



**DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES  
STATE OF MICHIGAN**

**TIMBER SALE PROSPECTUS #5663**

SCHEDULED SALE DATE AND TIME: 9:00 a.m. (local time) on June 29, 2016.

LOCATION: GRAYLING MGMT UNIT, 1955 HARTWICK PINES ROAD, GRAYLING, MI 49738.

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

COMP 27 HARDWOOD THIN (72-002-15) / T28N, R03E, SEC. 18, N1/2.

Oscoda County, Advertised Price \$116,995.45, 149.0 Acres, Hardwood, Sugar Maple.

SALE NOTE: Sale has following restrictions: ORV trail restrictions; Mio ORV and Hunt Creek Motorcycle Trail run through the sale area, Roundwood Operation required and Bark Slippage.

Sale does have some very steep terrain sale specs pertaining to skid trails have been added see page 4 of sale specs.

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.

FUNGI ASPEN HWD MIX (72-014-15) / T28N, R03E, SEC. 08, E1/2NE.

T28N, R03E, SEC. 09, N1/2.

Oscoda County, Advertised Price \$58,960.00, 70.0 Acres, Hardwood, Red Pine.

SALE NOTE: Sale has following restrictions: Sale has some very steep terrain sale specs pertaining to skid trails have been added see page 3 of sale specs. Also drumming log spec is added. Sale can be accessed off Hill Road. Most roads in the sale area also have pipelines running next to them.

Pre-sale and post-sale conferences are required on site between the Purchaser and sale administrator; references sale specs for details.

POTTS LAKE ASPEN MIX (72-015-15) / T28N, R03E, SEC. 03, SW.

T28N, R03E, SEC. 10, N1/2NW.

Oscoda County, Advertised Price \$34,038.25, 113.0 Acres, Hardwood.

SALE NOTE: Sale has following restrictions: Sale does have some very steep terrain sale specs pertaining to skid trails have been added, see page 3 of sale specs. Also steep areas noted on map. Also drumming log spec is added. Sale can be accessed off Hill Road. Most roads in the sale area also have pipelines running next to them.

Oak wilt restrictions; unless changed by written agreement, cutting, skidding, and hauling are not permitted during the period of April 15 to July 15.

OSCODA EPHEMERAL ASPEN MIX (72-016-15) / T28N, R03E, SEC. 10, W1/2SE, E1/4SW.

Oscoda County, Advertised Price \$39,310.10, 80.0 Acres, Hardwood, Red Pine.

SALE NOTE: Sale has following restrictions:

Oak wilt restrictions, unless changed by written agreement, cutting, skidding, and hauling are not permitted during the period of April 15 to July 15.

Also drumming log spec is added. Sale can be accessed off Delano Road.

GOOSE OPENER ASPEN MIX (72-046-15) / T28N, R03E, SEC. 09, N1/2NE.

T28N, R03E, SEC. 10, NWNW.

Oscoda County, Advertised Price \$22,952.35, 42.0 Acres, Hardwood, Red Pine.

SALE NOTE: Sale has following restrictions: Sale does have some very steep terrain sale specs pertaining to skid trails have been added, see page 3 of sale specs. Also, drumming log spec is added. Sale can be accessed off Hill Road. Most roads in the sale area also have pipelines running next to them.

## BID INSTRUCTIONS (VER. 05/04/2016):

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

Bids must be received by the Unit Manager, GRAYLING OFFICE, 1955 HARTWICK PINES ROAD, GRAYLING, MI 49738, no later than 9:00 a.m. (local time) on June 29, 2016. For further information concerning this sale, contact Susan Thiel at 989-348-6371 extension 7440.

### 2. Bidder's Qualifications (5/16)

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, the 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 (5/16)

Bid Forms may be completed online thru Michigan DNR Timber Sale Online Bidding (OLB) at [www.michigan.gov/timberbidding](http://www.michigan.gov/timberbidding) or by completing the hardcopy Bid Form found in the Timber Sale Prospectus. Hardcopy Bid Forms shall be manually signed in ink. Registration in OLB is considered your 'signature' for all bids submitted thru that system. 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 hardcopy Bid Form, each erasure or change must be initialed by the person signing the bid.

### 4. Submission of Sealed Bids (5/16)

Bid forms may be obtained from the Unit Manager or thru OLB. Bids may be submitted hardcopy or thru OLB. All hardcopy 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.

It is possible for a bidder to submit multiple bids on a single sale. For example, a bid may be submitted hardcopy and a bid may be submitted thru OLB. Or, two bidders from the same company could both submit bids on the same sale. If this were to happen, the State would accept all bids received and award the contract accordingly. All bidding and contractual requirements would apply to all bids received.

### 5. Public Opening of Sealed Bids (5/16)

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 or announce the withdraw of their online bid 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](http://www.michigan.gov/timber). Contact the Unit Manager for additional information or a sample contract. Within 21 days of the date of the award letter, the bidder must sign the contract and provide the required down payment, performance security, and verification of worker's disability compensation. The down payment and performance security shall be in accordance with the provisions of the timber sale contract, in the sums stated in this prospectus. If these actions are not taken, then the Bidder, the Bidder's corporation, and the corporation's principals may not be permitted to bid on State timber sales for a period of 1 year. In addition, the Bidder certifies that if awarded this contract, the Bidder will complete the timber sale contract in accordance with its terms and any modifications thereof including requirements to purchase, cut, and remove the included timber by the 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.

DR. WILLIAM MORITZ  
Director

TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

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T28N, R03E, SEC. 18.

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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:

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawtimber		
Basswood	182.80 MBF	\$ 73.00 / MBF
Sugar Maple	215.70 MBF	\$ 354.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Mixed Hardwood	667.00 Cords	\$ 11.35 / Cord
Sugar Maple	753.00 Cords	\$ 14.00 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$9,180.80:

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawtimber		
Beech	40.40 MBF	\$ 45.00 / MBF
White Ash	98.70 MBF	\$ 23.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Mixed Aspen	254.00 Cords	\$ 20.05 / Cord

\* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 15.83 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 \$5,850.00 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.
4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 06/30/2019.

## Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

**Sale Name: COMP 27 HARDWOOD THIN**

**Sale Number: 72-002-15 Seq#: 1**

### 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 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 unless marked with orange paint. Yellow painted trees designating an interior Payment Unit boundary are only to be cut when all surrounding Payment Units have been paid.

Several vernal ponds/wet areas have been delineated by red paint, these areas are not to be entered by equipment and no trees are to be felled into these areas.

### 2 - Timber Specifications

#### 2.1 - Included Timber

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1-5, all trees are designated for cutting when marked with orange paint above and below stump height, regardless of merchantability. In addition, all aspen, ash (live or dead) and beech trees which meet minimum piece specifications in 2.2 - Utilization, are designated for cutting.

All conifers are designated leave species and are not to be cut. In addition, a few beech have been marked with green paint and these green painted trees are not to be harvested.

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

Note that most of the ash is dead or in the process of dying. Sale area is hilly to very steep.

#### 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. A written waiver of this requirement may be obtained if wet summer weather makes winter logging necessary.

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

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

##### 2.2.7 - Uncut designated trees (2/04)

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

### 3 - Payments

#### 3.3 - Pre-measured Sales

##### 3.3.4 - Dividing payment units (7/14)

Payment Unit(s) 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.

#### 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.

Within the sale area, if more than 30% of the tree seedlings or saplings (1/4" to 4.5" DBH) within a specified portion of the sale area are damaged, liquidated damages will be assessed at \$300.00 per acre for all acreage within that specified portion of the sale area that was damaged.

No damage is acceptable to merchantable trees. Within the sale area, if more than 25 % 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 chipped, utilized or otherwise dispersed throughout the sale. Stumps shall be set upright, not left on edge, and be moved at least 10 feet away from the road edge. Disturbed soil shall be feathered into the woods and not left in berms or windrows.

#### 4.1.7 - Road closure (10/11)

All new roads built into the sale must be blocked to vehicle traffic upon completion of the sale. Overgrown roads that are reopened shall be considered new roads. In general, this will require constructing a four (4') foot high berm of stumps and logs covered with earth. Stumps and brush must be placed along the remainder of the trail. These roads must be rendered impassable to cars and trucks. All stumps from road building and landing construction must be reserved to block any newly constructed roads upon completion of the sale. These stumps must be scattered along the road system to prohibit vehicular movement. Contact the sale administrator for specific details of design and placement.

#### 4.1.11 - Permits (2/12)

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

### 4.2 - Maintenance

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

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

#### 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 5 days in advance to schedule the conference.

#### 5.1.3 - Well heads and natural gas pipelines (7/07)

The Purchaser is responsible for contacting the gas or pipeline company prior to operating equipment in the vicinity of well heads or natural gas pipelines. Contact Breitburn at 888-350-1681. Written permission is required before harvest operations begin and must be submitted to the Unit Manager.

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

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

### 5.2 - Conduct of Operations

## 5.2.1 - Slash

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

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

### 5.2.1.2 - Slash Removal

#### 5.2.1.2.1 - Slash removal, right-of-way (12/04)

All slash must be removed at least 10 feet from the cleared right-of-way of forest roads.

### 5.2.1.8 - Slash height (12/08)

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

### 5.2.1.14 - Chipping of slash (10/08)

If tops are chipped, they must be skidded to the landing separately from the bole section of the tree. Skidding of tops must be done in such a way as to minimize damage to the residual trees. See related specs 2.2.6 - Roundwood operation required and 3.4.1 - Damaged Timber.

## 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) 1-5, 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.

### 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 Mio ORV and Hunt Creek Motorcycle Trails are shown on the Timber Sale Map. Do not cut trees or damage posts with orange ORV markers. 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.

## 5.4 - 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.

### 5.4.2 - Skid trails (2/04)

Skid trails up and down slopes should be avoided. If however this is unavoidable, these trails will be left in a non-erodible condition using water bars, logs, and slash. Placing of slash on these skid trails while logging is ongoing may alleviate need for any further action. At the direction of the sale administrator, seed, fertilizer, and mulch may also be required.

### 5.4.3 - Erosion control (12/08)

Skid trails or haul roads may require erosion control structures or berms per direction of the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

### 5.4.4 - Slope protection (5/15)

Skid trails and roads on slopes shall be water barred with slash, stumps, and/or clean straw bales native to the area as soon as



use is complete to prevent erosion.

#### 5.4.6 - Wet area protection (5/10)

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

## 6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

### 6.2 - Signing

#### 6.2.1 - Road posting (9/09)

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on Mt Tom and Hill 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.

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

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on Mio ORV and Hunt Creek Motorcycle Trails 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.



# TIMBER SALE MAP

This information provided by authority of Part 525, 1994 PA 451, as amended.

Forest Management Unit		County	Mapped By		Date	Page	of
Grayling Unit		Oscoda	Barnes		08/07/2015	1	1
Township	Range	Section(s) and Subdivision(s)			Scale		
28N	03E	Sec 18 - N1/2			1:15,840		

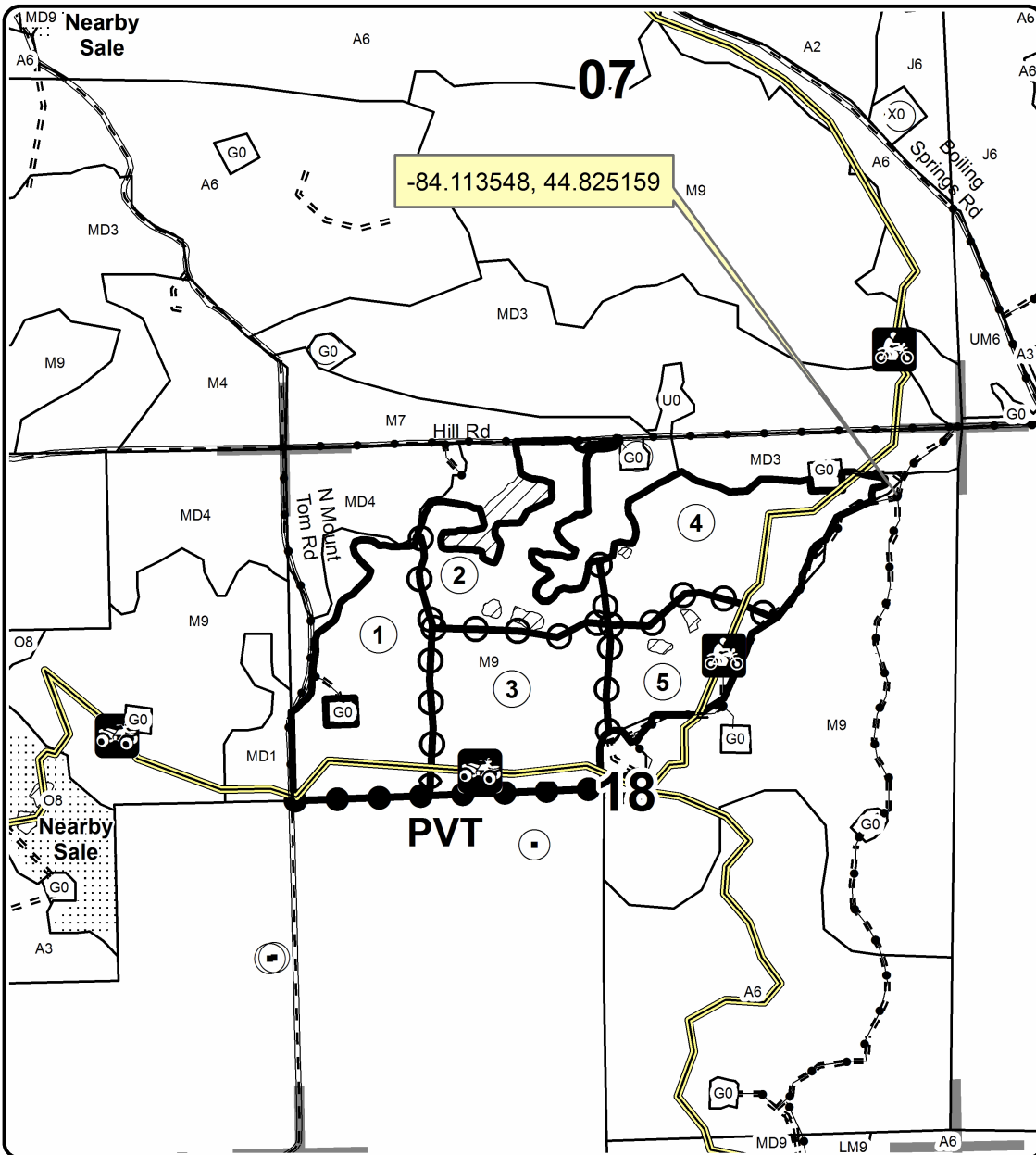
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A = Aspen	H = Hemlock	N = Marsh	U = Upland Brush	0 = Non Stocked	5 = Pole Timber Medium		
B = Paper Birch	J = Jack Pine	O = Oak	UM = Upland Mixed	1 = Seedling Sapling Poor	6 = Pole Timber Well		
C = Cedar	L = Lowland Brush	P = Lowland Poplar	V = Bog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

PU	Acres	PU	Acres
1	35	4	33
2	27	5	18
3	36		

## Comp 27 Hardwood Thin

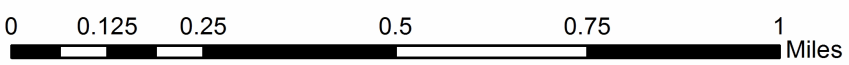
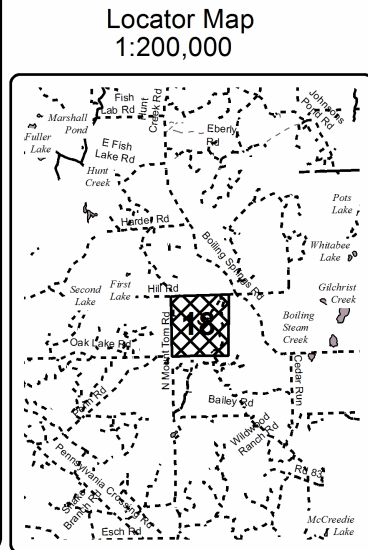
### Compartment 27

### 149 Acres



**Legend**

- Sale Boundary**
  - Against State (Red)
  - Payment Unit (Yellow)
  - Private Line (Blue)
- Vernal Ponds Red
- PU\_Label
- Section Corners
- Retention Area
- Adjacent Stand Boundaries
- Gravel Roads
- Poor Dirt Roads
- Pipeline; Powerline
- Oil & Gas Well Locations



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Mixed Oak	95.20 MBF	\$ 153.00 / MBF
Red Pine	35.40 MBF	\$ 147.00 / MBF
Sugar Maple	12.10 MBF	\$ 315.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Mixed Aspen	881.00 Cords	\$ 17.35 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	399.00 Cords	\$ 9.80 / Cord
Red Pine	251.00 Cords	\$ 54.05 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$2,617.00:

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Pulpwood		
Balsam Fir	5.00 Cords	\$ 22.90 / Cord
Mixed Oak	239.00 Cords	\$ 8.20 / Cord
White Pine	27.00 Cords	\$ 20.10 / Cord

\* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 10.26 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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# Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

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**Sale Number: 72-014-15 Seq#: 1**

## 1 - Sale Area

### 1.2 - Boundaries

#### 1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (1/14)

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## 2 - Timber Specifications

### 2.1 - Included Timber

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 and 2, cut all trees that are two (2) inches or more at DBH, except do not cut any red pine greater than 18" DBH.

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

Note that Mixed Hardwood is comprised of 174 cords of red maple, 14 cords of basswood, 5 cords of ash, 87 cords of beech, and 23 cords of paper birch. Sale area is very steep in areas with a few vernal ponds. These steep areas and ponds were excluded from sale by boundary exclusion.

### 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 if the sale is not chipped, if the sale is chipped then stump heights shall not exceed 6 inches for all trees. A written waiver of this requirement may be obtained if wet summer weather makes winter logging necessary.

## 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

#### 4.1.6 - 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 chipped, utilized or dispersed throughout the sale. Stumps shall be set upright, not left on edge, and be moved at least 10 feet away from the road edge. Disturbed soil shall be feathered into the woods and not left in berms or windrows.

#### 4.1.7 - Road closure (10/11)

All new roads built into the sale must be blocked to vehicle traffic upon completion of the sale. Overgrown roads that are reopened shall be considered new roads. In general, this will require constructing a four (4') foot high berm of stumps and logs. Stumps and brush must be placed along the remainder of the trail. These roads must be rendered impassable to cars and trucks. All stumps from road building and landing construction must be reserved to block any newly constructed roads upon completion of the sale. These stumps must be scattered along the road system to prohibit vehicular movement. Contact the sale administrator for specific details of design and placement.

#### 4.1.11 - Permits (2/12)

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

## 4.2 - Maintenance

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

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

### 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 5 days in advance to schedule the conference.

#### 5.1.3 - Well heads and natural gas pipelines (7/07)

The Purchaser is responsible for contacting the gas or pipeline company prior to operating equipment in the vicinity of well heads or natural gas pipelines. Contact Breitburn at 888-350-1681. Permission is required before harvest operations begin and must be submitted to the Unit Manager.

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

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

### 5.2 - Conduct of Operations

#### 5.2.1 - Slash

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

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

##### 5.2.1.2 - Slash Removal

###### 5.2.1.2.1 - Slash removal, right-of-way (12/04)

All slash must be removed at least 10 feet from the cleared right-of-way of forest roads.

##### 5.2.1.8 - Slash height (12/08)

No slash or tree tops may exceed 48 inches if sale is not chipped, if chipped then 24 inches in height.

#### 5.2.2 - Hazard Trees/Snags

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

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

#### 5.2.4 - Dead and Down Creation

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

To encourage grouse and other wildlife, in Payment Unit(s) leave one, 10" diameter or larger log-length (8 foot minimum) piece on the ground for every 3 acres. These will be evenly scattered throughout the unit. This can be an unmerchantable piece or a full tree.

#### 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.

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

No decking is allowed within 50 feet of roads or injection sites without permission of the pipeline company and the Unit

Manager or his/her representative.

#### 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.

#### 5.4.2 - Skid trails (2/04)

Skid trails up and down slopes should be avoided. If however this is unavoidable, these trails will be left in a non-erodible condition using water bars, logs, and slash. Placing of slash on these skid trails while logging is ongoing may alleviate need for any further action. At the direction of the sale administrator, seed, fertilizer, and mulch may also be required.

#### 5.4.3 - Erosion control (12/08)

Skid trails or haul roads may require erosion control structures or berms per direction of the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

#### 5.4.4 - Slope protection (5/15)

Skid trails and roads on slopes shall be water barred with slash, stumps, and/or clean straw bales native to the area as soon as use is complete to prevent erosion.

## 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 the unnamed forest 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.



Sale Number	Year
72-014	15

# TIMBER SALE MAP

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Forest Management Unit	County	Mapped By	Date	Page	of
Grayling Unit	Oscoda County	Barnes	08/21/2015	1	1
Township	Range	Section(s) and Subdivision(s)	Scale		
28N	03E	Sec 8 - E1/2NE; Sec 9 - N1/2	1:15,840		

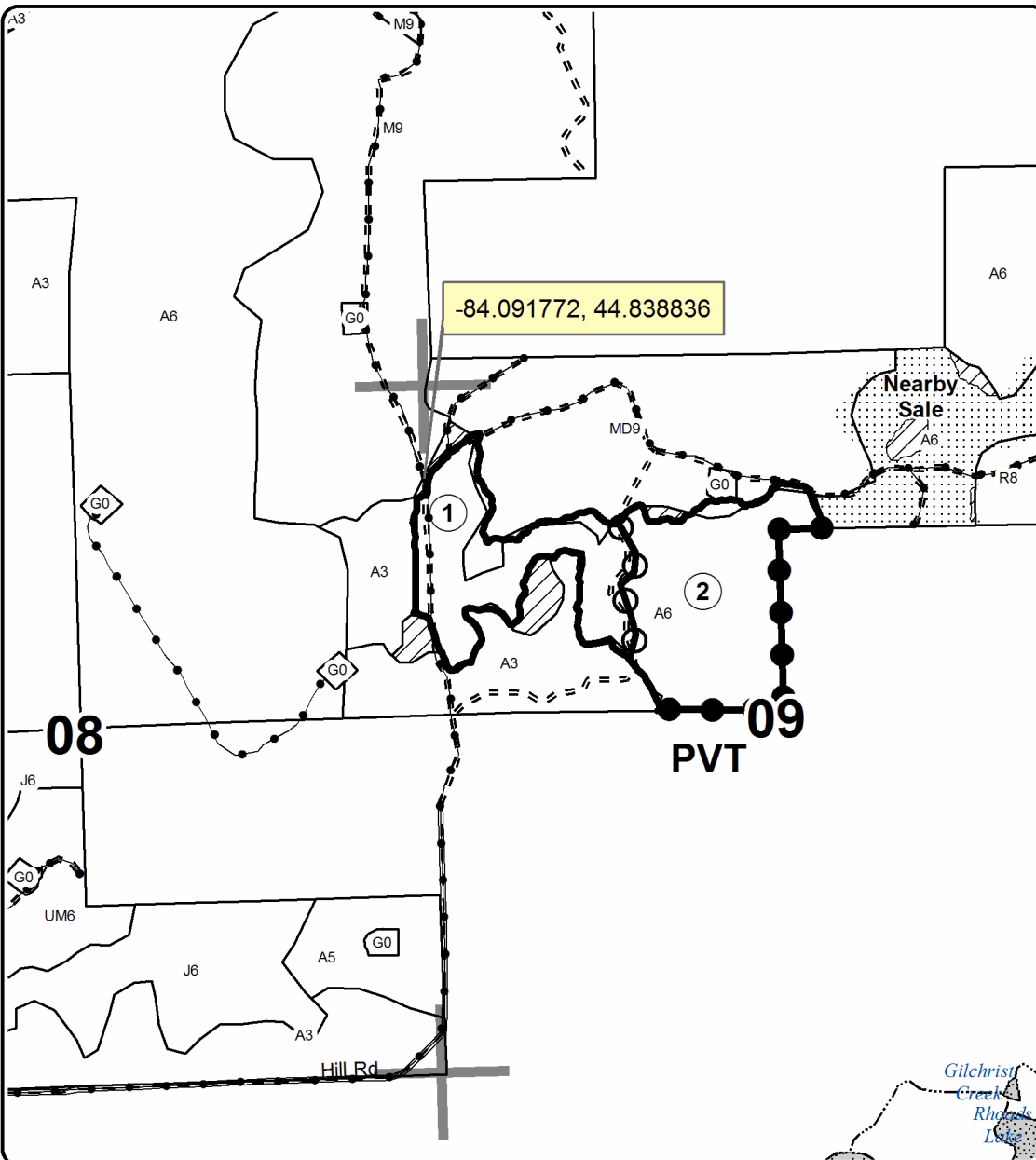
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F = Spruce Fir	MC = Mixed Conifer	S = Black Spruce	Z = Water		
G = Grass	MD = Mixed Deciduous	T = Tamarack			

PU	Acres	PU	Acres
1	30		
2	40		

## Fungi Aspen Hwd Mix

### Compartment 27

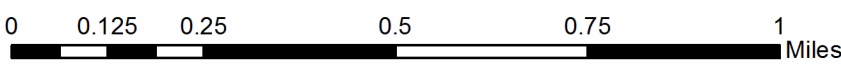
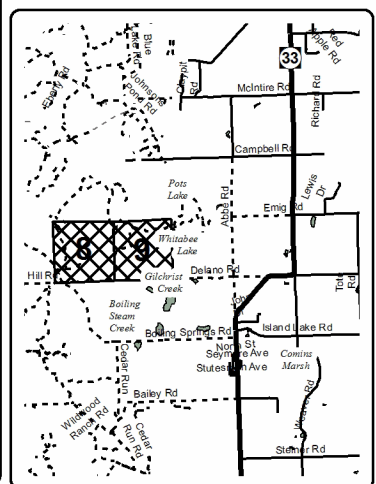
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### Legend

- Sale Boundary**
  - Against State (Red)
  - ⊖ Payment Unit (Two Track)
  - Private Line (Blue)
- ▬ Section Corners
- ▨ Retention Area
- ▭ Adjacent Stand Boundaries
- ▬ Gravel Roads
- ⋯ Poor Dirt Roads
- Pipeline; Powerline

Locator Map  
1:200,000







TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

POTTS LAKE ASPEN MIX (72-015-15)  
T28N, R03E, SEC. 03; T28N, R03E, SEC. 10.  
Oscoda County (Advertised Price \$34,038.25)

SALE NOTE: Sale has following restrictions: Sale does have some very steep terrain sale specs pertaining to skid trails have been added, see page 3 of sale specs. Also steep areas noted on map. Also drumming log spec is added. Sale can be accessed off Hill Road. Most roads in the sale area also have pipelines running next to them.

Oak wilt restrictions; unless changed by written agreement, cutting, skidding, and hauling are not permitted during the period of April 15 to July 15.

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

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Pulpwood		
Mixed Aspen	1,815.00 Cords	\$ 17.35 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	260.00 Cords	\$ 9.80 / Cord

\* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 15.64 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.
4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 06/30/2018.

## Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: POTTS LAKE ASPEN MIX

Sale Number: 72-015-15 Seq#: 1

### 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, yellow and green paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against private property are marked with blue paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. Interior Payment Unit boundaries are marked with yellow paint. Vernal pools and Retention Islands are delineated with Green Paint, do not cut any Green Painted trees and keep equipment out of these areas.

### 2 - Timber Specifications

#### 2.1 - Included Timber

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 and 2, cut all trees that are two (2) inches or more at DBH, except do not cut any oak or conifer species, including cedar.

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

Note that Mixed Hardwood includes 191 cords of red maple, 5 cords of sugar maple, 4 cords of ash, 42 cords of paper birch and 10 cords of cherry. There is in area of very steep slopes that is noted on the timbersale map.

#### 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 if sale is not chipped, if sale is chipped then stump heights shall not exceed 6 inches for all trees. A written waiver of this requirement may be obtained if wet summer weather makes winter logging necessary.

### 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

##### 4.1.6 - 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 chipped, utilized or otherwise dispersed throughout the sale. Stumps shall be set upright, not left on edge, and be moved at least 10 feet away from the road edge. Disturbed soil shall be feathered into the woods and not left in berms or windrows.

##### 4.1.7 - Road closure (10/11)

All new roads built into the sale must be blocked to vehicle traffic upon completion of the sale. Overgrown roads that are reopened shall be considered new roads. In general, this will require constructing a four (4') foot high berm of stumps and logs. Stumps and brush must be placed along the remainder of the trail. These roads must be rendered impassable to cars and trucks. All stumps from road building and landing construction must be reserved to block any newly constructed roads upon completion of the sale. These stumps must be scattered along the road system to prohibit vehicular movement. Contact the sale administrator for specific details of design and placement.

##### 4.1.11 - Permits (2/12)

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

## 4.2 - Maintenance

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

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

### 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 5 days in advance to schedule the conference.

#### 5.1.3 - Well heads and natural gas pipelines (7/07)

The Purchaser is responsible for contacting the gas or pipeline company prior to operating equipment in the vicinity of well heads or natural gas pipelines. Contact Breitburn at 888-350-1681. Permission is required before harvest operations begin and must be submitted to the Unit Manager.

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

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

### 5.2 - Conduct of Operations

#### 5.2.1 - Slash

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

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

##### 5.2.1.2 - Slash Removal

###### 5.2.1.2.1 - Slash removal, right-of-way (12/04)

All slash must be removed at least 10 feet from the cleared right-of-way of forest roads.

##### 5.2.1.8 - Slash height (12/08)

No slash or tree tops may exceed 48 inches if sale is not chipped, if chipped should not exceed 24 inches in height.

#### 5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

##### 5.2.3.4 - Oak wilt restriction (6/10)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 and 2, unless changed by written agreement, cutting, skidding, and hauling are not permitted during the period of April 15 to July 15. This is necessary to reduce the spread of oak wilt. For more information, contact the Unit Manager or his/her representative. If operations can be conducted without damaging residual oak, then permission will be granted to operate during this time period.

#### 5.2.4 - Dead and Down Creation

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

To encourage grouse and other wildlife, in Payment Unit(s) 1 and 2, leave one, 10" diameter or larger log-length (8 foot minimum) piece on the ground for every 3 acres. These will be evenly scattered throughout the unit. This can be an unmerchantable piece or a full tree.

##### 5.2.29 - Shrub protection (9/07)

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

#### 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.

#### 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.

#### 5.4.2 - Skid trails (2/04)

Skid trails up and down slopes should be avoided. If however this is unavoidable, these trails will be left in a non-erodible condition using water bars, logs, and slash. Placing of slash on these skid trails while logging is ongoing may alleviate need for any further action. At the direction of the sale administrator, seed, fertilizer, and mulch may also be required.

#### 5.4.3 - Erosion control (12/08)

Skid trails or haul roads may require erosion control structures or berms per direction of the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

#### 5.4.4 - Slope protection (5/15)

Skid trails and roads on slopes shall be water barred with slash, stumps, and/or clean straw bales native to the area as soon as use is complete to prevent erosion.

#### 5.4.6 - Wet area protection (5/10)

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

## 6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

### 6.2 - Signing

#### 6.2.1 - Road posting (9/09)

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on the unnamed forest 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.



Sale Number	Year
72-015	15

# TIMBER SALE MAP

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Forest Management Unit	County	Mapped By	Barnes	Date	Page	of
Grayling Unit	Oscoda County	Cruised By	Barnes	08/21/2015	1	1
Township	Range	Section(s) and Subdivision(s)	Scale			
28N	03E		1:15,840			

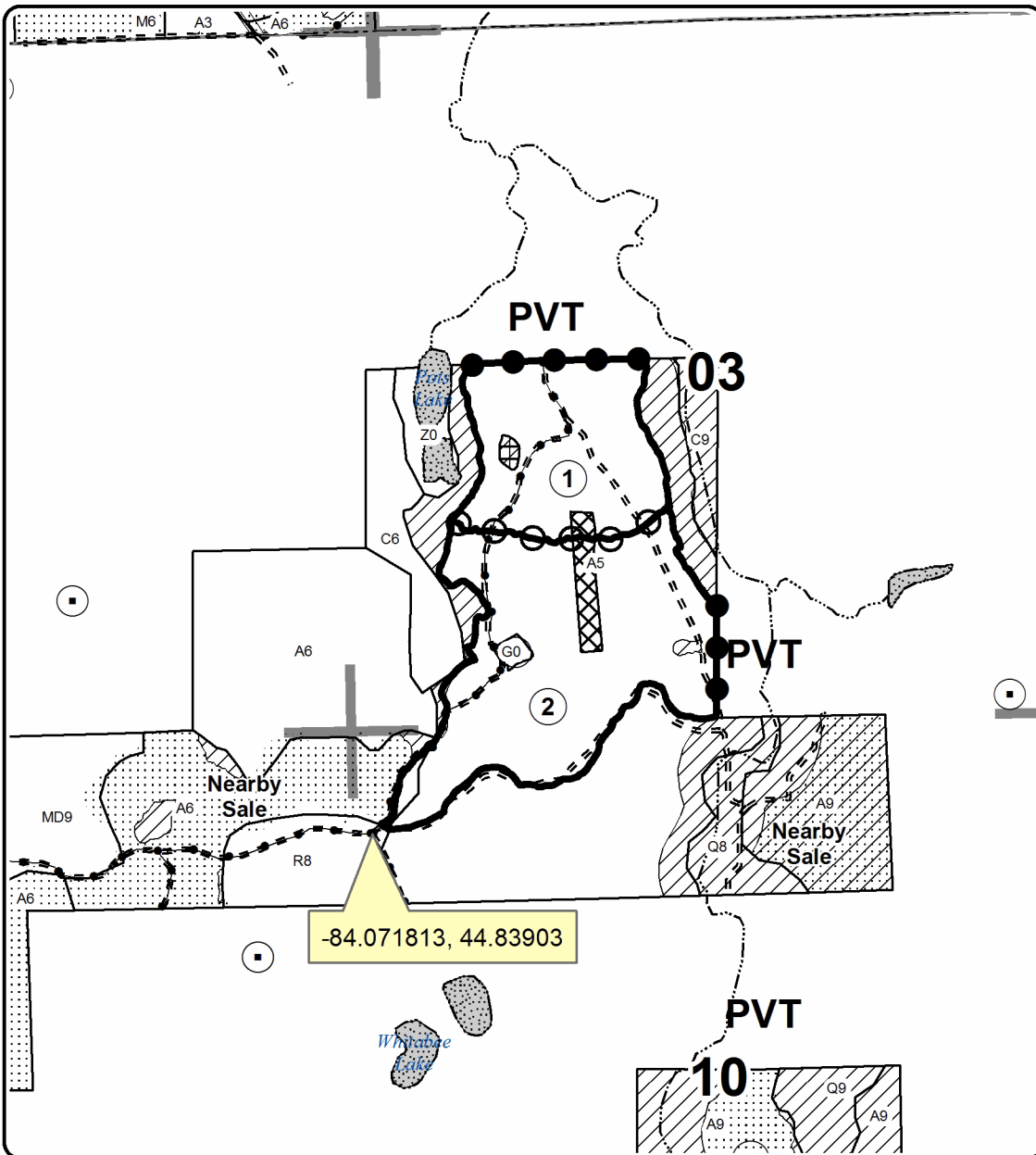
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B = Paper Birch	J = Jack Pine	O = Oak	UM = Upland Mixed	1 = Seedling Sapling Poor	6 = Pole Timber Well		
C = Cedar	L = Lowland Brush	P = Lowland Poplar	V = Bog or Marsh	2 = Seedling Sapling Medium	7 = Saw Timber Poor		
D = Treed Bog	LM = Lowland Mixed	Q = Mixed Swamp Conifer	W = White Pine	3 = Seedling Sapling Well	8 = Saw Timber Medium		
E = Swamp Hdwoods	M = Mpl, Bch, Brch	R = Red Pine	X = Non Stocked	4 = Pole Timber Poor	9 = Saw Timber Well		
F = Spruce Fir	MC = Mixed Conifer	S = Black Spruce	Z = Water				
G = Grass	MD = Mixed Deciduous	T = Tamarack					

PU	Acres	PU	Acres
1	40		
2	73		

## Potts Lake Aspen Mix

### Compartment 27

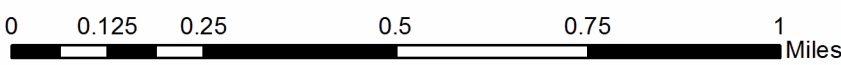
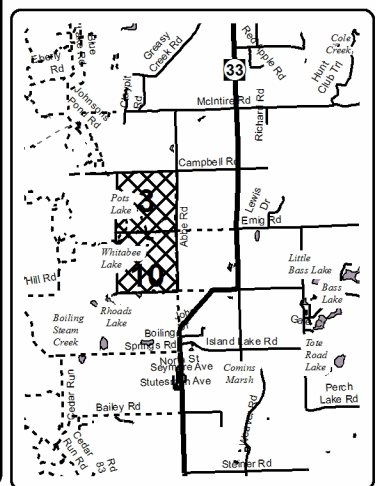
113 Acres



### Legend

- Sale Boundary**
  - Against State (Red)
  - Payment Unit (Yellow)
  - Private Line (Blue)
- Vernal Pools
- Retention Area
- Steep Area
- PU\_Label
- Lakes and Rivers All
- Streams
- Pipeline; Powerline
- Oil & Gas Well Locations
- Section Corners
- Adjacent Stand Boundaries
- Paved Roads
- Gravel Roads
- Poor Dirt Roads

Locator Map 1:200,000





TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

OSCODA EPHEMERAL ASPEN MIX (72-016-15)

T28N, R03E, SEC. 10.

Oscoda County (Advertised Price \$39,310.10)

SALE NOTE: Sale has following restrictions:

Oak wilt restrictions, unless changed by written agreement, cutting, skidding, and hauling are not permitted during the period of April 15 to July 15.

Also drumming log spec is added. Sale can be accessed off Delano Road.

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

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawtimber		
Red Pine	13.20 MBF	\$ 162.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Mixed Aspen	1,634.00 Cords	\$ 19.55 / Cord
Red Maple	191.00 Cords	\$ 10.30 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$3,259.70:

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Pulpwood		
Mixed Hardwood	135.00 Cords	\$ 11.05 / Cord
Red Pine	22.00 Cords	\$ 60.80 / Cord
White Pine	19.00 Cords	\$ 22.65 / Cord

\* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 11.20 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 \$1,966.00 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.
4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 06/30/2018.

# Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

**Sale Name: OSCODA EPHEMERAL ASPEN MIX**

**Sale Number: 72-016-15 Seq#: 1**

## 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 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. One retention island is delineated with red paint, do not cut red painted trees and keep equipment out of this area. 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 and 2, cut all trees that are two (2) inches or more at DBH, except do not cut any oak or cedar.

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

Note that Mixed hardwood is comprised of 60 cords of sugar maple, 10 cords of ash, 11 cords of beech and 54 cords of paper birch.

### 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 if sale is not chipped. If the sale is chipped then stumps will not be taller than 6 inches for all trees. A written waiver of this requirement may be obtained if wet summer weather makes winter logging necessary.

## 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

#### 4.1.6 - 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 chipped, utilized or otherwise dispersed throughout the sale. Stumps shall be set upright, not left on edge, and be moved at least 10 feet away from the road edge. Disturbed soil shall be feathered into the woods and not left in berms or windrows.

#### 4.1.7 - Road closure (10/11)

All new roads built into the sale must be blocked to vehicle traffic upon completion of the sale. Overgrown roads that are reopened shall be considered new roads. In general, this will require constructing a four (4') foot high berm of stumps and logs. Stumps and brush must be placed along the remainder of the trail. These roads must be rendered impassable to cars and trucks. All stumps from road building and landing construction must be reserved to block any newly constructed roads upon completion of the sale. These stumps must be scattered along the road system to prohibit vehicular movement. Contact the sale administrator for specific details of design and placement.

#### 4.1.11 - Permits (2/12)

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



## 4.2 - Maintenance

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

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

### 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 5 days in advance to schedule the conference.

#### 5.1.3 - Well heads and natural gas pipelines (7/07)

The Purchaser is responsible for contacting the gas or pipeline company prior to operating equipment in the vicinity of well heads or natural gas pipelines. Contact Breitburn at 888-350-1681. Permission is required before harvest operations begin and must be submitted to the Unit Manager.

### 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.

##### 5.2.1.2 - Slash Removal

###### 5.2.1.2.1 - Slash removal, right-of-way (12/04)

All slash must be removed at least 10 feet from the cleared right-of-way of forest roads.

##### 5.2.1.8 - Slash height (12/08)

No slash or tree tops may exceed 48" if sale is not chipped, if chipped 24 inches in height.

#### 5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

##### 5.2.3.4 - Oak wilt restriction (6/10)

Within Payment Unit(s) unless changed by written agreement, cutting, skidding, and hauling are not permitted during the period of April 15 to July 15. This is necessary to reduce the spread of oak wilt. For more information, contact the Unit Manager or his/her representative. If operations can be conducted so there is no damage to residual oak with the sale area and along haul roads, then permission will be granted to operate during the restricted time period.

#### 5.2.4 - Dead and Down Creation

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

To encourage grouse and other wildlife, in Payment Unit(s) 1 and 2, leave one, 10" diameter or larger log-length (8 foot minimum) piece on the ground for every 3 acres. These will be evenly scattered throughout the unit. This can be an unmerchantable piece or a full tree.

##### 5.2.4.7 - Dead and down creation: hare, grouse, deer and other species (5/15)

To improve horizontal cover habitat for snowshoe hare, grouse, deer, and other species, the Purchaser is to push over all boundary line trees that are not cedar along the Q9 forest type, see sale map. These trees should be tipped over with the root ball still attached so the base of the tree is suspended off the ground. The crown of the fallen tree should be at or near ground level after it is pushed over.

##### 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.

#### 5.2.32 - 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.

#### 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.

#### 5.4.6 - Wet area protection (5/10)

No harvesting operations, including skidding and felling, are to take place within retention/ephemeral drainage. Care must be taken by the Purchaser to identify and avoid operating in these areas of the timber sale.

## 6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

### 6.2 - Signing

#### 6.2.1 - Road posting (9/09)

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



Sale Number	Year
72-016	15

# TIMBER SALE MAP

This information provided by authority of Part 525, 1994 PA 451, as amended.

Forest Management Unit	County	Mapped By	Date	Page	of
Grayling Unit	Oscoda County	Barnes	08/21/2015	1	1
Township	Range	Section(s) and Subdivision(s)	Scale		
28N	03E	Sec 10 - W1/2SE, E1/4SW	1:15,840		

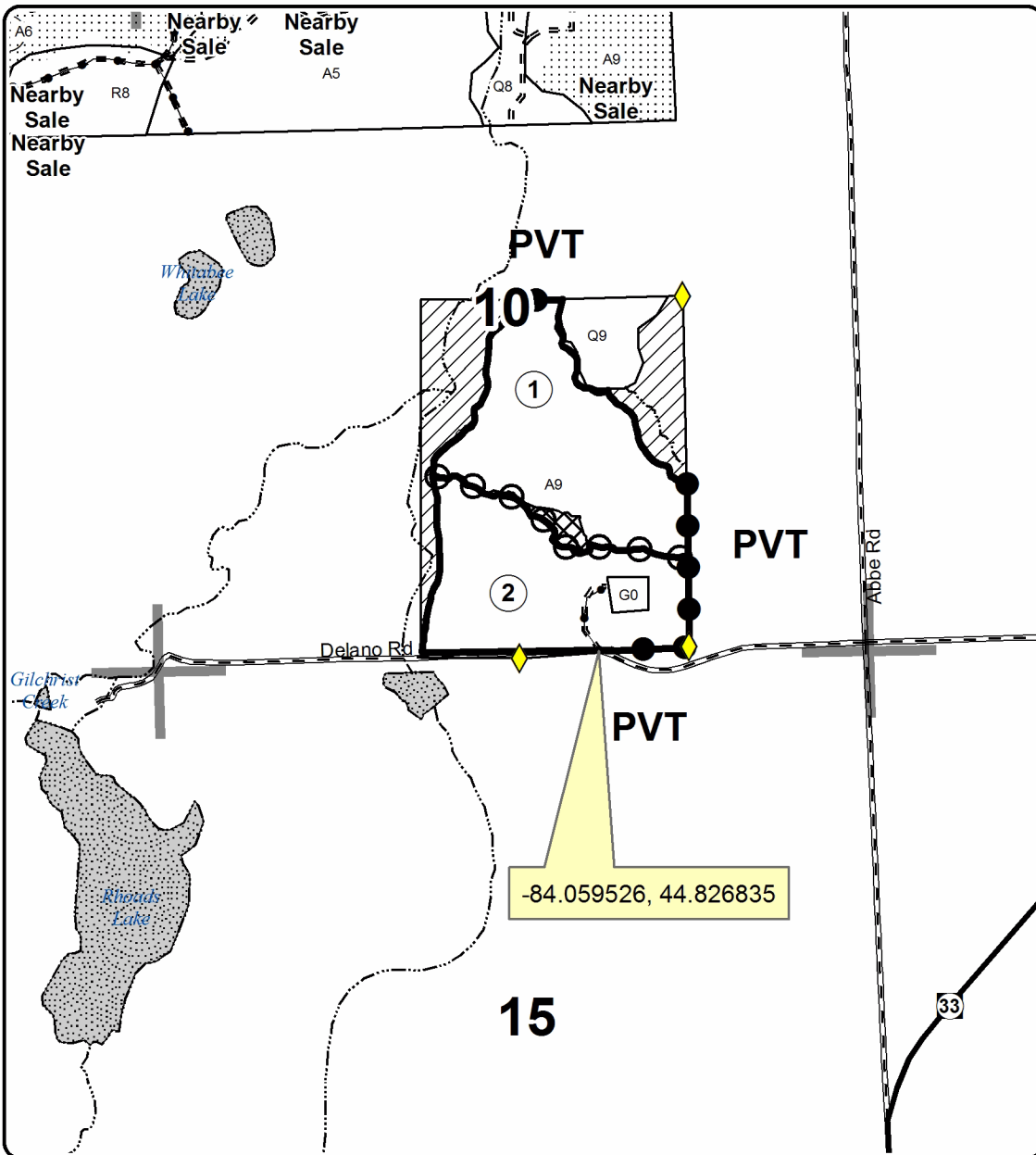
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F = Spruce Fir	MC = Mixed Conifer	S = Black Spruce	Z = Water		
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PU	Acres	PU	Acres
1	40		
2	40		

## Oscoda Ephemeral Aspen Mix

### Compartment 27

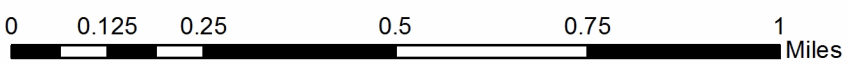
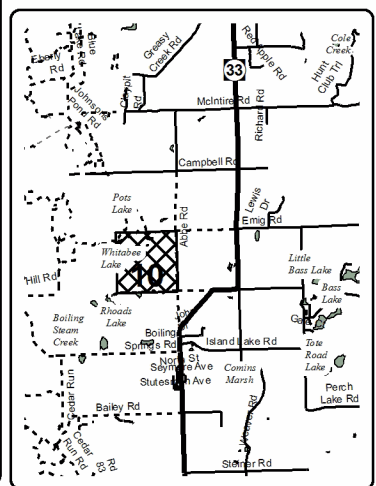
### 80 Acres



### Legend

- Sale Boundary**
  - Against State (Red)
  - Payment Unit (Yellow)
  - Private Line (Blue)
- Survey\_Corners (Yellow diamond)
- Section Corners (Grey square)
- PU\_Label (Circle)
- Retention Area (Hatched box)
- Ephemeral Drainage (Cross-hatched box)
- Adjacent Stand Boundaries (Dashed line)
- Highway (Thick solid line)
- Gravel Roads (Thin solid line)
- Poor Dirt Roads (Dotted line)
- Pipeline; Powerline (Line with cross-ticks)
- Streams (Dashed line)
- Lakes and Rivers All (Stippled area)

Locator Map 1:200,000





**TIMBER SALE INFORMATION**

GOOSE OPENER ASPEN MIX (72-046-15)  
 T28N, R03E, SEC. 09; T28N, R03E, SEC. 10.  
 Oscoda County (Advertised Price \$22,952.35)

SALE NOTE: Sale has following restrictions: Sale does have some very steep terrain sale specs pertaining to skid trails have been added, see page 3 of sale specs. Also, drumming log spec is added. Sale can be accessed off Hill Road. Most roads in the sale area also have pipelines running next to them.

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

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawtimber		
Mixed Oak	14.90 MBF	\$ 153.00 / MBF
Red Pine	32.40 MBF	\$ 147.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Mixed Aspen	573.00 Cords	\$ 17.35 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	151.00 Cords	\$ 9.80 / Cord
Red Pine	74.00 Cords	\$ 54.05 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$488.80:

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Pulpwood		
Mixed Oak	40.00 Cords	\$ 8.20 / Cord
White Pine	8.00 Cords	\$ 20.10 / Cord

\* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 14.81 percent. The estimated units are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

**BOND AND PAYMENT SCHEDULE:**

1. A bond in the amount of \$1,200.00 to insure faithful performance of the conditions of the contract will be deposited by the successful bidder within 21 days of the sale award.
2. Cutting in any sale or unit without the required advance payment would be considered a trespass.
3. Total payment must be paid in advance or according to the following schedule:
  - (a) Ten percent (10%) of the sale value must be paid within 21 days of the sale award.
  - (b) The remainder is due before cutting begins.
4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 06/30/2018.

## Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

**Sale Name: GOOSE OPENER ASPEN MIX**

**Sale Number: 72-046-15 Seq#: 1**

### 1 - Sale Area

#### 1.2 - Boundaries

##### 1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (1/14)

The sale boundaries are marked and identified by blue, red and green paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against private property are marked with blue paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. Retention islands are marked with green paint, do not cut any green painted trees and equipment is not to enter retention islands.

### 2 - Timber Specifications

#### 2.1 - Included Timber

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, cut all trees which meet minimum piece specifications in 2.2 Utilization, except do not cut any red pine greater than 16" DBH.

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

Note that Mixed Hardwood is comprised of roughly 24 cords of sugar maple, 82 cords of red maple, 8 cords of basswood, 3 cords of ash, 11 cords of beech and 23 cords of paper birch. Sale has areas that are very steep.

#### 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 if the sale is not chipped, if the sale is chipped then stump heights shall not exceed 6 inches for all trees. A written waiver of this requirement may be obtained if wet summer weather makes winter logging necessary.

### 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

##### 4.1.6 - 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 chipped, utilized or otherwise dispersed throughout the sale. Stumps shall be set upright, not left on edge, and be moved at least 10 feet away from the road edge. Disturbed soil shall be feathered into the woods and not left in berms or windrows.

##### 4.1.7 - Road closure (10/11)

All new roads built into the sale must be blocked to vehicle traffic upon completion of the sale. Overgrown roads that are reopened shall be considered new roads. In general, this will require constructing a four (4') foot high berm of stumps and logs. Stumps and brush must be placed along the remainder of the trail. These roads must be rendered impassable to cars and trucks. All stumps from road building and landing construction must be reserved to block any newly constructed roads upon completion of the sale. These stumps must be scattered along the road system to prohibit vehicular movement. Contact the sale administrator for specific details of design and placement.

##### 4.1.11 - Permits (2/12)

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

## 4.2 - Maintenance

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

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

### 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 10 days in advance to schedule the conference.

#### 5.1.3 - Well heads and natural gas pipelines (7/07)

The Purchaser is responsible for contacting the gas or pipeline company prior to operating equipment in the vicinity of well heads or natural gas pipelines. Contact Breitburn at 888-350-1681. Written permission is required before harvest operations begin and must be submitted to the Unit Manager.

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

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

### 5.2 - Conduct of Operations

#### 5.2.1 - Slash

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

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##### 5.2.1.2 - Slash Removal

###### 5.2.1.2.1 - Slash removal, right-of-way (12/04)

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##### 5.2.1.8 - Slash height (12/08)

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#### 5.2.2 - Hazard Trees/Snags

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

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

#### 5.2.4 - Dead and Down Creation

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

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### 5.4.2 - Skid trails (2/04)

Skid trails up and down slopes should be avoided. If however this is unavoidable, these trails will be left in a non-erodible condition using water bars, logs, and slash. Placing of slash on these skid trails while logging is ongoing may alleviate need for any further action. At the direction of the sale administrator, seed, fertilizer, and mulch may also be required.

### 5.4.3 - Erosion control (12/08)

Skid trails or haul roads may require erosion control structures or berms per direction of the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

### 5.4.4 - Slope protection (5/15)

Skid trails and roads on slopes shall be water barred with slash, stumps, and/or clean straw bales native to the area as soon as use is complete to prevent erosion.

## 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 the unnamed forest 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.





# TIMBER SALE MAP

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Forest Management Unit Grayling Unit	County Oscoda County	Mapped By Barnes	Date 09/01/2015	Page 1	of 1
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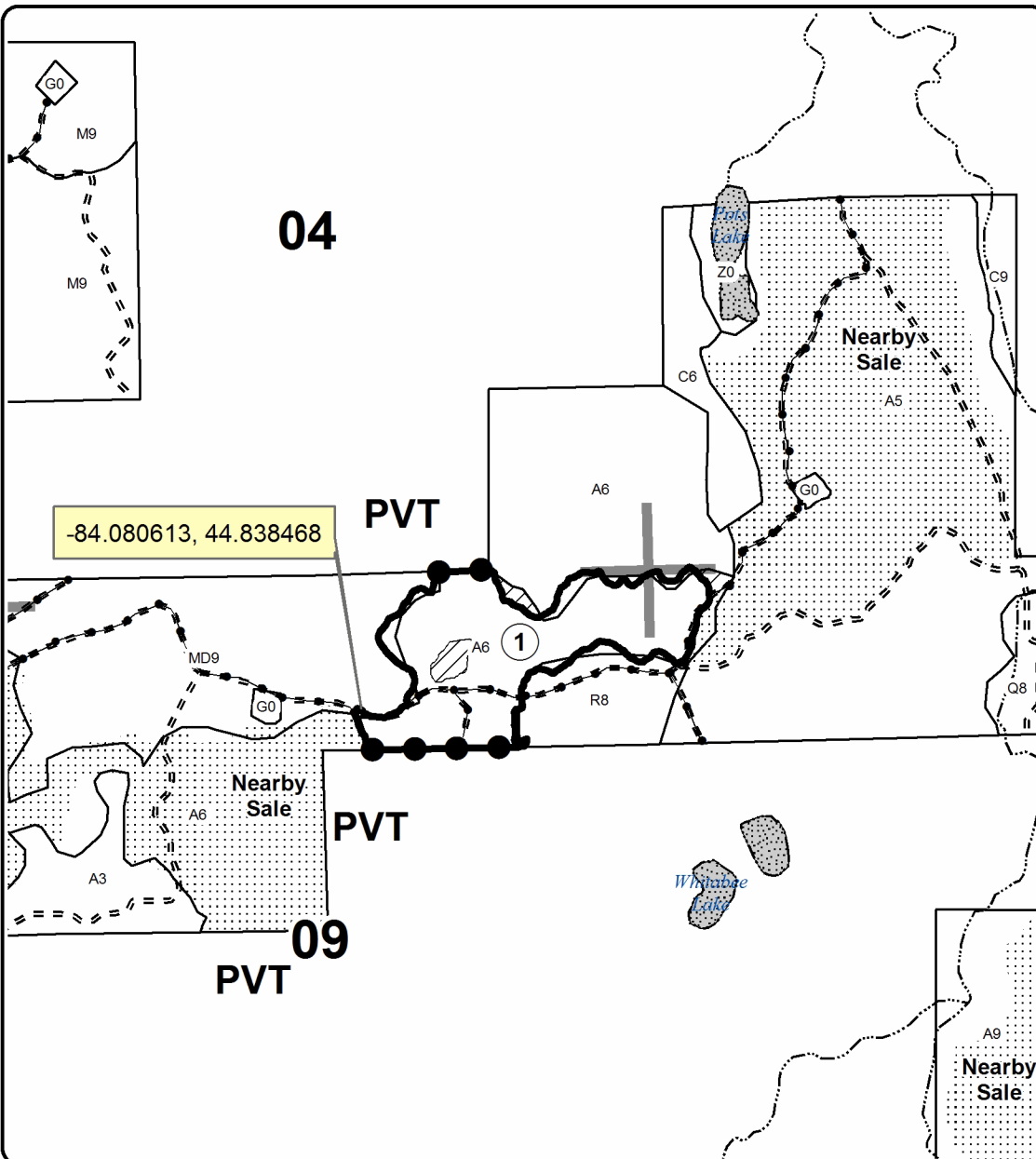
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PU	Acres	PU	Acres
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## Goose Opener Aspen Mix

### Compartment 27

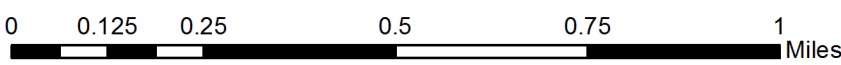
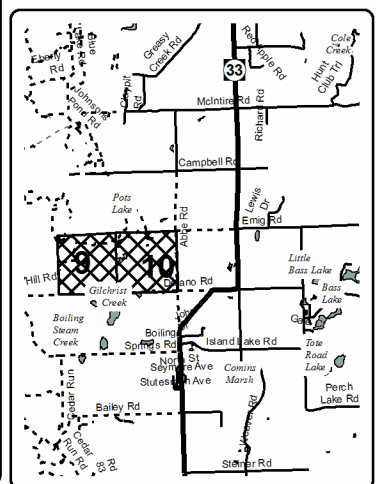
#### 42 Acres



### Legend

- Against State (Red)
- Private Line (Blue)
- Retention Area
- PU\_Label
- Poor Dirt Roads
- Streams
- Lakes and Rivers All
- Pipeline; Powerline
- Adjacent Stand Boundaries
- Section Corners

Locator Map  
1:200,000





FORM

COMP 27 HARDWOOD THIN (72-002-15)  
T28N, R03E, SEC. 18; Oscoda COUNTY

In response to the notice of sale to be held 9:00 a.m. (local time) on June 29, 2016, I am hereby submitting my sealed bid (firm offer) for the following forest products to be cut. Bids for individual species must be at or above the advertised price. All non-responsive bid forms may be rejected.

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED VOLUME*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>	<u>BID PRICE</u>
Sawtimber			
Basswood	182.80 MBF	\$ 73.00/MBF	\$ _____
Sugar Maple	215.70 MBF	\$ 354.00/MBF	\$ _____
Pulpwood			
Mixed Hardwood	667.00 Cords	\$ 11.35/Cord	\$ _____
Sugar Maple	753.00 Cords	\$ 14.00/Cord	\$ _____

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$9,180.80 :

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED VOLUME*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawtimber		
Beech	40.40 MBF	\$ 45.00/MBF
White Ash	98.70 MBF	\$ 23.00/MBF
Pulpwood		
Mixed Aspen	254.00 Cords	\$ 20.05/Cord

\*The volumes are statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 15.83 percent. These estimated volumes are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

I understand that any or all bids may be rejected. All bids must be signed and all bid items must be bid or the bid form may be rejected. I also understand that consideration and awarding a contract will be based upon my past performance and ability to complete the contract based upon equipment and staffing subject to my control.

FEDERAL ID: \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ or SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER: \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_

Company or individual bidding: \_\_\_\_\_

Company representative's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Individual or company representative's signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number : \_\_\_\_\_ Email (optional): \_\_\_\_\_

**THE WINNING BIDDER MUST COMPLETE THE VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE (ON REVERSE SIDE IF DOUBLE SIDED) WITHIN 21 DAYS OF SALE AWARD DATE**



<b>FOR DEPARTMENT USE ONLY</b>
Sale Number (XX - XXX - XX - XX)
Forest Management Unit:

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

*As required by Act 317, P.A. 1969 (Worker's Compensation) and  
Part 5 of Act 451 of 1994, as amended.*

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

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

Please Check Appropriate Categories:

1. My business is organized as (you **must** check one of the boxes below):
  - A.  Sole Proprietorship (individual)
  - B.  Partnership
  - C.  Corporation
2. You **must** check one of the boxes below:
  - A.  I certify 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 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 my business has a Worker's Compensation Policy. I will provide an original Certificate of Insurance within twenty-one (21) days of the contract award.
3. If you have checked item 2(A) or 2(B), you **must** indicate the number of **both** full-time and part-time employees, other than yourself, including family members and active partners (if none, you must enter "0").

\_\_\_\_\_ Full-time Employees

\_\_\_\_\_ Part-time Employees

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

*I hereby certify that the above information is true and correct. I agree to notify the Michigan DNR of any changes that occur in factors affecting my coverage during any of my present and future operations.*

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative

\_\_\_\_\_  
Title

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Please complete the "SEALED BID" information on the next page**

FORM

FUNGI ASPEN HWD MIX (72-014-15)

T28N, R03E, SEC. 08; T28N, R03E, SEC. 09; Oscoda COUNTY

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<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED VOLUME*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>	<u>BID PRICE</u>
<b>Sawtimber</b>			
Mixed Oak	95.20 MBF	\$ 153.00/MBF	\$ _____
Red Pine	35.40 MBF	\$ 147.00/MBF	\$ _____
Sugar Maple	12.10 MBF	\$ 315.00/MBF	\$ _____
<b>Pulpwood</b>			
Mixed Aspen	881.00 Cords	\$ 17.35/Cord	\$ _____
Mixed Hardwood	399.00 Cords	\$ 9.80/Cord	\$ _____
Red Pine	251.00 Cords	\$ 54.05/Cord	\$ _____

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$2,617.00 :

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED VOLUME*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
<b>Pulpwood</b>		
Balsam Fir	5.00 Cords	\$ 22.90/Cord
Mixed Oak	239.00 Cords	\$ 8.20/Cord
White Pine	27.00 Cords	\$ 20.10/Cord

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  - C.  I certify my business has a Worker's Compensation Policy. I will provide an original Certificate of Insurance within twenty-one (21) days of the contract award.
3. If you have checked item 2(A) or 2(B), you **must** indicate the number of **both** full-time and part-time employees, other than yourself, including family members and active partners (if none, you must enter "0").

\_\_\_\_\_ Full-time Employees

\_\_\_\_\_ Part-time Employees

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

*I hereby certify that the above information is true and correct. I agree to notify the Michigan DNR of any changes that occur in factors affecting my coverage during any of my present and future operations.*

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Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative

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GOOSE OPENER ASPEN MIX (72-046-15)  
 T28N, R03E, SEC. 09; T28N, R03E, SEC. 10; Oscoda COUNTY

In response to the notice of sale to be held 9:00 a.m. (local time) on June 29, 2016, I am hereby submitting my sealed bid (firm offer) for the following forest products to be cut. Bids for individual species must be at or above the advertised price. All non-responsive bid forms may be rejected.

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED VOLUME*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>	<u>BID PRICE</u>
<b>Sawtimber</b>			
Mixed Oak	14.90 MBF	\$ 153.00/MBF	\$ _____
Red Pine	32.40 MBF	\$ 147.00/MBF	\$ _____
<b>Pulpwood</b>			
Mixed Aspen	573.00 Cords	\$ 17.35/Cord	\$ _____
Mixed Hardwood	151.00 Cords	\$ 9.80/Cord	\$ _____
Red Pine	74.00 Cords	\$ 54.05/Cord	\$ _____

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$488.80 :

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED VOLUME*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
<b>Pulpwood</b>		
Mixed Oak	40.00 Cords	\$ 8.20/Cord
White Pine	8.00 Cords	\$ 20.10/Cord

\*The volumes are statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 14.81 percent. These estimated volumes are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

I understand that any or all bids may be rejected. All bids must be signed and all bid items must be bid or the bid form may be rejected. I also understand that consideration and awarding a contract will be based upon my past performance and ability to complete the contract based upon equipment and staffing subject to my control.

FEDERAL ID: \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ or SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER: \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_

Company or individual bidding: \_\_\_\_\_

Company representative's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Individual or company representative's signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number : \_\_\_\_\_ Email (optional): \_\_\_\_\_

**THE WINNING BIDDER MUST COMPLETE THE VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE (ON REVERSE SIDE IF DOUBLE SIDED) WITHIN 21 DAYS OF SALE AWARD DATE**



<b>FOR DEPARTMENT USE ONLY</b>
Sale Number (XX - XXX - XX - XX)
Forest Management Unit:

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

*As required by Act 317, P.A. 1969 (Worker's Compensation) and  
Part 5 of Act 451 of 1994, as amended.*

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

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

Please Check Appropriate Categories:

1. My business is organized as (you **must** check one of the boxes below):
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  - B.  Partnership
  - C.  Corporation
  
2. You **must** check one of the boxes below:
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POTTS LAKE ASPEN MIX (72-015-15)  
T28N, R03E, SEC. 03; T28N, R03E, SEC. 10; Oscoda COUNTY

In response to the notice of sale to be held 9:00 a.m. (local time) on June 29, 2016, I am hereby submitting my sealed bid (firm offer) for the following forest products to be cut. Bids for individual species must be at or above the advertised price. All non-responsive bid forms may be rejected.

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED VOLUME*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>	<u>BID PRICE</u>
Pulpwood			
Mixed Aspen	1,815.00 Cords	\$ 17.35/Cord	\$ _____
Mixed Hardwood	260.00 Cords	\$ 9.80/Cord	\$ _____

\*The volumes are statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 15.64 percent. These estimated volumes are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

I understand that any or all bids may be rejected. All bids must be signed and all bid items must be bid or the bid form may be rejected. I also understand that consideration and awarding a contract will be based upon my past performance and ability to complete the contract based upon equipment and staffing subject to my control.

FEDERAL ID: \_\_\_\_\_ or SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

Company or individual bidding: \_\_\_\_\_

Company representative's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Individual or company representative's signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number : \_\_\_\_\_ Email (optional): \_\_\_\_\_

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OSCODA EPHEMERAL ASPEN MIX (72-016-15)

T28N, R03E, SEC. 10; Oscoda COUNTY

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Sawtimber			
Red Pine	13.20 MBF	\$ 162.00/MBF	\$ _____
Pulpwood			
Mixed Aspen	1,634.00 Cords	\$ 19.55/Cord	\$ _____
Red Maple	191.00 Cords	\$ 10.30/Cord	\$ _____

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$3,259.70 :

<u>PRODUCTS &amp; SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED VOLUME*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Pulpwood		
Mixed Hardwood	135.00 Cords	\$ 11.05/Cord
Red Pine	22.00 Cords	\$ 60.80/Cord
White Pine	19.00 Cords	\$ 22.65/Cord

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Company or individual bidding: \_\_\_\_\_

Company representative's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

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Individual or company representative's signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number : \_\_\_\_\_ Email (optional): \_\_\_\_\_

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<b>FOR DEPARTMENT USE ONLY</b>
Sale Number (XX - XXX - XX - XX)
Forest Management Unit:

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