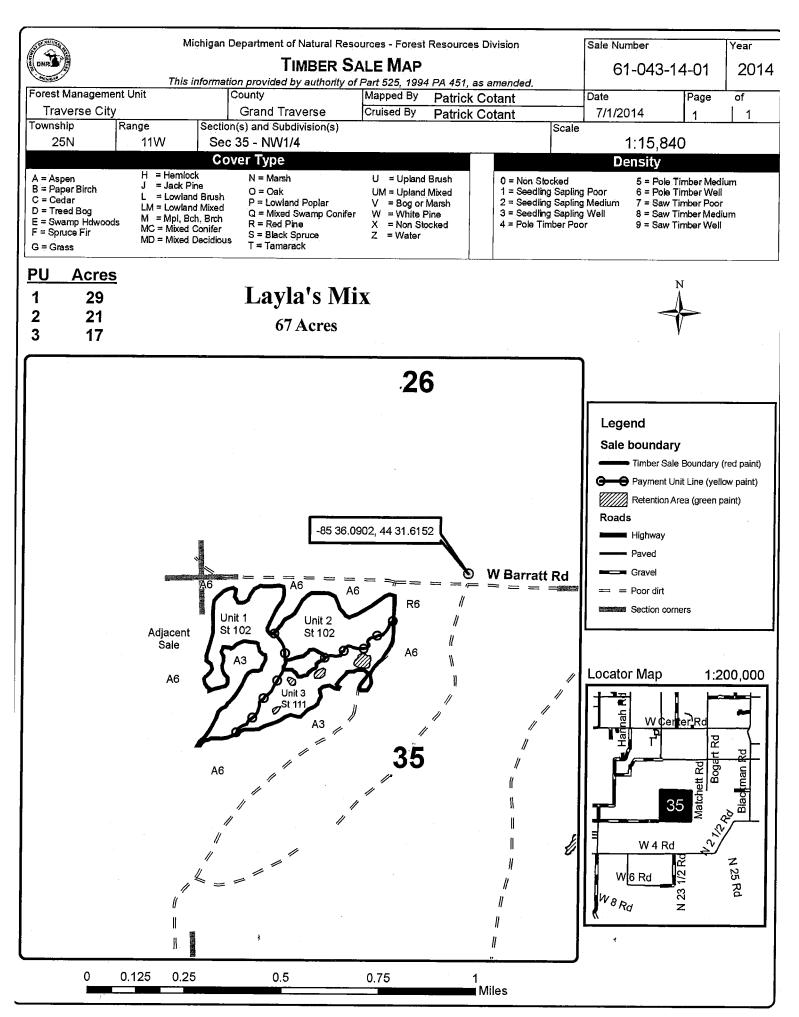
6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

6.2 - Signing

6.2.1 - Road posting (9/09)

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

Section Name: Sale Specific Current as of 9/26/2014 4:15:17PM



TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

C233 RED PINE THIN (61-049-14-01)

T24N, R14W, SEC. 01; T24N, R14W, SEC. 02; T24N, R14W, SEC. 12.

Manistee County (Advertised Price \$61,520.00)

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*	ADVERTISED PRICE		
Sawlogs				
Red Pine	170.50 MBF	\$	146.00 / MBF	
Pulpwood				
Red Pine	842.00 Cords	\$	43.50 / Cord	

^{*} The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 13.27 percent. The estimated units are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

BOND AND PAYMENT SCHEDULE:

- 1. A bond in the amount of **\$5,000.00** to insure faithful performance of the conditions of the contract will be deposited by the successful bidder within 21 days of the sale award.
- 2. Cutting in any sale or unit without the required advance payment would be considered a trespass.
- 3. Total payment must be paid in advance or according to the following schedule:
 - (a) Ten percent (10%) of the sale value must be paid within 21 days of the sale award.
 - (b) The 10% down payment will be credited towards the first unit cut.
 - (c) Payment for each of the following units must be made before cutting begins in that unit:

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PAYMENT UNIT NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALE VALUE
01	52%
02	24%
03	24%

- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 12/31/2016.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: C233 Red Pine Thin Sale Number: 61-049-14-01

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. 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, 2 & 3, 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 sale shall not exceed 6 inches for all trees.

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.

3.4 - Damaged Timber

3.4.1 - Damaged timber (6/14)

General Condition and Requirement 3.4 Damaged Timber, defines liquidated damages for undesignated live merchantable trees which are cut or injured. No damage is acceptable to merchantable trees. Within the sale area, if more than 10% of trees (> 4.5" DBH) within a specified area of the sale are damaged, liquidated damages will be assessed for all trees damaged. Rates will be in accordance with General Condition and Requirement 3.4 Damaged Timber.

4 - Transportation

4.1 - Construction

4.1.11 - Permits (2/12)

The Purchaser will secure any necessary permits that may be required.

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

5.1.4 - Post-sale conference (6/11)

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

5.2 - Conduct of Operations

5.2.1 - Slash

5.2.1.1 - Slash within sale area (2/04)

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

5.2.1.8 - 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) 1-3, unless changed by written agreement, cutting and skidding are not permitted during the period of April 15 to July 15. This restriction is because of bark slippage.

5.2.3.6 - Bark beetle restriction (12/08)

In the event drought creates a high risk of pine bark beetle infestation, pine is not to be cut during the period March 1 through July 1, unless all portions of trees greater than two inches in diameter are removed from the sale area, reduced to chips, or treated to the satisfaction of the Unit Manager or his/her representative, within fifteen days of being severed from the stump. Pine log decks, pulpwood piles and treetops that are piled for chipping in the fall or winter within a 1/4 mile of susceptible sites must be removed before March 15. Residual slash must not be placed in piles or rows and must be spread over the site for quick drying. The Department of Natural Resources will exercise this specification if the risk of damage warrants.

5.2.41 - Snowmobile trail protection (9/11)

The Betsie Valley Trail 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. The snowmobile trail may not be used for any timber sale operations from December 1 to March 31 unless approved by the Unit Manager or his/her representative. The snowmobile trail may only be crossed at right angles. No decking of forest products will be permitted along the snowmobile trail.

5.4 - Soil Protection

5.4.1 - Rutting restriction, general (1/09)

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

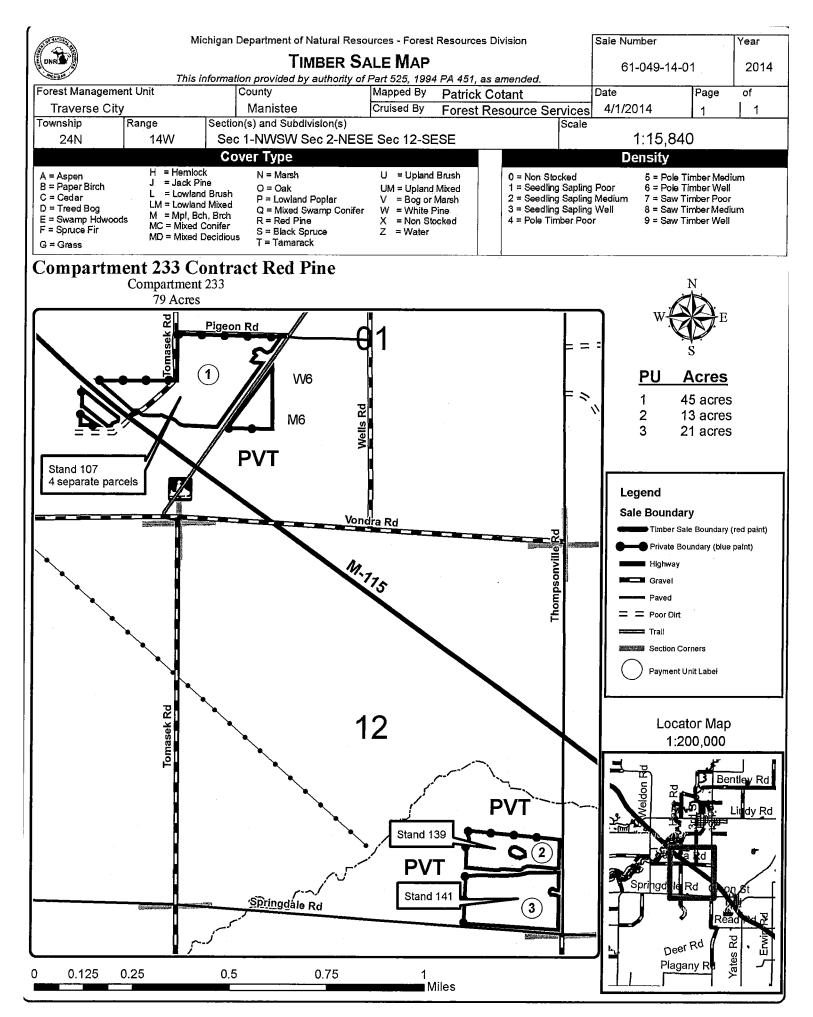
6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

6.2 - Signing

6.2.2 - Snowmobile trail posting (8/09)

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

Section Name: Sale Specific Current as of 11/5/2014 11:20:44AM



TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

PARADIGM SHIFT ASPEN (61-069-14-01)

T24N, R14W, SEC. 17.

Manistee County (Advertised Price \$27,293.00)

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\	VERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs			
Mixed Aspen	92.30 MBF	\$	70.00 / MBF
Red Maple	62.00 MBF	\$	174.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
Mixed Aspen	425.00 Cords	\$	18.00 / Cord
Red Maple	171.00 Cords	\$	14.00 / Cord

^{*} The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 14.46 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 **\$1,400.00** 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.

PAYMENT UNIT NUMBER

PERCENT OF TOTAL SALE VALUE

01

56%

02

44%

- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 06/30/2017.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Paradigm Shift Aspen Sale Number: 61-069-14-01

1 - Sale Area

1.2 - Boundaries

1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (1/14)

The sale boundary is marked and identified by red and blue paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against private property are marked with blue 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 & 2, cut all trees that are two (2) inches or more at DBH except in units 1 & 2, DO NOT CUT conifer species or trees marked with green paint. In unit 2, do not cut black cherry.

2.1.11 - Description of timber note (2/04)

Note that Red Maple pulp includes the following (approximate):

7 cords sugar maple

4 cords American beech

2.2 - Utilization

2.2.2 - Chipping required (5/14)

This area must be chip harvested to help remove majority of red maple regeneration in order to maximize aspen regeneration following harvest. The Purchaser has the option to produce sawlogs or pulpwood bolts, but the remaining portion of the trees must be chipped and hauled. Do not chip 1/6 to 1/3 of the slash from harvested trees (tree tops and limbs less than four inches in diameter).

3 - Payments

3.4 - Damaged Timber

3.4.1 - Damaged timber (6/14)

General Condition and Requirement 3.4 Damaged Timber, defines liquidated damages for undesignated live merchantable trees which are cut or injured. No damage is acceptable to merchantable trees. Within the sale area, if more than 10% of trees (> 4.5" DBH) within a specified area of the sale are damaged, liquidated damages will be assessed for all trees damaged. Rates will be in accordance with General Condition and Requirement 3.4 Damaged Timber.

4 - Transportation

4.1 - Construction

4.1.5 - Culverts (5/14)

Access roads to each unit will require the installation of culverts for cross drainage or at natural drainage-ways. 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. When culverts are removed, fill shall be removed from ditches as specified. Soils shall be maintained and left in a non-erodible condition, with water bars 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. This applies to units 1 & 2 - see timber sale map for approximate location.

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. Contact the sale administrator for specific details of design and placement of berms for road closure.

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 in order to determine landing and road locations.

5.1.4 - Post-sale conference (6/11)

A post-sale conference on site between the Purchaser and sale administrator is required 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.

5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

5.2.3.1 - Operating restrictions (9/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 & 2, unless changed by written agreement, cutting, skidding, and hauling are limited to dry and/or frozen conditions. This restriction is because of the wet nature of soils throughout much of the sale area. Rutting of the sale area will not be tolerated, per spec 5.4.1.

5.2.29 - Shrub protection (9/07)

Do not cut or damage hawthorn, witch-hazel, dogwood or juneberry. These woody-shrub plants are highly beneficial to various wildlife species.

5.4 - Soil Protection

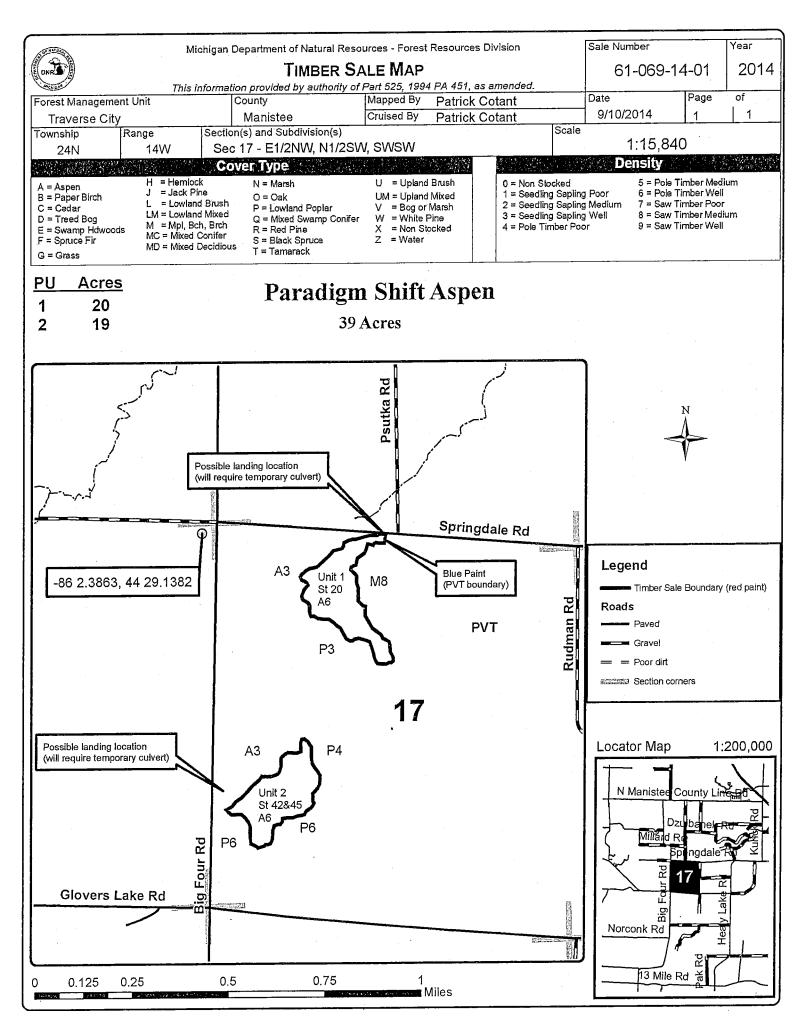
5.4.1 - Rutting restriction, general (1/09)

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.

5.4.5 - Soil caution (11/04)

Extra care must be taken to minimize soil damage in areas that are seasonally wet. In general, these areas include portions of the sale adjacent to the western boundary of unit 1 and the east boundary of unit 2.

Section Name: Sale Specific Current as of 10/13/2014 11:38:03AM



BID FORM

TRAVERSE CITY MANAGEMENT UNIT
TRAVERSE CITY OFFICE

ROUND UP (61-002-14-01) T26N, R09W, SEC. 28, Grand Traverse County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 3:30 p.m. (local time) on December 4, 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	ESTIMATE	D UNITS*	AD\	/ERTISED PRICE	BID P	RICE
Sawlogs						
Red Oak	37.50	MBF	\$	177.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF
Red Pine	490.70	MBF	\$	162.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF
White Oak	53.50	MBF	\$	79.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF
Pulpwood						
Mixed Oak	370.00	Cords	\$	10.15 / Cord	\$	/ Cord
Red Pine	764.00	Cords	\$	44.55 / Cord	\$	/ Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$244.30:

ESTIMATED UNITS*	AD\	/ERTISED PRICE
3.00 Cords	\$	21.10 / Cord
16.00 Cords	\$	9.35 / Cord
2.00 Cords	\$	15.70 / Cord
	3.00 Cords 16.00 Cords	3.00 Cords \$ 16.00 Cords \$

^{*} The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 11.71 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.

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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.

FOR DEPARTMENT USE ONLY	
Sale Number (XX – XXX – XX – XX)	
Forest Management Unit:	,

•	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 hoves 2B or 2C are checked, then Notice of Evolusion or Certificate of Insurance must be submitted within 21

VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE

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. Partnership C. Corporation 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 Federal ID (or) Social Security No. Name of Business Telephone Address ZIP City State 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

BID FORM

TRAVERSE CITY MANAGEMENT UNIT TRAVERSE CITY OFFICE

<u>HALLEYS COMET PINE (61-033-14-01)</u> T25N, R10W, SEC. 35; T25N, R10W, SEC. 36, Grand Traverse County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 3:30 p.m. (local time) on December 4, 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	<u>ESTIMATE</u>	D UNITS*	AD'	VERTISED PRICE	BID PR	RICE
Sawlogs						
Mixed Aspen	90.80	MBF	\$	67.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF
Red Maple	27.90	MBF	\$	161.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF
Red Pine	51.90	MBF	\$	131.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF
Sugar Maple	9.50	MBF	\$	328.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF
Pulpwood						
Mixed Aspen	162.00	Cords	\$	18.20 / Cord	\$	/ Cord
Red Maple	127.00	Cords	\$	14.30 / Cord	\$	/ Cord
Red Pine	223.00	Cords	\$	40.00 / Cord	\$	/ Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$1,445.70:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	AD\	/ERTISED PRICE
Pulpwood			
Mixed Hardwood	94.00 Cords	\$	11.60 / Cord
White Pine	34.00 Cords	\$	10.45 / Cord

^{*} The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 17.12 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.

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Michigan Department of Natural Resources & Environment Forest Management Division

TIMBER SALE VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE

Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative

Title

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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 than yourself, including family members and active partners 								
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BID FORM

TRAVERSE CITY MANAGEMENT UNIT TRAVERSE CITY OFFICE

BADGER PINE (61-038-14-01) T25N, R11W, SEC. 35, Grand Traverse County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 3:30 p.m. (local time) on December 4, 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 U	JNITS*	ADV	ERTISED PRICE	BID PRICE	
Sawlogs						
Mixed Aspen	40.00 N	1BF	\$	62.00 / MBF	\$	_ / MBF
Red Pine	89.20 N	1BF	\$	150.00 / MBF	\$	_ / MBF
Pulpwood						
Red Pine	1,021.00 C	ords	\$	47.40 / Cord	\$	_ / Cord
n addition, the successful bidder aç	grees to purchase the	e following spe	cies at th	ne indicated advertised	price for a total va	alue of \$5,806.30 :
PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED U	JNITS*	ADV	ERTISED PRICE		
Pulpwood						
Mixed Aspen	249.00 C	ords	\$	20.50 / Cord		
Mixed Hardwood	58.00 C	ords	\$	12.10 / Cord		
^t The total volume is statistically est Prospective bidders are urged to ex		, , , ,	•			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

Phone number : _____ Email (optional):_____



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BID FORM

TRAVERSE CITY MANAGEMENT UNIT
TRAVERSE CITY OFFICE

LAYLAS MIX (61-043-14-01) T25N, R11W, SEC. 35, Grand Traverse County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 3:30 p.m. (local time) on December 4, 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	<u>ESTIMATED</u>	UNITS*	AD\	/ERTISED PRICE	BID PF	RICE
Sawlogs						
Mixed Aspen	73.70	MBF	\$	51.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF
Red Pine	12.90	MBF	\$	129.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF
Sugar Maple	15.70	MBF	\$	290.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF
White Pine	64.50	MBF	\$	52.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF
Pulpwood						
Mixed Aspen	485.00	Cords	\$	16.10 / Cord	\$	/ Cord
White Pine	865.00	Cords	\$	8.05 / Cord	\$	/ Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$1,826.40:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	AD\	VERTISED PRICE
Pulpwood			
Red Maple	42.00 Cords	\$	10.45 / Cord
Red Pine	21.00 Cords	\$	40.00 / Cord
Sugar Maple	73.00 Cords	\$	7.50 / Cord

^{*} The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 10.94 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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PRODUCTS & SPECIES

BID FORM

TRAVERSE CITY MANAGEMENT UNIT TRAVERSE CITY OFFICE

BID PRICE

C233 RED PINE THIN (61-049-14-01)

T24N, R14W, SEC. 01; T24N, R14W, SEC. 02; T24N, R14W, SEC. 12, Manistee County

ADVERTISED PRICE

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ESTIMATED UNITS*

Sawlogs								
Red I	-	170.50	MBF	\$	146.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF	
Pulpwood		0.40.00	0 1	_	40.50 / 0	•		
Red I	Pine	842.00	Cords	\$	43.50 / Cord	\$	/ Cord	
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BID FORM

TRAVERSE CITY MANAGEMENT UNIT TRAVERSE CITY OFFICE

PARADIGM SHIFT ASPEN (61-069-14-01) T24N, R14W, SEC. 17, Manistee County

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92.30	MBF	\$	70.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF
62.00	MBF	\$	174.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF
425.00	Cords	\$	18.00 / Cord	\$	/ Cord
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