

## DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES STATE OF MICHIGAN

#### **TIMBER SALE PROSPECTUS #5716**

SCHEDULED SALE DATE AND TIME: 3:00 p.m. (local time) on September 29, 2016.

LOCATION: NEWBERRY MGMT UNIT, PO BOX 428, 5666 STATE HWY M-123, NEWBERRY, MI 49868.

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

BARAGA BOUND RED PINE (42-001-16) / T49N, R11W, SEC. 04, S1/2NE, NW1/4, SW1/4, SWSE. T49N, R11W, SEC. 05, NENE, S1/2NE, NESE.

Luce County, Advertised Price \$523,735.00, 271.0 Acres, Jack Pine, Red Pine.

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#### BID INSTRUCTIONS (VER. 07/27/2016):

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

Bids must be received by the Unit Manager, NEWBERRY OFFICE, PO BOX 428 5666 STATE HWY M-123, NEWBERRY, MI 49868, no later than 3:00 p.m. (local time) on September 29, 2016. For further information concerning this sale, contact Keith Magnusson at 906-293-3293 extension 4740.

#### 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 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 (7/16)

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 withdrawal 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. 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 (7/16)

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

#### BARAGA BOUND RED PINE (42-001-16)

T49N, R11W, SEC. 04; T49N, R11W, SEC. 05.

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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:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	ADVERTISED PRICE
Pulpwood		
Jack Pine	811.00 Cords	\$ 48.35 / Cord
Red Pine	5,431.00 Cords	\$ 83.55 / Cord
White Pine	568.00 Cords	\$ 35.45 / Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$10.627.50:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*		ADVERTISED PRICE		
Sawtimber	0.50 1405		000 00 / NDF		
Red Oak	6.50 MBF	\$	282.00 / MBF		
Pulpwood					
Mixed Aspen	141.00 Cords	\$	35.40 / Cord		
Mixed Hardwood	84.00 Cords	\$	29.40 / Cord		
Mixed Softwood	42.00 Cords	\$	31.75 / Cord		

<sup>\*</sup> The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 7.54 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 \$27,000.00 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.
- 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: BARAGA BOUND RED PINE Sale Number: 42-001-16 Seg#: 2

#### 1 - Sale Area

#### 1.2 - Boundaries

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

The sale boundary and Payment Unit boundaries are marked and identified by red and yellow paint and also two track roads (see Timber Sale map). Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. Interior Payment Unit boundaries are marked with red or yellow paint or designated by two track roads. The painted boundary line trees are not Included Timber and are to be protected.

#### 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 aspen, jack pine, maple and white birch trees which meet minimum piece specifications in 2.2 Utilization. IN ADDITION, cut all red pine, white pine and oak that are marked with ORANGE paint.

Within Payment Unit(s) 5 and 6, cut all jack pine, red pine, white pine, aspen, balsam, spruce and white birch trees which meet minimum piece specifications in 2.2 - Utilization. DO NOT CUT any trees marked with GREEN paint, oak or hemlock.

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 2, 3, 4, 7 and 8, cut all jack pine, aspen, balsam, spruce, white pine, and red pine. DO NOT CUT any red pine less than 8 inches in diameter that have less than three 8-foot sticks of merchantable timber, or trees marked with GREEN paint. In addition, DO NOT CUT any hemlock, oak, cedar, maple or white birch.

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

Note that all red pine volumes have been cruised as pulpwood. Much of the red pine volume is of sawlog size and quality.

#### 2.2 - Utilization

#### 2.2.3 - Stump heights (4/07)

Stump heights within the Sale Area shall not exceed 6 inches for all trees. This is in order to facilitate reforestation operations.

#### 2.2.4 - Skidding length (2/14)

Within Payment Units 1, 2, 3, 4, 7 and 8, skidding of unlimbed tops or lengths over 17 feet is not permissible unless approved by the Unit Manager or his/her representative. This is to help protect residual stand and the advanced regeneration that is established throughout the sale area.

#### 3 - Payments

#### 3.3 - Pre-measured Sales

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

Payment Unit(s) 1 - 8 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. Multiple divisions per Payment Unit may be allowed due to high value of the sale.

#### 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. The Purchaser must carefully plan skid trails within the sale area to help minimize damage to existing trees seedlings and saplings.

Within the sale area, if more than 20% 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 \$200 per acre for all acreage within that specified portion of the sale area that was damaged.

#### 4 - Transportation

#### 4.1 - Construction

#### 4.1.6 - Road construction (1/09)

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

New roads are allowed in Payment Units 5 and 6 only.

#### 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 and/or abandoned 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 at the beginning of any new road course. Stumps and brush must be placed along the road for a minimum of 200 feet, effectively obliterating it. These roads must be rendered impassable to cars, trucks and ORV's. Stumps from road building and landing construction can be reserved to meet the above road closure specifications. Temporary berms may be required if no sale activity occurs for 30 or more consecutive days. Contact the sale administrator for specific details of design and placement.

#### 4.1.8 - Road work (1) (8/07)

The following road work is required: The Purchaser will be required to haul, spread and level pit-run gravel in the approaches to any open/existing roads entering onto County Road 407 which are used for hauling. These approaches must be filled with enough gravel to make them travelable by vehicle traffic. This work must be done prior to hauling as well filling any holes or soft spots in these roads that occur as a result of the hauling. These areas may also be required to be topped with crushed gravel if determined necessary by the sale administrator.

#### 4.1.12 - No new roads (1/12)

No new roads will be permitted in Payment Units 1, 2, 3, 4, 7 or 8. All operations are limited to existing roads. Existing roads can be improved. Skid trails and short turnarounds off existing roads only will be allowed.

Within Payment Unit 1, all products will be skidded out to the County Road 407 R-O-W and decked as discussed at the pre-sale conference.

Within Payment Units 5 and 6, new roads will be permitted in level areas only, so as not to disturb the sandy ridges within the Payment Units.

#### 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 any period during which the condition of the road(s) is deemed unacceptable by the sale administrator. Examples of these conditions would be wet weather, spring break up, or prolonged dry periods during which the sand roads become impassable to conventional vehicles.

#### 4.2.2 - Fill material (4/07)

To maintain roads, fill material may be needed in areas where "holes" exist or may be expected to develop. This fill material should be placed before trucking begins.

#### 4.2.4 - Grading (12/14)

For completion of the sale, state forest roads must be graded. In general, this will require a road grader or bull dozer to shape up the roads after forest products have been hauled off site. The grading equipment to be used must be approved by the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

#### 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.

#### 4.3 - Public Right-of-Way

#### 4.3.2 - County R-O-W (12/06)

The county must be contacted prior to beginning harvesting operations within the county road R-O-W. Payment Unit 1 has special requirements and allowances for decking within the County Road 407 R-O-W.

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

Payment Unit 1 decking and skidding restrictions will be covered at the pre-sale conference. Luce County Road Commission has approved special decking and loading allowances for Payment Unit 1.

#### 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. It is recommended that this take place prior to equipment being moved from the site.

#### 5.2 - Conduct of Operations

#### 5.2.1 - Slash

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

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

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

To facilitate reforestation, Payment Unit(s) 2 - 8 shall be left with slash evenly distributed. Bunched tops within the cutting area shall be broken up and scattered. Stumps shall be cut low to the ground. Processing sites shall not be left with a compacted layer of slash; tops from these sites shall be hauled back into the cut area and scattered.

#### 5.2.2 - Hazard Trees/Snags

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

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

#### 5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

#### 5.2.3.1 - Operating restrictions (9/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 - 8, unless changed by written agreement, cutting, skidding and hauling are not allowed from December 15 to April 1. This restriction is due to the requirement of low stump heights for post sale reforestation operations.

#### 5.2.3.3 - Bark slippage restriction (3/09)

Within Payment Unit(s) 2, 3, 4, 7 and 8, 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.

#### 5.2.32 - 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. Decking and loading areas for Payment Unit 1, which will be along the County Road 407 R-O-W, will be rehabilitated according to the specifications of the Luce County Road Commission.

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

No decking is allowed within 50 feet of County Road 407 cleared R-O-W, EXCEPT as allowed for Payment Unit 1. Luce County Road Commission has approved special decking and loading allowances for Payment Unit 1.

#### 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 Pine Ridge Trail is an ORV trail and is 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, except where ORV trail and tow track roads are the same. 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/or 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.

#### 5.8 - 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

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

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

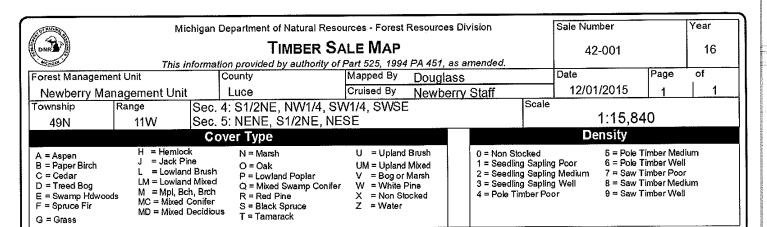
#### 7 - Other Conditions

#### 7.3 - Contract Modifications

#### 7.3.3 - Modification for reforestation (8/05)

When contractual work of Purchaser has been accepted for any Payment Unit identified on Sale Area Map, Payment Unit will be eliminated from the Sale Area on written notice so that reforestation operations can begin.

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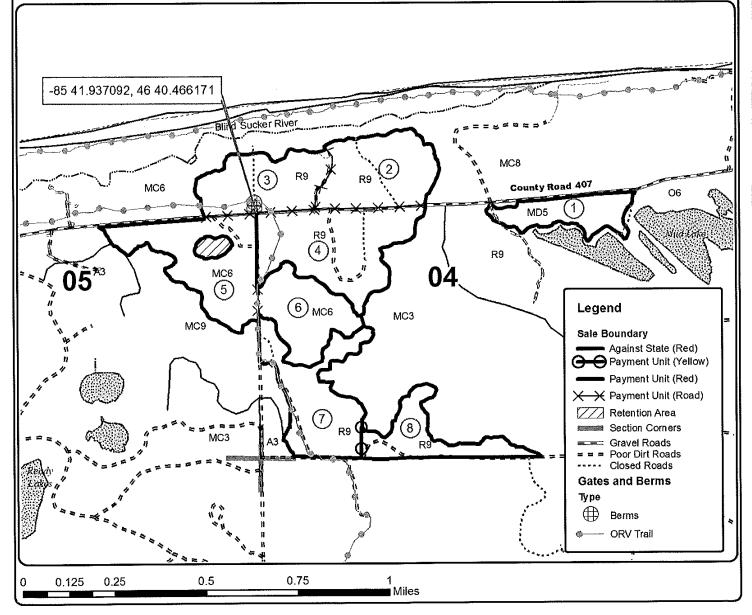


PU	Acres	<u> PU</u>	<u>Acres</u>
1	19	5	42
2	35	6	30
3	33	7	39
4	51	8	22

## **Baraga Bound Red Pine**

Compartment 11 271 Acres





#### TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

#### CAMP ONE PINE (42-031-15)

T47N, R10W, SEC. 06.

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Pulpwood				
Red Pine	2,017.00 Cords	\$	86.85 / Cord	

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$5.788.35:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	<b>ESTIMATED UNITS*</b>		<u>ADV</u>	ERTISED PRICE
Pulpwood				
Balsam Fir	32.00	Cords	\$	17.45 / Cord
Paper Birch	3.00	Cords	\$	25.95 / Cord
Quaking Aspen	9.00	Cords	\$	53.55 / Cord
Red Maple	23.00	Cords	\$	27.05 / Cord
White Pine	92.00	Cords	\$	44.00 / Cord

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#### Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: CAMP ONE PINE Sale Number: 42-031-15 Seg#: 2

#### 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) # 6, 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) #'s 1-5, all trees are designated for cutting when marked with orange paint above and below stump height, regardless of merchantability.

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

Note that there are Red Pine logs present in the sale, but all Red Pine was cruised as Pulp.

#### 2.2 - Utilization

#### 2.2.3 - Stump heights (4/07)

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

#### 3 - Payments

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#### 4 - Transportation

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#### 4.1.12 - No new roads (1/12)

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

#### 4.2 - Maintenance

#### 4.2.4 - Grading (12/14)

For completion of the sale, state forest roads must be graded. In general, this will require a road grader or bull dozer to shape up the roads after forest products have been hauled off site. This includes cleaning of drainage areas, grading, crowning and filling with gravel, if necessary. The grading equipment to be used must be approved by the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

#### 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 in a Payment Unit 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. It is advised to do this before equipment is removed from the sale.

#### 5.2 - Conduct of Operations

#### 5.2.1 - Slash

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

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

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

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

#### 5.2.2 - 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.

#### 5.2.32 - 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.

#### 5.2.41 - Snowmobile trail protection (9/11)

The Trail 8 is a snowmobile trail and is shown on the Timber Sale Map. Do not cut or damage posts with orange trail markers or traffic control signs. If the trail is used, it must be maintained and restored to a condition equal to or better than before the sale. The road maintenance/restoration must be done prior to December 1. If the trail is used for hauling, it must be graded to the satisfaction of the Unit Manager or his/her representative prior to December 1. 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. The snowmobile trail may not be used for any timber sale operations from December 1 to March 31. No decking of forest products will be permitted along the snowmobile trail.

#### 5.4 - Soil Protection

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

Operations are to cease immediately if equipment and weather conditions result in rutting of roads 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.

#### 5.8 - 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

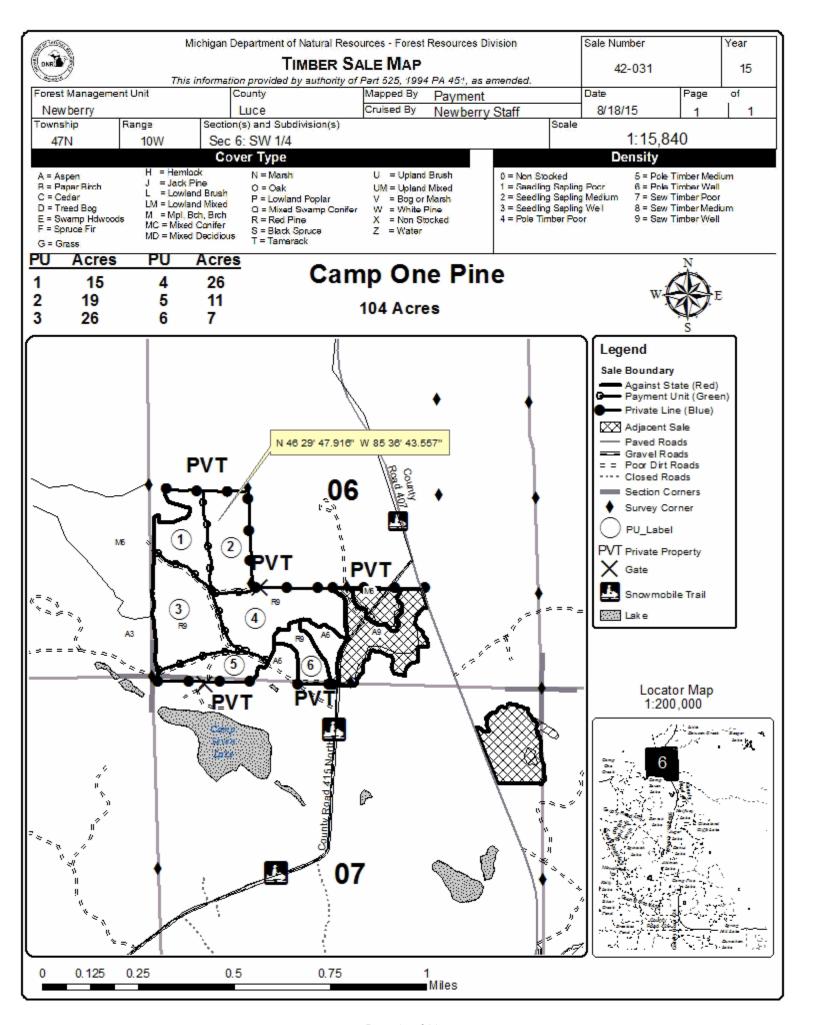
#### 6.2.1 - Road posting (9/09)

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on County Road 415 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 Trail 8 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.

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#### BID

#### NEWBERRY MANAGEMENT UNIT NEWBERRY OFFICE

# CAMP ONE PINE (42-031-15) T47N, R10W, SEC, 06: Luce COUNTY

		T47N, R10W, SE	EC. 06; L	uce COUNTY	
In response to the notice of sale to be offer) for the following forest products to non-responsive bid forms may be reject	to be cut. Bids				
PRODUCTS & SPECIES Pulpwood	ESTIMATED	VOLUME*	<u>AD</u>	VERTISED PRICE	BID PRICE
Red Pine	2,017.00	Cords	\$	86.85/Cord	\$
In addition, the successful bidder agre-	es to purchase	the following spe	cies at tl	ne indicated advertised	d price for a total value of \$5,788.35 :
PRODUCTS & SPECIES Pulpwood	ESTIMATED	VOLUME*	<u>AD</u>	VERTISED PRICE	
Balsam Fir	32.00	Cords	\$	17.45/Cord	
Paper Birch	3.00	Cords	\$	25.95/Cord	
Quaking Aspen	9.00	Cords	\$	53.55/Cord	
Red Maple	23.00	Cords	\$	27.05/Cord	
White Pine	92.00	Cords	\$	44.00/Cord	
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Company or individual biddi	ng:				
Company representative's r	name:				
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Individual or company representative's	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



Title

### Michigan Department of Natural Resources Forest Resources Division

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

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

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.

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- In addition, if boxes 2B or 2C are checked, then Notice of Exclusion or Certificate of Insurance must be submitted within 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 <u>one</u> of the boxes below): A. 

  Sole Proprietorship (individual) B. 

  Partnership C. 

  Corporation You must check one of the boxes below: A.  $\square$  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. \( \Backslash \) I certify my business has satisfied its o bligation 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 twentyone (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 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

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

Date

#### **BID**

NEWBERRY MANAGEMENT UNIT NEWBERRY OFFICE

#### BARAGA BOUND RED PINE (42-001-16)

T49N, R11W, SEC. 04; T49N, R11W, SEC. 05; Luce COUNTY

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

PRODUCTS & SPECIES Pulpwood	ESTIMATED	VOLUME*	<u>ADV</u>	ERTISED PRICE	BID PRI	<u>CE</u>
Jack Pine	811.00	Cords	\$	48.35/Cord	\$	
Red Pine	5,431.00	Cords	\$	83.55/Cord	\$	
White Pine	568.00	Cords	\$	35.45/Cord	\$	

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$10,627.50 :

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED VOLUME*		AD	VERTISED PRICE
Sawtimber				
Red Oak	6.50	MBF	\$	282.00/MBF
Pulpwood				
Mixed Aspen	141.00	Cords	\$	35.40/Cord
Mixed Hardwood	84.00	Cords	\$	29.40/Cord
Mixed Softwood	42.00	Cords	\$	31.75/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.

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

Company or individual bidding:			
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<sup>\*</sup>The volumes are statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 7.54 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.



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