

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES STATE OF MICHIGAN

TIMBER SALE PROSPECTUS #5459

SCHEDULED SALE DATE AND TIME: 3:00 p.m. (local time) on September 22, 2015. LOCATION: INDIAN RIVER FIELD OFFICE, 6984 WILSON RD, INDIAN RIVER, MI 49749.

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

LOTTA RED PINE (52-101-15-01) / T34N, R04W, SEC. 01, E1/2SE.

T34N, R04W, SEC. 13, W1/2SW.

T34N, R04W, SEC. 15, SWSW.

T34N, R04W, SEC. 22, N1/2NW.

Emmet County, Advertised Price \$236,058.20, 171.0 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.

DOUGLAS ROAD ASPEN (52-120-14-01) / T38N, R02W, SEC. 19, S1/2, SENW.

T38N, R02W, SEC. 30, N1/2.

T38N, R03W, SEC. 24, E1/2SE1/4.

Cheboygan County, Advertised Price \$41,176.90, 172.0 Acres

SALE NOTE: Balsam fir price used is the average price from regional NLP stumpage report. Contact must be made between the purchaser, DNR, and private landowner to discuss access prior to operations.

Access may be through private land.

BAYOU ASPEN AND RED PINE (52-131-14-01) / T34N, R05W, SEC. 27, NWNW.

Emmet County, Advertised Price \$5,181.28, 15.0 Acres

SALE NOTE: This sale has potential for wet soils. The producer is responsible for evaluating the soil conditions (either dry or frozen) prior to beginning operations. Low-impact equipment is recommended.

A recreation site such as a trail, pathway, or campground is within the sale area or the vicinity. Certain restrictions/specifications may be applicable including time restrictions. Access may be through private or other public land.

SLIPPERY CEDAR (52-133-14-01) / T34N, R05W, SEC. 34, SW1/4.

Emmet County, Advertised Price \$6,381.00, 21.0 Acres

SALE NOTE: This will be limited to (extremely) dry summer months and/or frozen winter conditions as the sale area is very wet with sensitive soils. Crane mats can be made available and low-impact equipment is highly recommended.

BENNYS ASPEN (52-134-14-01) / T38N, R05W, SEC. 28, E1/2SW.

T38N, R05W, SEC. 31, NW1/4. T38N, R06W, SEC. 26, S1/2SE; SEC 35 NWNE. T38N, R06W, SEC. 36, NENE.

Emmet County, Advertised Price \$19,540.75, 45.0 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.

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

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

Bids must be received by the Unit Manager, INDIAN RIVER OFFICE, 6984 WILSON RD, INDIAN RIVER, MI 49749, no later than 3:00 p.m. (local time) on September 22, 2015. For further information concerning this sale, contact Shannon Harig at 231-238-9314 extension 4742.

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

LOTTA RED PINE (52-101-15-01)

T34N, R04W, SEC. 01; T34N, R04W, SEC. 13; T34N, R04W, SEC. 15; T34N, R04W, SEC. 22.

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>ADV</u>	/ERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs			
Red Pine	548.40 MBF	\$	210.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
Red Pine	2,120.00 Cords	\$	56.30 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$1,538.20:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	AD\	/ERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs			
B. T. Aspen	7.60 MBF	\$	50.96 / MBF
Mixed Hardwood	3.60 MBF	\$	129.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
B. T. Aspen	30.00 Cords	\$	10.75 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	26.00 Cords	\$	14.00 / Cord

^{*} The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 15.41 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 \$12,000.00 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:

PAYMENT UNIT NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALE VALUE
01	31%
02	10%
03	11%
04	25%
05	11%
06	4%
07	3%
08	5%

- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 09/01/2018.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Lotta Red Pine Sale Number: 52-101-15-01

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 yellow paint.

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 8, cut all trees that are two (2) inches or more at DBH.

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1,2,3,5,6 and 7, all trees are designated for cutting when marked with orange paint above and below stump height, regardless of merchantability.

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 4, 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. Harvest 2 adjacent rows and skip the next three, continue this pattern throughout the cutting unit. Because of the variability of row direction, it shall be the responsibility of the producer to maintain the third row sequence.

3 - Payments

3.3 - Pre-measured Sales

3.3.4 - Dividing payment units (7/14)

Payment Unit(s) 1,2,3,4 and 5 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 5% of trees (> 4.5" DBH) within a specified area of the sale are damaged, liquidated damages will be assessed for all trees damaged. Rates will be in accordance with General Condition and Requirement 3.4 Damaged Timber.

4 - Transportation

4.1 - Construction

4.1.3 - Slash and earthen piles (8/04)

Piles or windrows of earth along roads and landings that have been widened or constructed shall be leveled. Slash from road maintenance or construction, including stumps, shall be dispersed throughout the sale.

4.1.4 - Timber removed for construction (12/09)

Trees cut or damaged in the process of pre-approved road, landing or skid trail construction will be decked in an area separate from other Designated Timber and not removed until measured by the sale administrator. Payment will be made at the specified Purchase Unit Price.

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.

5.2 - Conduct of Operations

5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

5.2.3.3 - Bark slippage restriction (3/09)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1,2,3,4,5,6 and 7, 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.

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

The ORV trail is shown on the Timber Sale Map. Do not cut trees or damage posts with orange ORV markers. Trees with orange ORV markers shall be cut off above the markers and at least 5 feet above ground. All stumps within 5 feet of the trail must be cut flush with the ground. Maintain a 20 foot wide slash, debris, and rut free zone daily using the ORV trail or route as the centerline. Do not run equipment down the ORV trail or route. 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 (Newson Road) 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. 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. 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 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

6.2.2 - Snowmobile trail posting (8/09)

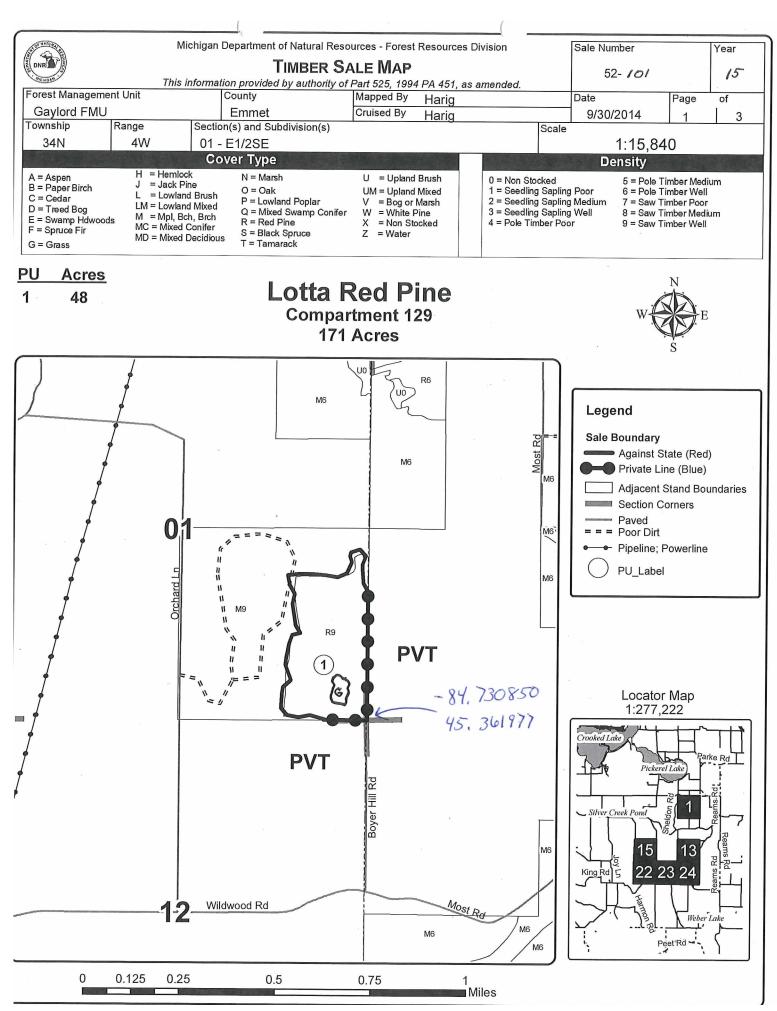
The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on the snowmobile trail prior to beginning operations during the snowmobile season (approximately December 1 to March 31). The trail must be posted at appropriate distances

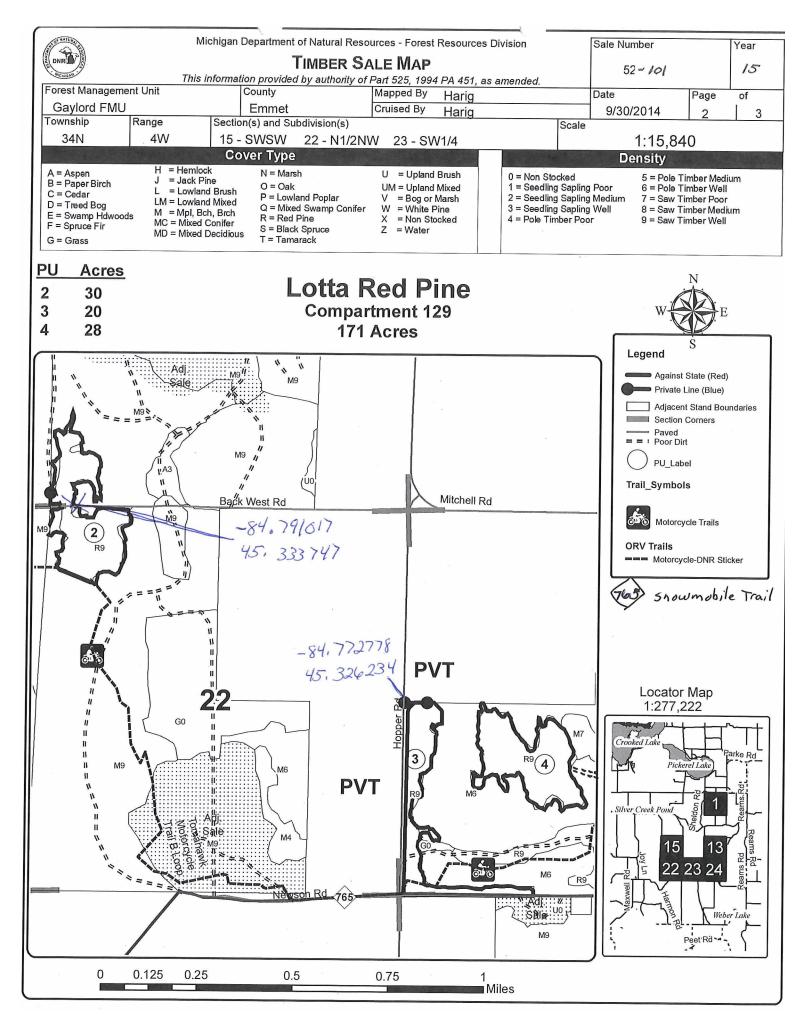
from the sale area to warn of logging activity and truck traffic. Signs must be removed when harvest operations are suspended or completed. The Purchaser will provide these signs.

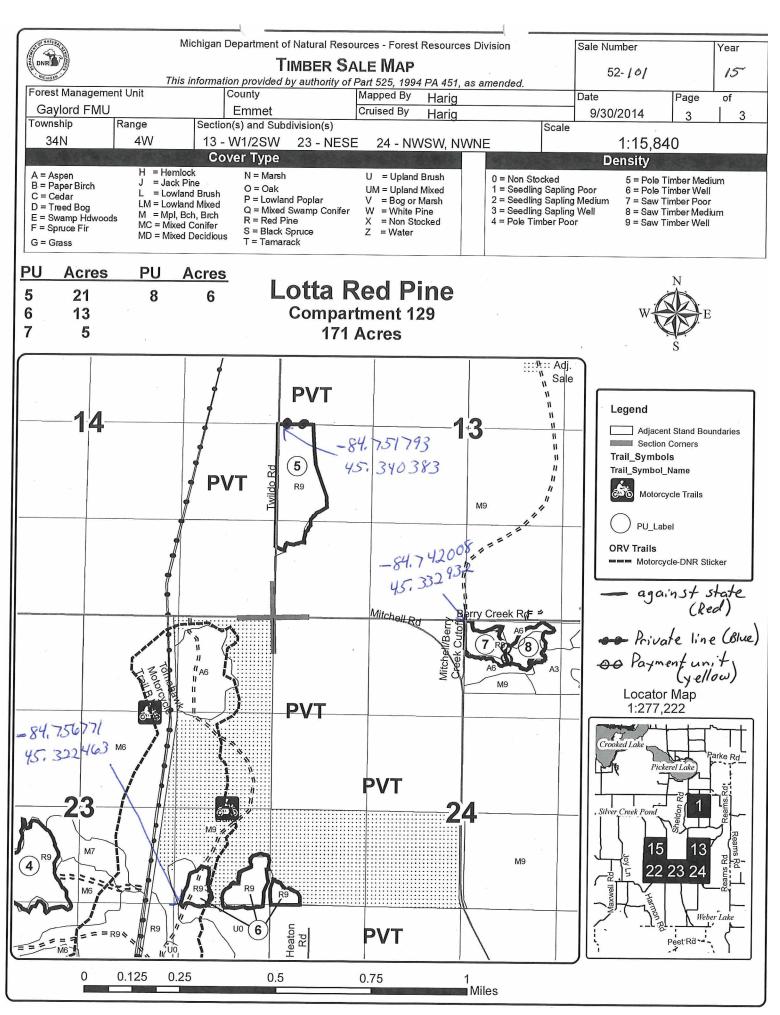
6.2.3 - Recreational trail posting (2/10)

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on the motorcycle 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

DOUGLAS ROAD ASPEN (52-120-14-01)

T38N, R02W, SEC. 19; T38N, R02W, SEC. 30; T38N, R03W, SEC. 24.

Cheboygan County (Advertised Price \$41,176.90)

SALE NOTE: Balsam fir price used is the average price from regional NLP stumpage report. Contact must be made between the purchaser, DNR, and private landowner to discuss access prior to operations.

Access may be through private land.

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

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	ADV	ERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs			
Q. Aspen	153.10 MBF	\$	28.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
Balsam Fir	390.00 Cords	\$	27.75 / Cord
N. W. Cedar	92.00 Cords	\$	31.10 / Cord
Q. Aspen	976.00 Cords	\$	11.65 / Cord
Red Maple	291.00 Cords	\$	12.50 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$8,198.50:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	AD\	/ERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs			
B. T. Aspen	23.30 MBF	\$	46.00 / MBF
Red Maple	6.00 MBF	\$	67.00 / MBF
W. Spruce	11.20 MBF	\$	108.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
B. T. Aspen	134.00 Cords	\$	12.80 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	121.00 Cords	\$	12.40 / Cord
Paper Birch	196.00 Cords	\$	7.35 / Cord
Sugar Maple	14.00 Cords	\$	8.10 / Cord
W. Spruce	142.00 Cords	\$	5.25 / Cord

^{*} The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 8.71 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 **\$2,500.00** 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	20%
02	40%
03	15%
04	10%
05	15%

- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 09/15/2018.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Douglas Road Aspen Sale Number: 52-120-14-01

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, teal, 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. Interior Retention Pockets are marked with teal 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) 1-5, cut all trees that are two (2) inches or more at DBH except elm in all payment units. In addition, in Payment Unit 1, do not cut cedar or white spruce. Special protection trees identified in accordance with condition 3.4.2, within clearcutting unit boundaries, are not Included Timber and are to be protected.

2.1.9 - Harvest exception (12/08)

Do not cut any elms in all Payment Units, and do not cut cedar or spruce in Payment Unit 1 other than those that are necessary to remove in order to operate within the sale area. Every effort must be made to preserve the existing specified trees and to leave an intact stand upon sale completion. All cut designated "no cut" species shall be piled separately by products and scaled in the woods unless other scaling arrangements are agreed to by the Unit Manager or his/her representative. Stumpage is specified in spec 3.4.2.

2.1.11 - Description of timber note (2/04)

Note that "99" Mixed Hardwood includes white ash, black ash, and balsam poplar volumes.

3 - Payments

3.3 - Pre-measured Sales

3.3.4 - Dividing payment units (7/14)

Payment Unit(s) 2 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

3.4.2 - Special Protection Trees (4/14)

The Purchaser shall not cut live or dead special protection trees within cutting units or clearings. Special protection trees are elm (for all Payment Units), also cedar and spruce in Payment Unit 1. If the Purchaser's operations have cut or damaged special protection trees through carelessness, the Purchaser shall pay \$100 as fixed, agreed and liquidated damages for each special protection tree cut or damaged. Such payment does not constitute ownership of the undesignated timber.

3.4.3 - Special Protection Areas (8/11)

The Purchaser shall protect special protection areas from damage by the Purchaser's operations. Special protection areas are identified on the Timber Sale Map and outside of the Sale Area. If the Purchaser's operations have cut or damaged special protection areas through carelessness, the Purchaser shall pay \$1000 as fixed (and in accordance with 5.7.1), agreed and liquidated damages for each acre or part thereof cut or damaged. Such payment does not constitute ownership of the undesignated timber.

3.6 - Payment Unit Cutting Schedule

3.6.2 - One active unit (12/08)

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

4 - Transportation

4.1 - Construction

4.1.3 - Slash and earthen piles (8/04)

Piles or windrows of earth along roads and landings that have been widened or constructed shall be leveled. Slash from road maintenance or construction, including stumps, shall be dispersed throughout the sale.

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.

4.4 - Access

4.4.1 - Private property access (3/11)

Permission for access across private land has been obtained by the DNR. Should the Purchaser desire to cross private land, a copy of the written permission from the private land-owner may be required by the DNR.

5 - Operations

5.1 - Notification

5.1.1 - Pre-sale conference (10/11)

A pre-sale conference 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 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. This is especially necessary to mitigate damages to the private access route.

5.2 - Conduct of Operations

5.2.2 - Hazard Trees/Snags

5.2.2.1 - Den trees (2/04)

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

5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

5.2.3.1 - Operating restrictions (9/11)

Within Payment Unit(s), unless changed by written agreement, cutting, skidding, and hauling are limited to frozen winter months or dry summer months. This restriction is because of low, wet ground.

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.

5.7 - Protection of Historical Sites

5.7.1 - Historical sites (7/12)

The Purchaser shall not cut live or dead trees or operate equipment within historical sites. Historical sites are identified on the Sale Map as a protected area. The Purchaser shall protect historical sites from damage by the Purchaser's operations. If Purchaser's operations have cut or damaged historical sites through carelessness, the Purchaser shall pay \$1,000 as fixed, agreed and liquidated damages for each acre or part thereof cut or damaged.

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 Douglas Road 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.

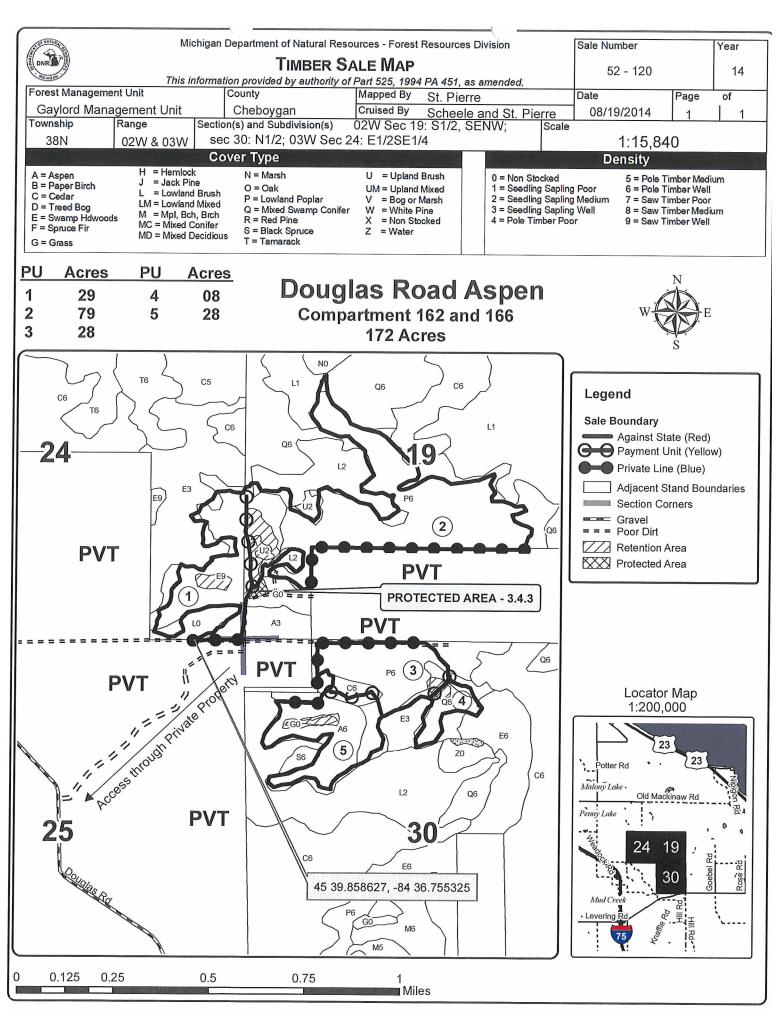
7 - Other Conditions

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.

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TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

BAYOU ASPEN AND RED PINE (52-131-14-01)

T34N, R05W, SEC. 27.

Emmet County (Advertised Price \$5,181.28)

SALE NOTE: This sale has potential for wet soils. The producer is responsible for evaluating the soil conditions (either dry or frozen) prior to beginning operations. Low-impact equipment is recommended.

A recreation site such as a trail, pathway, or campground is within the sale area or the vicinity. Certain restrictions/specifications may be applicable including time restrictions. Access may be through private or other public land.

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

ESTIMATED UNITS*	<u>ADV</u>	ADVERTISED PRICE	
1.90 MBF	\$	152.00 / MBF	
19.00 Cords	\$	22.30 / Cord	
55.00 Cords	\$	11.65 / Cord	
68.00 Cords	\$	55.05 / 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 \$84.63:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	<u>adve</u>	ERTISED PRICE
Pulpwood			
Mixed Softwood	3.00 Cords	\$	28.21 / Cord

^{*} 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 \$300.00 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

50%

02

50%

- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 09/15/2018.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Bayou Aspen And Red Pine Sale Number: 52-131-14-01

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

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 2, cut all trees that are two (2) inches or more at DBH except ash, elm, or any teal-marked trees.

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

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

3 - Payments

3.4 - Damaged Timber

3.4.2 - Special Protection Trees (4/14)

The Purchaser shall not cut live or dead special protection trees within cutting units or clearings. Special protection trees are in Payment Unit 2 and include ash, elm, and trees marked with teal paint. If the Purchaser's operations have cut or damaged special protection trees through carelessness, the Purchaser shall pay \$50 as fixed, agreed and liquidated damages for each special protection tree cut or damaged. Such payment does not constitute ownership of the undesignated timber.

4 - Transportation

4.1 - Construction

4.1.3 - Slash and earthen piles (8/04)

Piles or windrows of earth along roads and landings that have been widened or constructed shall be leveled. Slash from road maintenance or construction, including stumps, shall be dispersed throughout the sale, if not utilized.

4.1.12 - No new roads (1/12)

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

4.4 - Access

4.4.2 - Alternate route on private property (2/04)

It is the Purchaser's responsibility to obtain access across private land for any routes other than the route shown on the sale map.

4.4.3 - Access gate (12/08)

The access gate must be locked if logging activity ceases for more than 48 hours. This is to prevent someone other than the Purchaser from going through the gate and being locked in.

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 5 days in advance to schedule the conference.

5.2 - Conduct of Operations

5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

5.2.3.1 - Operating restrictions (9/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 and 2, cutting, skidding, and hauling are not permitted during the period of 12/01 to 03/31 unless authorized in writing by the unit manager or his/her representative. This restriction is in the interest of snowmobile safety and trail maintenance. The trail must be restored to its original condition or better before 12/01.

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 and 2, cutting, skidding, and hauling occur during dry summer or frozen winter conditions, except during snowmobile season (12/01-03/31). The reason for the recommendation is because of a high water table and potentially wet conditions outside of the specified conditions.

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. This precaution is to mitigate potential hazards during snowmobile season.

5.2.41 - Snowmobile trail protection (9/11)

The snowmobile trail 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 unless authorized through written agreement from the Unit Manager or his/her representative. No decking of forest products will be permitted along the snowmobile trail from the period of December 1 to March 31. Any trees cut within 5 feet of the trail must be cut flush with the ground or cut at 5-feet above ground.

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

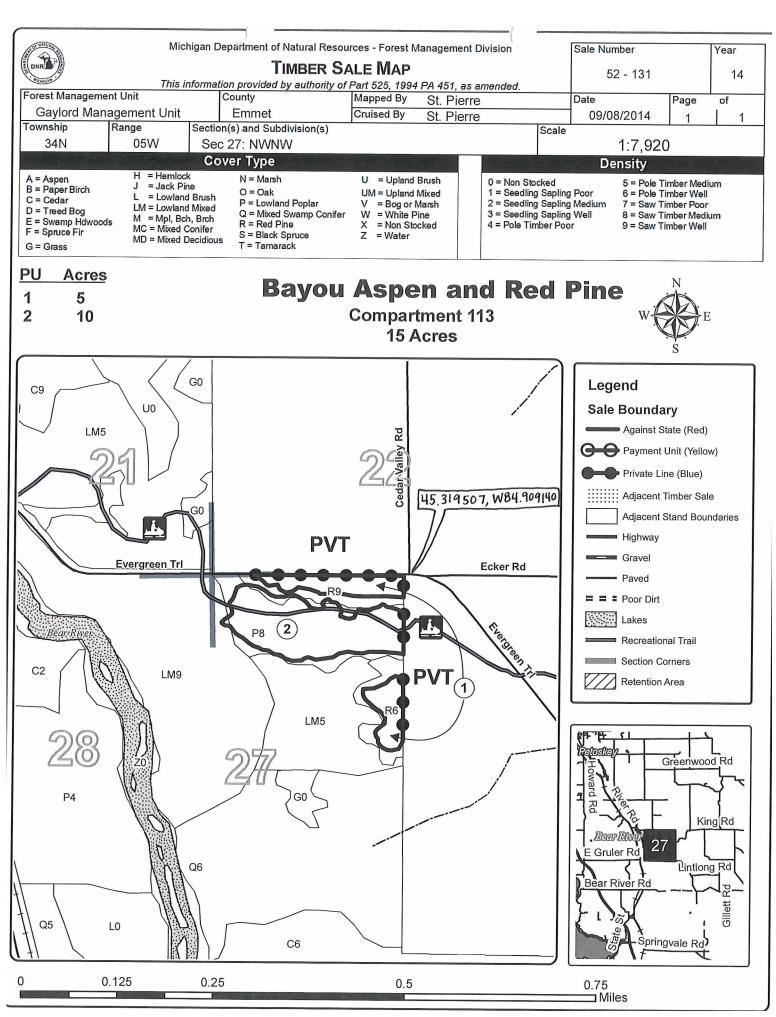
6.2.1 - Road posting (9/09)

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

6.2.2 - Snowmobile trail posting (8/09)

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on Evergreen Trail prior to beginning operations during the snowmobile season (approximately December 1 to March 31). The trail must be posted at locations designated on the map 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

SLIPPERY CEDAR (52-133-14-01)

T34N, R05W, SEC. 34.

Emmet County (Advertised Price \$6,381.00)

SALE NOTE: This will be limited to (extremely) dry summer months and/or frozen winter conditions as the sale area is very wet with sensitive soils. Crane mats can be made available and low-impact equipment is highly recommended.

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*	ADV	ERTISED PRICE
Pulpwood			
Black Spruce	53.00 Cords	\$	13.05 / Cord
N. W. Cedar	237.00 Cords	\$	23.00 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$238.35:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	ADV	ERTISED PRICE
Pulpwood			
Balsam Fir	9.00 Cords	\$	22.85 / Cord
Paper Birch	6.00 Cords	\$	5.45 / Cord

^{*} The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 24.75 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:

- A bond in the amount of \$350.00 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	40%
02	40%
03	20%

- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 09/15/2018.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Slippery Cedar Sale Number: 52-133-14-01

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, 2, and 3, cut all trees that are four (4) inches or more at DBH except any trees marked with blue/teal paint, or any white pine, tamarack, or hemlock. Special protection trees identified in accordance with condition 3.4.2, within clearcutting unit boundaries, are not Included Timber and are to be protected.

2.2 - Utilization

2.2.6 - Roundwood operation required (5/07)

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

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, 2, and 3, chipping of the bole, 2-inches in diameter or greater, is allowed. Chipping of limbs or portions of the tree less than 2-inches in diameter is not permitted. Limbs and the remaining top must be left on site and scattered.

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. In addition, extreme care should be taken to avoid damage to tree seedlings and saplings.

Within the sale area, if more than 50% of the tree seedlings or saplings (1/4" to 2" DBH) within a specified portion of the sale area are damaged, liquidated damages will be assessed at \$100 per acre for all acreage within that specified portion of the sale area that was damaged.

The acceptable level of damage is up to 50% because some damage is expected and acceptable within the Sale Boundary. This is for layering of cedar and abundance of slash to protect future regeneration.

3.4.2 - Special Protection Trees (4/14)

The Purchaser shall not cut live or dead special protection trees within cutting units or clearings. Special protection trees are marked with blue or teal paint, and also include all white pine, tamarack, and hemlock. If the Purchaser's operations have cut or damaged special protection trees through carelessness, the Purchaser shall pay \$50 as fixed, agreed and liquidated damages for each special protection tree cut or damaged. Such payment does not constitute ownership of the undesignated timber.

4 - Transportation

4.1 - Construction

4.1.12 - No new roads (1/12)

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

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. 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

5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

5.2.3.1 - Operating restrictions (9/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, 2, and 3, cutting, skidding, and hauling are limited to the dry summer months or frozen winter months. This restriction is to protect the sensitive soils and high water table.

5.2.17 - Crane Mats/Timber Mats (9/11)

Some roads or skid trails may require extra protection such as that afforded by Crane Mats/Timber Mats. If available, Crane Mats/Timber Mats may be borrowed from the DNR and are located at the Marquette OSC and the Grayling Field Office. Contact the sale administrator for specific details. A Timber Sale Contract Supplement will be used to document the Purchaser's use of the DNR's Crane Mats/Timber Mats. It is the responsibility of the Purchaser to contact the sale administrator to schedule pick up and drop off. In addition, all mats must be cleaned prior to drop off. A charge of \$350.00 will be assessed for all damaged or non-returned mats. Damage is defined as misuse resulting in three or more broken cants.

5.2.18 - Equipment requirements (1/09)

The use of low-impact equipment is highly recommended in all units of this sale.

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)

Care must be taken to minimize soil damage due to the wet and sensitive soils.

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 Bear River Road 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.

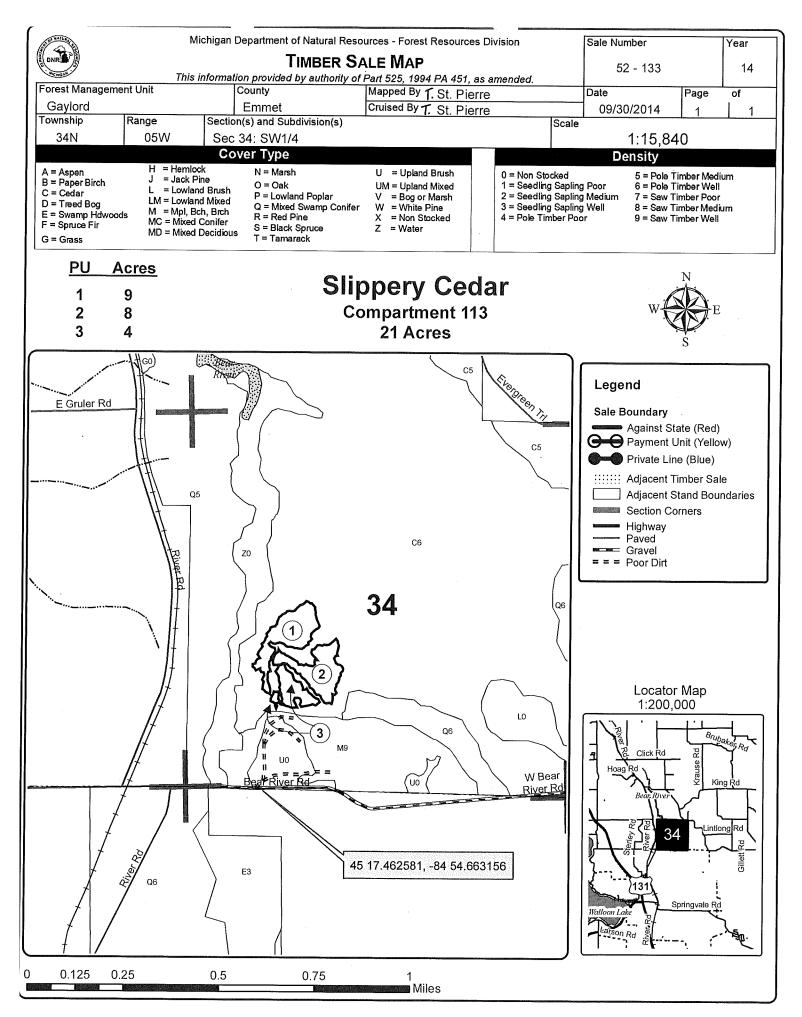
7 - Other Conditions

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. This is an exceptionally wet sale and an effort must be made to access these units whenever weather permits.

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TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

BENNYS ASPEN (52-134-14-01)

T38N, R05W, SEC. 28; T38N, R05W, SEC. 31; T38N, R06W, SEC. 26; T38N, R06W, SEC. 36.

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>ADV</u>	ERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs			
B. T. Aspen	28.20 MBF	\$	57.00 / MBF
Red Maple	20.70 MBF	\$	59.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
B. T. Aspen	347.00 Cords	\$	15.00 / Cord
Balsam Fir	73.00 Cords	\$	26.10 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	392.00 Cords	\$	17.85 / Cord
N. W. Cedar	37.00 Cords	\$	31.95 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$1,422.40:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	<u>ADV</u>	ADVERTISED PRICE		
Sawlogs					
Q. Aspen	18.80 MBF	\$	35.00 / MBF		
Pulpwood					
Q. Aspen	84.00 Cords	\$	9.10 / Cord		

^{*} The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 16.50 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 **\$1,000.00** 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	50%
02	20%
03	30%

- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 09/01/2018.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Bennys Aspen Sale Number: 52-134-14-01

1 - Sale Area

1.2 - Boundaries

1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (1/14)

The sale boundaries are marked and identified by red and blue paint. Exterior sale boundary lines adjacent to state-owned land are marked with red paint. Exterior sale boundary lines adjacent to privately-owned land are marked with blue paint.

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, 2, and 3, cut all trees that are two (2) inches or more at DBH except in Payment Units 1 and 2, do not cut any hemlock, white pine, cedar, and red oak. In Payment Unit 3, do not cut any trees marked with green paint. Two NO-CUT retention areas exist within Unit 1, bounded by red paint. These areas ARE NOT included timber. Also, no harvest equipment shall operate in or through these retention areas.

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

4.1.3 - Slash and earthen piles (8/04)

Piles or windrows of earth along roads and landings that have been widened or constructed shall be leveled. Slash from road maintenance or construction, including stumps, shall be dispersed throughout the sale, chipped, utilized or otherwise removed from the sale.

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. In general, this will require constructing a four (4') foot high berm of stumps and logs covered with earth.

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 between the Purchaser and sale administrator is required prior to beginning any operations to determine landing and road locations.

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 20 feet back from the red and blue paint line.

5212 - Slash Removal

5.2.1.2.6 - Slash removal, general (7/05)

All slash must be removed from designated landing areas and scattered uniformily throughout the sale area or chipped and removed from the sale area. 1/6 to 1/3 of the resulting slash is to remain on the ground throughout the sale area to satisfy Woody Biomass requirements.

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.

5.2.40 - Pathway protection (10/10)

The North Country Pathway hiking trail is located in Payment Units 1 and 3 of the timber sale and is shown on the Timber Sale Maps. Do not cut trees or damage posts with blue paint or pathway markers. Maintain a 20-foot wide slash, debris, and rut free zone daily, using the pathway as the centerline where applicable. Do not run equipment down the pathway. Skidding across the trail may only occur in locations approved by the sale administrator.

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)

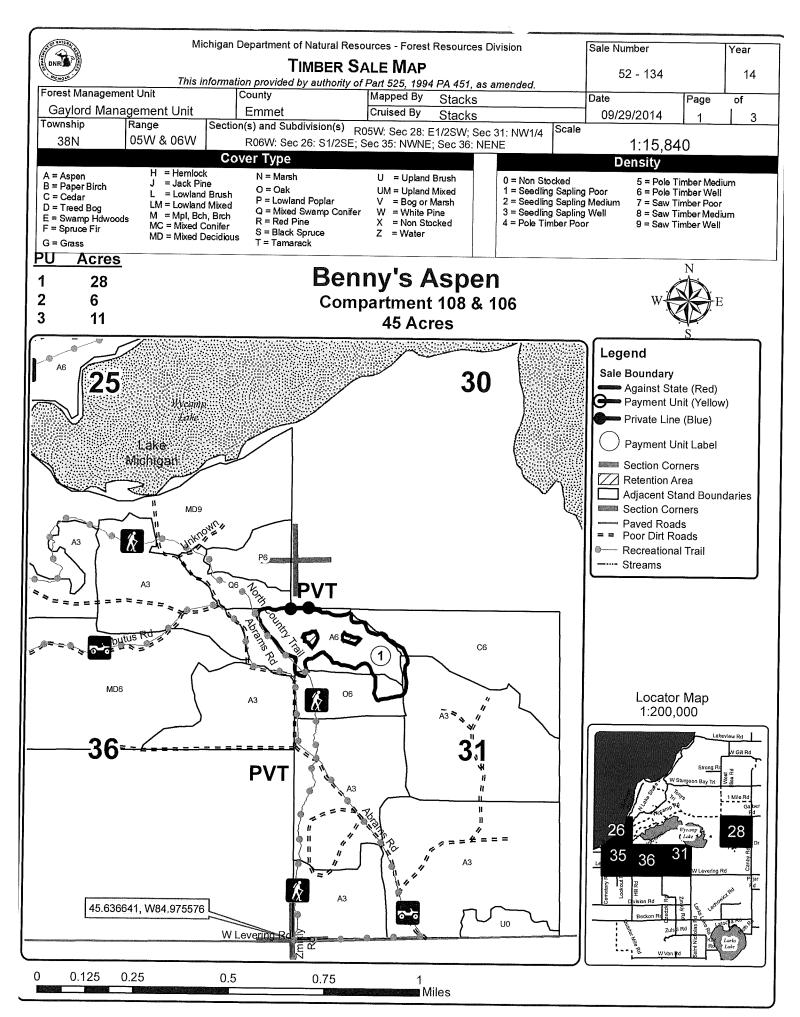
The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on Abrams and Creekside Rds. prior to beginning operations. The road must be posted at appropriate distances from the sale area to warn of logging activity and truck traffic. Signs must be removed when harvest operations are suspended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

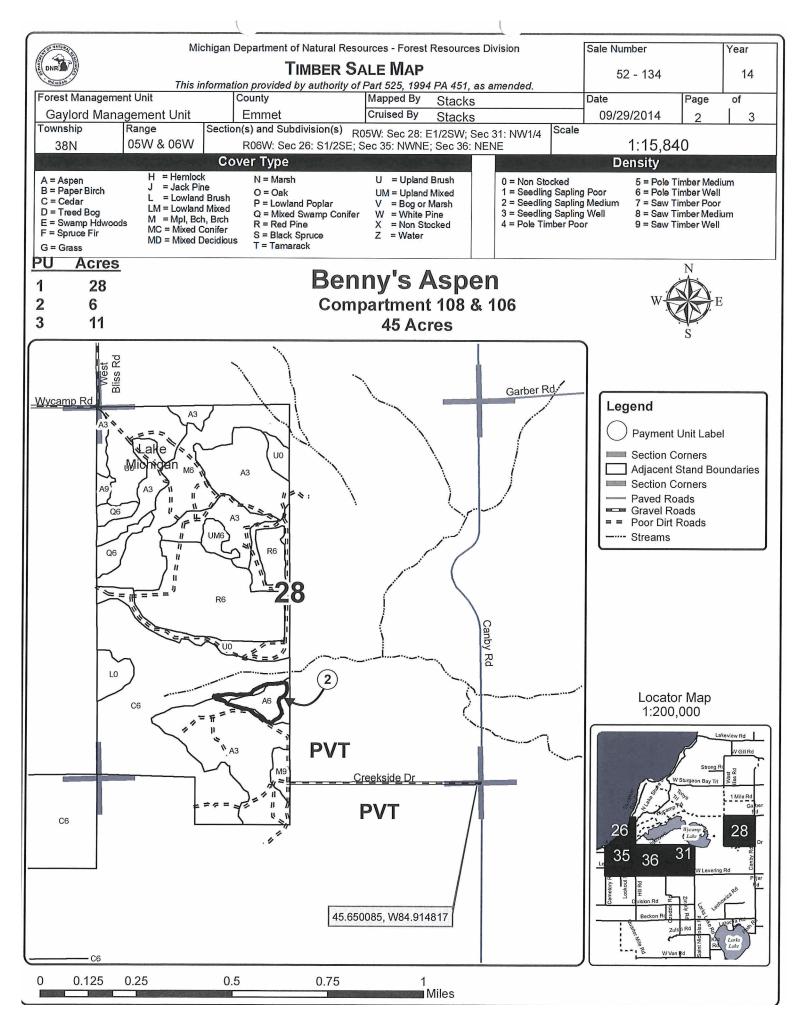
6.2.3 - Recreational trail posting (2/10)

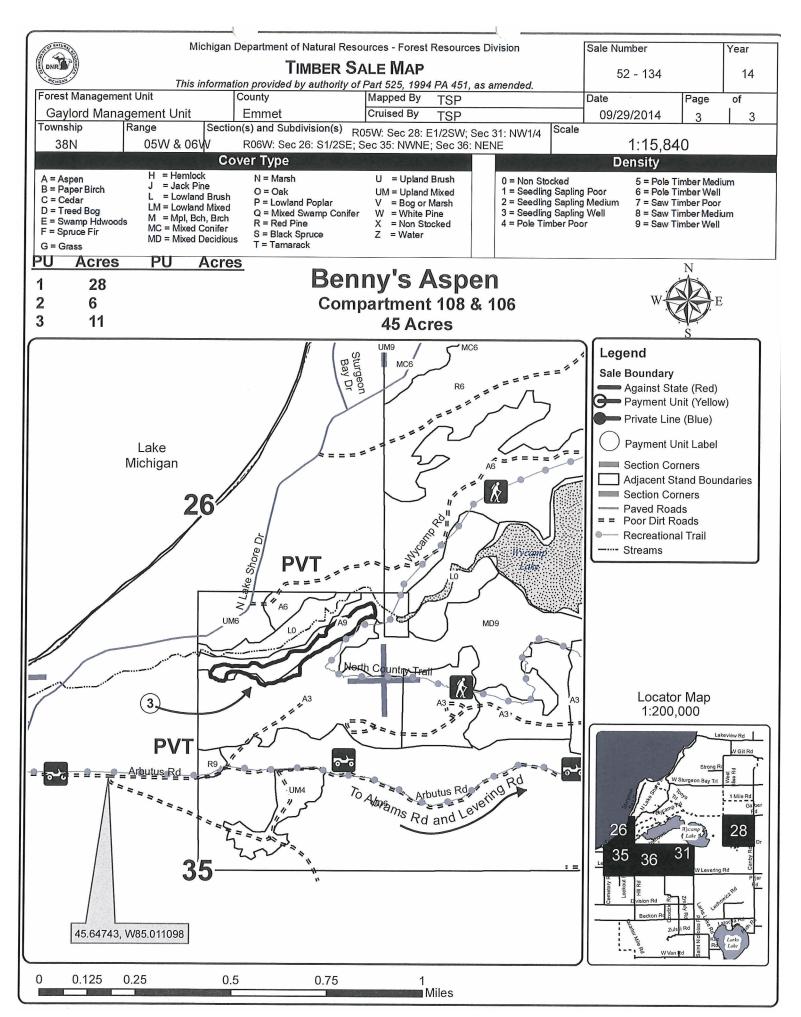
The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on the Northway Country Pathway prior to beginning operations. The trail must be posted at appropriate distances from the sale area

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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GAYLORD MANAGEMENT UNIT INDIAN RIVER OFFICE

LOTTA RED PINE (52-101-15-01)

T34N, R04W, SEC. 01; T34N, R04W, SEC. 13; T34N, R04W, SEC. 15; T34N, R04W, SEC. 22, Emmet County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 3:00 p.m. (local time) on September 22, 2015, I am hereby submitting my sealed bid (firm offer) for nay

the following forest products to be cu be rejected.	it. Bids for individ	lual species must	be at o	r above the advertised	I price. All no	on-responsive bid form	ns may
PRODUCTS & SPECIES	<u>ESTIMATEI</u>	O UNITS*	AD\	/ERTISED PRICE	BID F	RICE	
Sawlogs							
Red Pine	548.40	MBF	\$	210.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF	
Pulpwood							
Red Pine	2,120.00	Cords	\$	56.30 / Cord	\$	/ Cord	
In addition, the successful bidder agi	rees to purchase	the following spec	es at t	he indicated advertise	d price for a t	otal value of \$1,538.2	0:
PRODUCTS & SPECIES	<u>ESTIMATEI</u>	O UNITS*	AD\	/ERTISED PRICE			
Sawlogs							
B. T. Aspen	7.60	MBF	\$	50.96 / MBF			
Mixed Hardwood	3.60	MBF	\$	129.00 / MBF			
Pulpwood							
B. T. Aspen	30.00	Cords	\$	10.75 / Cord			
Mixed Hardwood	26.00	Cords	\$	14.00 / Cord			
* The total volume is statistically esti Prospective bidders are urged to exa	•	. ,	•			and not subject to ad	justment.
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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:	

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	VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S I	DISABIL	ITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE		
•	This verification must be completed and submitted sale contract.	within 21	days of contract award and prior to the issuance of the timber		
•	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.				
Ple	ease Check Appropriate Categories:				
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BID FORM

DOUGLAS ROAD ASPEN (52-120-14-01)

T38N, R02W, SEC. 19; T38N, R02W, SEC. 30; T38N, R03W, SEC. 24, Cheboygan County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 3:00 p.m. (local time) on September 22, 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	<u>ESTIMATE</u>	D UNITS*	AD\	/ERTISED PRICE	BID P	RICE
Sawlogs						
Q. Aspen	153.10	MBF	\$	28.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF
Pulpwood						
Balsam Fir	390.00	Cords	\$	27.75 / Cord	\$	/ Cord
N. W. Cedar	92.00	Cords	\$	31.10 / Cord	\$	/ Cord
Q. Aspen	976.00	Cords	\$	11.65 / Cord	\$	/ Cord
Red Maple	291.00	Cords	\$	12.50 / Cord	\$	/ Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$8,198.50:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATE	D UNITS*	ADV	ERTISED PRICE	Ξ
Sawlogs		<u> </u>			_
B. T. Aspen	23.30	MBF	\$	46.00 / MBF	
Red Maple	6.00	MBF	\$	67.00 / MBF	
W. Spruce	11.20	MBF	\$	108.00 / MBF	
Pulpwood					
B. T. Aspen	134.00	Cords	\$	12.80 / Cord	
Mixed Hardwood	121.00	Cords	\$	12.40 / Cord	
Paper Birch	196.00	Cords	\$	7.35 / Cord	
Sugar Maple	14.00	Cords	\$	8.10 / Cord	
W. Spruce	142.00	Cords	\$	5.25 / Cord	

^{*} The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 8.71 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.

	FEDERAL ID:	or SOCIA	L SECURITY NUMBER:_					
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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:	

	VERIFICATION OF WOR	RKER'S DISABIL	ITY COMPENS	SATION ACT COMPLIANCE		
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•	All Information must be typed or printed except for written signatures.					
Ple	ease Check Appropriate Categories:					
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3.	If you have checked item 2(A) or 2(B), y than yourself, including family members			both full-time and part-time employees, other must enter "0").		
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BID FORM

BAYOU ASPEN AND RED PINE (52-131-14-01) T34N, R05W, SEC. 27, Emmet County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 3:00 p.m. (local time) on September 22, 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			
Red Pine	1.90 MBF	\$ 152.00 / MBF	\$ / MBF
Pulpwood			
B. Poplar	19.00 Cords	\$ 22.30 / Cord	\$ / Cord
Q. Aspen	55.00 Cords	\$ 11.65 / Cord	\$ / Cord
Red Pine	68.00 Cords	\$ 55.05 / Cord	\$ / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$84.63:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	ADV	'ERTISED PRICE
Pulpwood			
Mixed Softwood	3.00 Cords	\$	28.21 / Cord

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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^{*} 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

Black Spruce

N. W. Cedar

PRODUCTS & SPECIES

Phone number :

Individual or company representative's signature:

Pulpwood

Pulpwood

BID FORM

ADVERTISED PRICE

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13.05 / Cord

23.00 / Cord

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BID PRICE

_____ Date:_____

<u>SLIPPERY CEDAR (52-133-14-01)</u> T34N, R05W, SEC. 34, Emmet County

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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 \$238.35:

ESTIMATED UNITS*

53.00 Cords

237.00 Cords

ESTIMATED UNITS*

Balsa	am Fir	9.00	Cords	\$	22.85 / Cord			
Pape	r Birch	6.00	Cords	\$	5.45 / Cord			
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Email (optional):



Name of Business

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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.

Telephone

ZIP

Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative

State

Date

Federal ID (or) Social Security No.

BID FORM

BENNYS ASPEN (52-134-14-01)

T38N, R05W, SEC. 28; T38N, R05W, SEC. 31; T38N, R06W, SEC. 26; T38N, R06W, SEC. 36, Emmet County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 3:00 p.m. (local time) on September 22, 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.

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Sawlogs						
B. T. Aspen	28.20	MBF	\$	57.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF
Red Maple	20.70	MBF	\$	59.00 / MBF	\$	/ MBF
Pulpwood						
B. T. Aspen	347.00	Cords	\$	15.00 / Cord	\$	/ Cord
Balsam Fir	73.00	Cords	\$	26.10 / Cord	\$	/ Cord
Mixed Hardwood	392.00	Cords	\$	17.85 / Cord	\$	/ Cord
N. W. Cedar	37.00	Cords	\$	31.95 / Cord	\$	/ Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$1,422.40:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	ADV	ERTISED PRICE
Sawlogs			
Q. Aspen	18.80 MBF	\$	35.00 / MBF
Pulpwood			
Q. Aspen	84.00 Cords	\$	9.10 / Cord

^{*} The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 16.50 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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