

# DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES STATE OF MICHIGAN

# **TIMBER SALE PROSPECTUS #5855**

SCHEDULED SALE DATE AND TIME: 4:00 p.m. (local time) on May 11, 2017.

LOCATION: TRAVERSE CITY MGMT UNIT, 2122 M 37 SOUTH, TRAVERSE CITY, MI 49685.

PROSPECTUS NOTE: The bidder is advised to inspect the sale area and review the location, estimated volumes, operating costs and contract terms of proposed sales. Please be aware that some landowners may request 60 days or more notice for access across their land.

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received by the Unit Manager, TRAVERSE CITY MANAGEMENT UNIT, for certain timber on the following described lands:

# Steam Hauler Aspen (61-006-17)

Benzie County, Advertised Price \$20,423.10, 49.6 Acres, Aspen, Hardwood.

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

## 3 Scoop Aspen (61-012-17)

Manistee County, Advertised Price \$16,242.25, 13.6 Acres, Aspen, Hardwood.

SALE NOTE: The access route to the sale area traverses wet areas and is seasonally in poor shape. Depending on the time of year, some road work will need to be completed prior to beginning sale operations. At a minimum, grading and some gravel will be needed to allow for hauling/skidding.

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.

#### Gleaner Salvage (61-016-17)

Grand Traverse County, Advertised Price \$61,764.45, 39.9 Acres, Aspen, Red Oak.

SALE NOTE: Gleaner salvage is a sale containing multiple pockets of oak wilt. Because of this, the sale has a time restriction that must be adhered to. The time restriction as outlined in VMS spec 5.2.3.1 and requires the sale to be cut within the time period of 7/15/2017-3/1/2018.

# Fruitful Harvest (61-077-16)

Benzie County, Advertised Price \$56,706.45, 92.6 Acres, Aspen, Hardwood.

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

# Dair Red (61-082-16)

Benzie County, Advertised Price \$14,264.90, 25.4 Acres, Aspen, Red Pine.

#### BID INSTRUCTIONS (VER. 09/02/2016):

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

Bids must be received by the Unit Manager, TRAVERSE CITY OFFICE, 2122 M 37 SOUTH, TRAVERSE CITY, MI 49685, no later than 4:00 p.m. (local time) on May 11, 2017. For further information concerning this sale, contact David Lemmien at 231-922-5280 extension 6840.

#### 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.

# 12. Good Neighbor Authority (GNA) Requirements (7/16)

If the name of this timber sales contains the acronym GNA, it is authorized by the Good Neighbor Authority (GNA) and covered by various agreements between the U.S. Forest Service and the State. The timber sale occurs on federal land and the following conditions apply:

GNA contracts on US Forest Service land will not be awarded to purchasers on the Federal list of excluded parties. The System for Award Management (SAM) will be checked for active excluded parties prior to award of contract. In addition, the Bidder to whom award is made must complete an Assurance Regarding Felony Conviction or Tax Delinquent Status for Corporate Applicants (AD-3031).

#### 13. Good Neighbor Authority (GNA) Requirements, con't (9/16)

Bidder certifies, by signing this bid form, that to the best of Bidder's knowledge that the following representations are accurate and complete.

- a. That the Bidder and its principals are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntary excluded from timber sales (covered transactions) by any Federal department or agency.
- b. That the Bidder and its principals have not within a 3-year period preceding this bid been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (Federal, State, or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction; violation of Federal or State antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property.

- c. That the Bidder and its principals are not presently indicted for or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a governmental entity (Federal, State, or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in paragraph b of this certification.
- d. That the Bidder and its principals have not within a 3-year period preceding this bid had one or more public transactions (Federal, State, or local) terminated for breach or default of a timber or forest product contract.

Bidders that cannot certify this requirement, in whole or in part, shall submit an explanation with their bid.

KEITH CREAGH Director

# TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

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Benzie County (Advertised Price \$20,423.10)

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PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*		<u>ADV</u>	ERTISED PRICE
Sawtimber				
Basswood	1.50	MBF	\$	84.00 / MBF
Black Cherry	5.00	MBF	\$	192.00 / MBF
Mixed Aspen	49.80	MBF	\$	106.00 / MBF
Red Maple	5.80	MBF	\$	130.00 / MBF
Sugar Maple	9.70	MBF	\$	292.00 / MBF
White Pine	4.70	MBF	\$	72.00 / MBF
Pulpwood				
Basswood	7.00	Cords	\$	13.25 / Cord
Mixed Aspen	268.00	Cords	\$	21.30 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	242.00	Cords	\$	17.25 / Cord
White Pine	11.00	Cords	\$	14.35 / Cord

<sup>\*</sup> The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 22.05 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 \$1,021.00 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.

# **Description of Timber by Payment Unit (PU)**

PU	MARKET GROUP	PRODUCT	QUANTITY	UNIT	ACRES	ADVERTISE PRICE
1	Black Cherry	Sawtimber	1.8	MBF	9.4	\$2,311.15
	Mixed Aspen		3.7	MBF		
	B. T. Aspen		2.3	MBF		
	Quaking Aspen		1.4	MBF		
	Mixed Aspen	Pulpwood	52.0	Cords		
	B. T. Aspen		14.0	Cords		
	Quaking Aspen		38.0	Cords		
	Mixed Hardwood		27.0	Cords		
	Black Cherry		21.0	Cords		
	Red Maple		6.0	Cords		
2	Basswood	Sawtimber	1.5	MBF	40.2	\$18,111.95
	Black Cherry		3.2	MBF		
	Mixed Aspen		46.1	MBF		
	B. T. Aspen		42.4	MBF		
	Quaking Aspen		3.7	MBF		
	Red Maple		5.8	MBF		
	Sugar Maple		9.7	MBF		
	White Pine		4.7	MBF		
	Basswood	Pulpwood	7.0	Cords		
	Mixed Aspen		216.0	Cords		
	B. T. Aspen		113.0	Cords		
	Quaking Aspen		103.0	Cords		
	Mixed Hardwood		215.0	Cords		
	Black Cherry		115.0	Cords		
	Ironwood		20.0	Cords		
	Red Maple		36.0	Cords		
	Sugar Maple		44.0	Cords		
	White Pine		11.0	Cords		
		TOTAL:	76.5	MBF		
		TOTAL:	528.0	Cords	·	

# Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Steam Hauler Aspen Sale Number: 61-006-17 Seq#: 1

#### 1 - Sale Area

#### 1.2 - Boundaries

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

The sale boundary is marked and identified by red paint. The painted boundary line trees are not Included Timber and are to be protected.

#### 2 - Timber Specifications

#### 2.1 - Included Timber

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 and 2, cut all trees that are two (2) inches or more at DBH except hemlocks and any trees marked with green paint. Within Payment Unit 2, patches of maple saplings (1" to 5" dbh) may be left standing as long as they are not bent, broken, or damaged.

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

Note that mixed hardwood pulpwood includes black cherry, sugar maple, red maple, and ironwood.

# 4 - Transportation

#### 4.1 - Construction

#### 4.1.3 - Slash and earthen piles (8/04)

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

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

All new roads built into the sale must be blocked to vehicle traffic upon completion of the sale. In general, this will require constructing a four (4') foot high berm of stumps and logs covered with earth. Contact the sale administrator for specific details of design and placement.

#### 5 - Operations

## 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. Exception: slash may be placed in scattered compact piles not exceeding 4 feet in height at the direction of the timber sale administrator. Slash must be removed from the "U" and "G" types shown on the Timber Sale Map within Payment Unit 2.

#### 5.2.4 - Dead and Down Creation

## 5.2.4.1 - Dead and down creation, marked trees (10/13)

All trees marked with an orange "X" must be felled and left on site for wildlife. These trees should be either a) cut at about 4' above the ground, placing the cut portion against the stump, or b) cut at ground level and placed against a small nearby tree (such as an ironwood sapling) retained for this purpose.

# 5.2.29 - Shrub protection (9/07)

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

#### 5.2.40 - Pathway protection (10/10)

The Shore-to-Shore riding/hiking trail is shown on the Timber Sale Map, running along Hooker and Haze roads. If these roads are used for hauling, maintain a 20-foot wide slash, debris, and rut free zone daily, using the pathway as the centerline.

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

The Platte River snowmobile trail is shown on the Timber Sale Map, running on Haze and Oakley roads, and on Steam Hauler road south of Payment Unit 2. Do not cut or damage posts with orange trail markers or traffic control signs. If the trail is used for hauling, it must be graded to the satisfaction of the Unit Manager or his/her representative prior to December 1st. If the trail road is to be used for hauling during the snowmobile season, then a snow covered base must be left on the trail. Maintain a 20 foot wide slash, debris, and rut free zone daily using the snowmobile trail as the centerline.

#### 5.4 - Soil Protection

# 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.

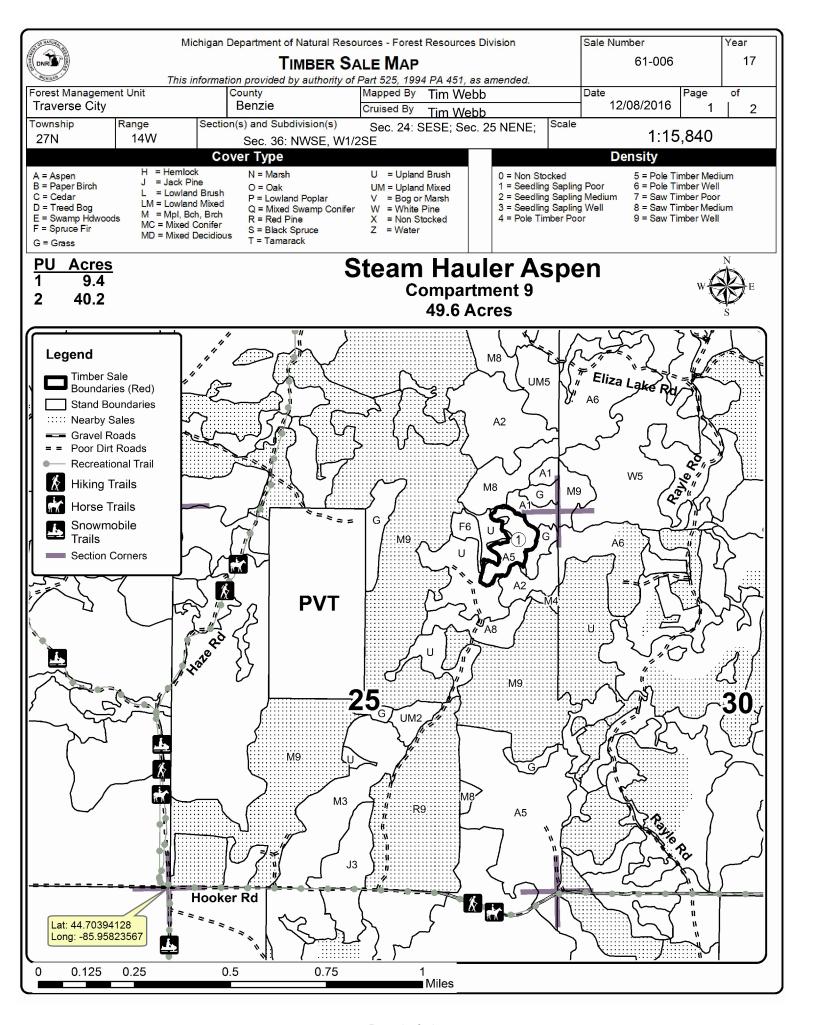
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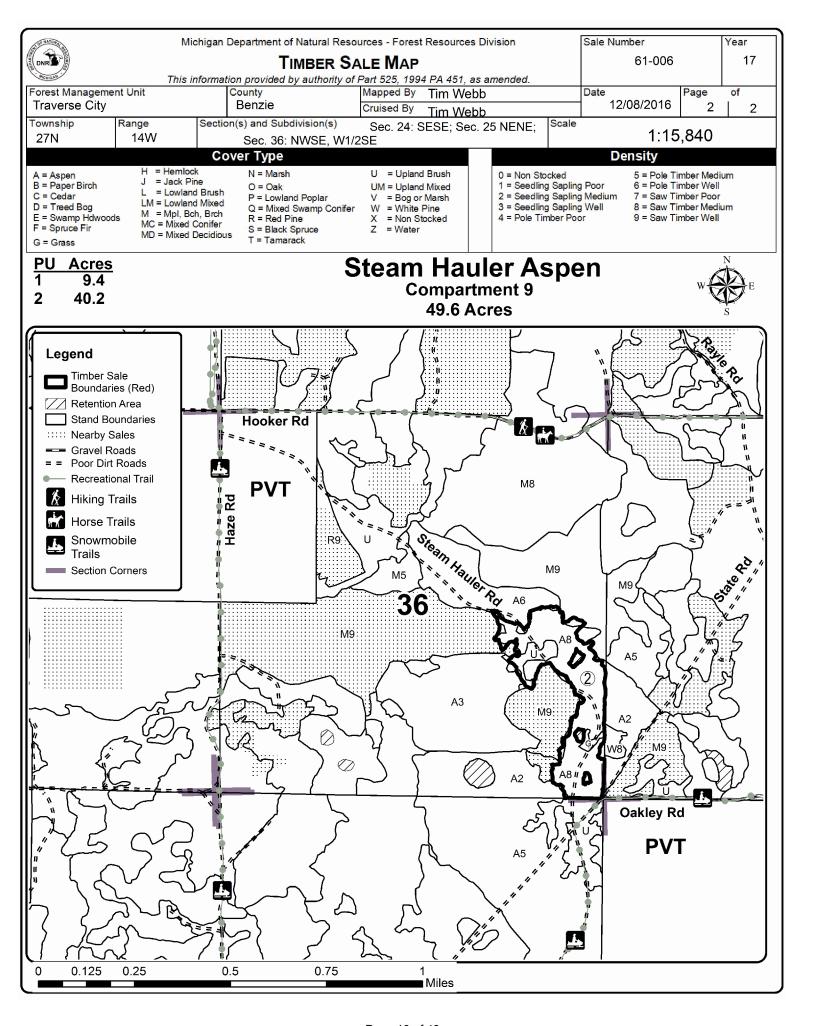
# 6.2 - Signing

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

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

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# TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

## 3 Scoop Aspen (61-012-17)

Manistee County (Advertised Price \$16,242.25)

SALE NOTE: The access route to the sale area traverses wet areas and is seasonally in poor shape. Depending on the time of year, some road work will need to be completed prior to beginning sale operations. At a minimum, grading and some gravel will be needed to allow for hauling/skidding.

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:

ESTIMATED UNITS*		ADVERTISED PRICE	
57.80	MBF	\$	114.00 / MBF
233.00	Cords	\$	22.85 / Cord
73.00	Cords	\$	18.50 / Cord
161.00	Cords	\$	18.50 / Cord
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<sup>\*</sup> The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 13.81 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 \$812.00 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 06/30/2019.

# **Description of Timber by Payment Unit (PU)**

PU	MARKET GROUP	PRODUCT	QUANTITY	UNIT	ACRES	ADVERTISE PRICE
1	B. T. Aspen	Sawtimber	57.8	MBF	13.6	\$16,242.25
	B. T. Aspen	Pulpwood	233.0	Cords		
	Black Cherry		73.0	Cords		
	Black Cherry	Sawtimber	11.2	MBF		
	Black Cherry	Pulpwood	51.0	Cords		
	Red Maple		161.0	Cords		
	Red Maple	Sawtimber	8.4	MBF		
	Red Maple	Pulpwood	144.0	Cords		
		TOTAL:	57.8	MBF		
		TOTAL:	467.0	Cords		

# Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: 3 Scoop Aspen Sale Number: 61-012-17 Seq#: 1

#### 1 - Sale Area

#### 12 - Boundaries

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

The sale boundary is marked and identified by red paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint.

# 2 - Timber Specifications

#### 2.1 - Included Timber

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, cut all trees that are two (2) inches or more at DBH except all conifers. In addition, no paper or yellow birch are to be harvested.

#### 22 - 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.

# 3 - Payments

#### 3.4 - Damaged Timber

#### 3.4.1 - Damaged timber (6/14)

General Condition and Requirement 3.4 Damaged Timber, defines liquidated damages for undesignated live merchantable trees which are cut or injured.

No damage is acceptable to merchantable trees. Within the sale area, if more than 5% of trees (> 4.5" DBH) within a specified area of the sale are damaged, liquidated damages will be assessed for all trees damaged. Rates will be in accordance with General Condition and Requirement 3.4 Damaged Timber.

# 4 - Transportation

#### 4.1 - Construction

#### 4.1.5 - Culverts (5/14)

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

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

The following road work is required: The forest trail accessing the sale area must be crowned and graded to the satisfaction of the sale administrator prior to sale operations beginning. In addition, depending on when the sale is accessed and where the landing is located, gravel may need to be placed in low spots of the road and some culverts may need to be installed to allow for seasonal cross drainage.

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

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

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

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

#### 5 - Operations

#### 5.1 - Notification

#### 5.1.1 - Pre-sale conference (10/16)

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 and to specify the road work that will need to be completed prior to commencing sale operations. The Unit Manager or his/her representative must be contacted at least 5 days in advance to schedule the conference.

## 5.2 - Conduct of Operations

#### 5.2.1 - Slash

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

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

#### 5.2.2 - Hazard Trees/Snags

#### 5.2.2.1 - Den trees (10/16)

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, unless changed by written agreement, cutting, skidding, and hauling are limited to the period of 07/01-10/01 and 01/01-03/01. This restriction is because of the wet nature of the sale area. Late summer/early fall and frozen winter conditions are considered the best periods of time to have active logging operations in this sale area. If exceptionally dry and/or frozen conditions occur outside of the above mentioned time-frames then the producer may move into the sale following approval of the sale administrator.

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

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

# 5.2.41 - Snowmobile trail protection (9/11)

The snowmobile trail is shown on the Timber Sale Map. Do not cut or damage posts with orange trail markers or traffic control signs. The snowmobile trail essentially follows the ROW of Thompsonville road, so it will not be directly affected by timber sale operations. However, 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.

# 5.4 - Soil Protection

#### 5.4.1 - Rutting restriction, general (7/16)

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.

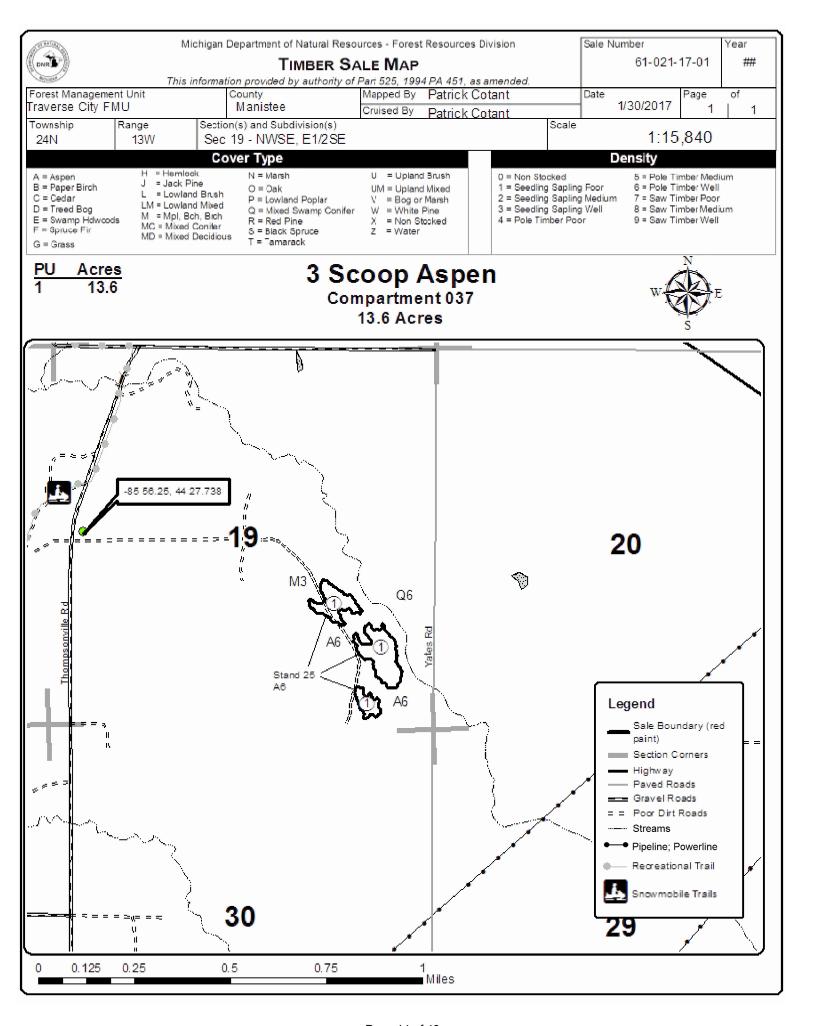
#### 6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

# 6.2 - Signing

#### 6.2.2 - Snowmobile trail posting (8/09)

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

Section Name: Sale Specific Current as of 4/14/2017 8:58:59AM



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Sawtimber						
Red Oak	244.50	MBF	\$	232.00 / MBF		
Pulpwood						
B. T. Aspen	45.00	Cords	\$	22.85 / Cord		
Beech	36.00	Cords	\$	18.50 / Cord		
Jack Pine	6.00	Cords	\$	10.70 / Cord		
Misc. Species 1	43.00	Cords	\$	6.00 / Cord		
Red Oak	216.00	Cords	\$	14.00 / Cord		

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- 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 03/01/2018.

# **Description of Timber by Payment Unit (PU)**

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PU	MARKET GROUP	PRODUCT	QUANTITY	UNIT	ACRES	ADVERTISE PRICE
1	Red Oak	Sawtimber	99.3	MBF	16.2	\$25,081.80
	B. T. Aspen	Pulpwood	18.0	Cords		
	B. T. Aspen	Sawtimber	5.2	MBF		
	B. T. Aspen	Pulpwood	8.0	Cords		
	Beech		15.0	Cords		
	Beech	Sawtimber	3.5	MBF		
	Beech	Pulpwood	8.0	Cords		
	Jack Pine		2.0	Cords		
	Misc. Species 1		17.0	Cords		
	Red Oak		88.0	Cords		
2	Red Oak	Sawtimber	145.2	MBF	23.7	\$36,659.80
	B. T. Aspen	Pulpwood	26.0	Cords		
	B. T. Aspen	Sawtimber	7.6	MBF		
	B. T. Aspen	Pulpwood	11.0	Cords		
	Beech		21.0	Cords		
	Beech	Sawtimber	5.0	MBF		
	Beech	Pulpwood	11.0	Cords		
	Jack Pine		4.0	Cords		
	Misc. Species 1		26.0	Cords		
	Red Oak		128.0	Cords		
		TOTAL:	244.5	MBF		
		TOTAL:	345.0	Cords		

#### Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Gleaner Salvage Sale Number: 61-016-17 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 red and yellow paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. Interior Payment Unit boundaries are marked with yellow paint. The painted boundary line trees are not Included Timber and are to be protected. Yellow painted trees designating an interior Payment Unit boundary are only to be cut when all surrounding Payment Units have been paid.

# 2 - Timber Specifications

#### 2.1 - Included Timber

#### 2.1.4 - Species designation unit(s) (12/08)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 & 2, all red oak (alive and dead), aspen and jack pine trees, regardless of size, are designated for cutting:

- A. Cut all red oak regardless of merchantability all red oak 4" and greater must be processed and utilized.
- B. All red oak must be cut, skidded and hauled by March 1st, 2018.
- C. Red oak trees that are marked with an "SP" are infected with the oak wilt fungus and must be processed, utilized and sawn into dimensional lumber prior to April 15th, 2018. These trees pose a risk of spreading the oak wilt disease if they are not utilized prior to April 15th, 2017. They are not to be sold as firewood. Note; there are NO "SP" trees marked at this time, however "SP" trees may be marked during the summer of 2017 as more trees are likely to die from oak wilt within this immediate area. Keep in mind that the sale will expire 3/1/2018 and all wood must be hauled from the sale area by then.

#### 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.

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

The skidding of whole trees or tree segments with limbs attached is prohibited within Payment Unit(s) 1 & 2. All products must be produced as roundwood and forwarded to existing roads or landing areas in final product length. No chipping is permitted.

#### 2.2.9 - No chipping permitted (12/08)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 & 2, all wood designated for harvest must be removed by as roundwood in final product length. No chipping is permitted.

# 3 - Payments

#### 3.4 - Damaged Timber

#### 3.4.1 - Damaged timber (6/14)

General Condition and Requirement 3.4 Damaged Timber, defines liquidated damages for undesignated live merchantable trees which are cut or injured. In addition, extreme care should be taken to avoid damage to tree seedlings and saplings.

Within the sale area, if more than 25% 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 100\$ 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 10% of trees (> 4.5" DBH) within a

specified area of the sale are damaged, liquidated damages will be assessed for all trees damaged. Rates will be in accordance with General Condition and Requirement 3.4 Damaged Timber.

# 4 - Transportation

#### 4.1 - Construction

# 4.1.11 - Permits (2/12)

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

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

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

#### 5 - Operations

#### 5.2 - Conduct of Operations

#### 5.2.1 - Slash

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

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

#### 5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 & 2, cutting, skidding, and hauling are limited to the period of 07/15/2017 to 03/01/2018. This restriction is necessary to reduce the spread of oak wilt. For more information, contact he Unit Manager of his/her representative.

# 5.2.29 - Shrub protection (9/07)

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

#### 5.4 - Soil Protection

#### 5.4.1 - Rutting restriction, general (7/16)

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.

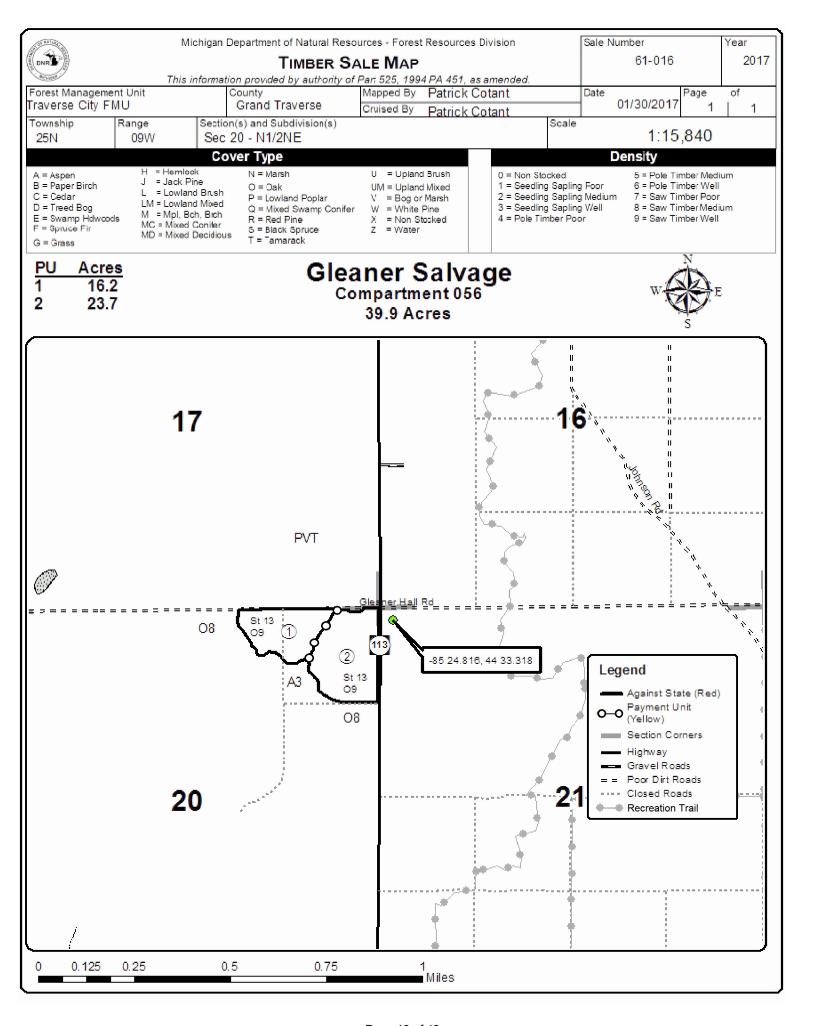
#### 6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

#### 6.2 - Signing

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

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on M-113 if wood is hauled east from the landing area, prior to beginning operations. The road must be posted at appropriate distances from the sale area/Gleaner Hall Rd. to warn of logging activity and truck traffic. Signs must be removed when harvest operations are suspended or completed.

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# TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

# Fruitful Harvest (61-077-16)

Benzie County (Advertised Price \$56,706.45)

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

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

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	<b>ESTIMATE</b>	ED UNITS*	AD\	/ERTISED PRICE
Sawtimber				
B. T. Aspen	129.60	MBF	\$	114.00 / MBF
Basswood	14.80	MBF	\$	90.00 / MBF
Black Cherry	9.20	MBF	\$	205.00 / MBF
Quaking Aspen	1.20	MBF	\$	114.00 / MBF
Red Maple	32.90	MBF	\$	139.00 / MBF
Red Pine	21.50	MBF	\$	112.00 / MBF
Sugar Maple	4.30	MBF	\$	313.00 / MBF
White Pine	45.40	MBF	\$	77.00 / MBF
Pulpwood				
B. T. Aspen	586.00	Cords	\$	22.85 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	115.00	Cords	\$	18.50 / Cord
Quaking Aspen	116.00	Cords	\$	22.85 / Cord
Red Maple	124.00	Cords	\$	18.50 / Cord
Red Pine	69.00	Cords	\$	37.85 / Cord
White Pine	239.00	Cords	\$	15.40 / Cord

<sup>\*</sup> The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 14.97 percent. The estimated units are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

# **BOND AND PAYMENT SCHEDULE:**

- 1. A bond in the amount of \$2,835.00 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.

# **Description of Timber by Payment Unit (PU)**

PU	MARKET GROUP	PRODUCT	QUANTITY	UNIT	ACRES	ADVERTISE PRICE		
1	B. T. Aspen	Sawtimber	0.7	MBF	19.3	\$10,809.00		
	Basswood		14.8	MBF				
	Black Cherry		3.4	MBF				
	Red Maple		27.3	MBF				
	Sugar Maple		4.3	MBF				
	B. T. Aspen	Pulpwood	6.0	Cords				
	Mixed Hardwood		90.0	Cords				
	Basswood		25.0	Cords				
	Black Cherry		14.0	Cords				
	Ironwood		12.0	Cords				
	Sugar Maple		39.0	Cords				
	Red Maple		95.0	Cords				
2	B. T. Aspen	Sawtimber	29.6	MBF	20.9	\$18,117.15		
	Black Cherry		2.9	MBF				
	Red Maple		1.9	MBF				
	Red Pine		21.5	MBF				
	White Pine		25.2	MBF				
	B. T. Aspen	Pulpwood	175.0	Cords				
	Mixed Hardwood		11.0	Cords				
	Black Cherry		11.0	Cords				
	Quaking Aspen		35.0	Cords				
	Red Maple		9.0	Cords				
	Red Pine		69.0	Cords				
	White Pine		114.0	Cords				
3	B. T. Aspen	Sawtimber	99.3	MBF	52.4	\$27,780.30		
	Black Cherry		2.9	MBF				
	Quaking Aspen		1.2	MBF				
	Red Maple		3.7	MBF				
	White Pine		20.2	MBF				
	B. T. Aspen	Pulpwood	405.0	Cords				
	Mixed Hardwood		14.0	Cords				
	Black Cherry		14.0	Cords				
	Quaking Aspen		81.0	Cords				
	Red Maple		20.0	Cords				
	White Pine		125.0	Cords				
	TOTAL: 258.9 MBF							
		TOTAL:	1,249.0	Cords				

# Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Fruitful Harvest Sale Number: 61-077-16 Seq#: 1

#### 1 - Sale Area

#### 1.2 - Boundaries

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

The sale boundary is marked and identified by blue and red paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against private property are marked with blue paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. The painted boundary line trees are not Included Timber and are to be protected.

# 2 - Timber Specifications

#### 2.1 - Included Timber

# 2.1.4 - Species designation unit(s) (12/08)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, 2 and 3, all aspen, maple, cherry, ironwood, basswood and beech trees are designated for cutting regardless of merchantability, except do not cut any trees marked with green paint. In addition, within Payment Unit 2, all white pine and red pine trees are designated for cutting that are six (6) inches or larger at DBH. Also, within Payment Unit 3, all white pine trees are designated for cutting that are 6 inches DBH and larger.

#### 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.

#### 4 - Transportation

#### 4.1 - Construction

## 4.1.3 - Slash and earthen piles (8/04)

Piles or windrows of earth along roads and landings that have been widened or constructed shall be leveled. Slash from road maintenance or construction, including stumps, shall be piled in numerous locations as specified by DNR sale administrator (for rabbit and other small mammal habitat creation). See spec 5.2.4.4 for details.

# 5 - Operations

#### 5.1 - Notification

#### 5.1.1 - Pre-sale conference (10/16)

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.

# 5.1.4 - Post-sale conference (10/16)

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

#### 5.2 - Conduct of Operations

#### 5.2.1 - Slash

## 5.2.1.8 - Slash height (12/08)

No slash or tree tops may exceed 24 inches in height. Exception to this height limit for slash piles in sale spec. 5.2.4.4.

# 5.2.2 - Hazard Trees/Snags

#### 5.2.2.1 - Den trees (10/16)

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

#### 5.2.4 - Dead and Down Creation

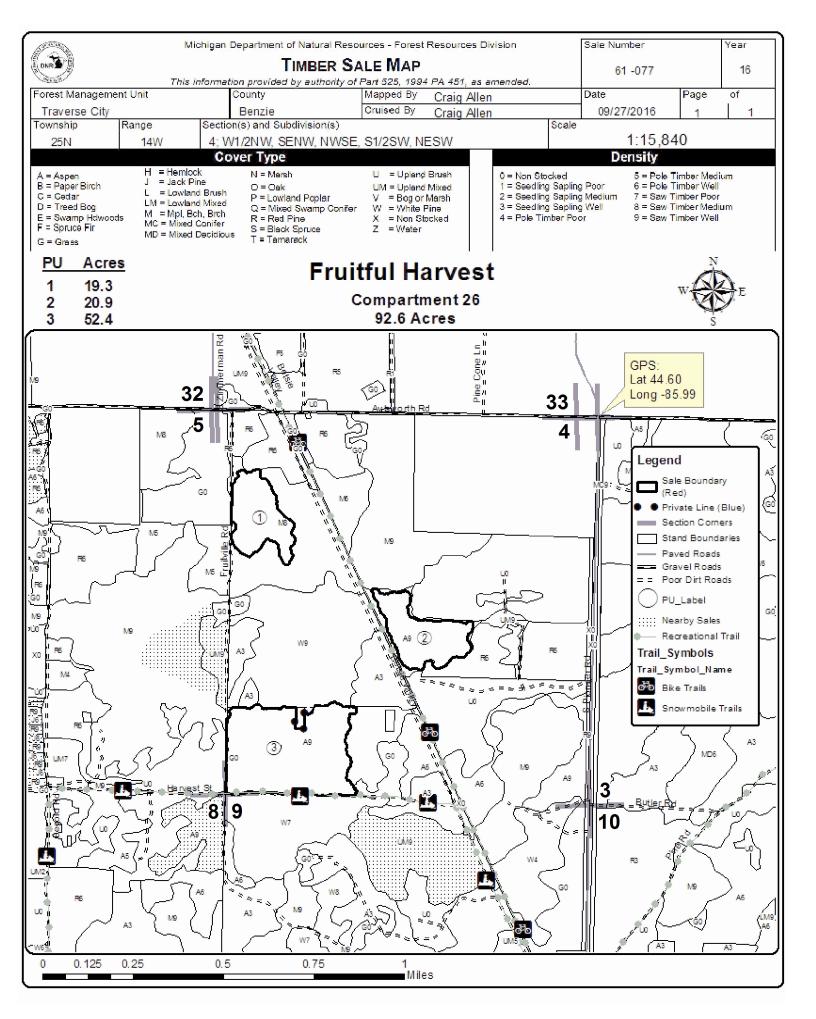
#### 5.2.4.4 - Dead and down creation, grouse (8/13)

To encourage grouse and other wildlife, in Payment Unit(s) 1, 2, and 3, leave one, 12" diameter or larger log-length (8 foot minimum) piece on the ground for every 3 acres (Payment Unit 1=6 pieces, Payment Unit 2=7 pieces, and Payment Unit 3= 17 pieces). These trees must be cut 4 feet above the ground level leaving a standing snag. The felled (log length) portion of the tree must be pushed up against the standing snag. These should be evenly scattered throughout the cut unit. This can be an unmerchantable 8 foot piece or a full tree. Also, leave at least six (6) large tops in a single pile and create at least 5 piles per unit in Payment Units 1 and 2, and 15 piles in Payment Unit 3. Piles should be evenly scattered throughout the units.

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

The Betsie River Trail is a snowmobile trail and is shown on the Timber Sale Map. Do not cut or damage posts with orange trail markers or traffic control signs. If the trail is used, it must be maintained and restored to a condition equal to or better than before the sale. The road maintenance/restoration must be done prior to December 1. If the trail is used for hauling, it must be graded to the satisfaction of the Unit Manager or his/her representative prior to December 1st. If the trail road is to be used for hauling during the snowmobile season, then a snow covered base must be left on the trail. No decking of forest products will be permitted along the snowmobile trail.

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# TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

# Dair Red (61-082-16)

Benzie County (Advertised Price \$14,264.90)

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

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	<b>ESTIMATE</b>	D UNITS*	ADV	ERTISED PRICE
Sawtimber				
B. T. Aspen	27.40	MBF	\$	114.00 / MBF
Black Cherry	0.60	MBF	\$	205.00 / MBF
Red Maple	1.70	MBF	\$	139.00 / MBF
Red Pine	14.40	MBF	\$	112.00 / MBF
Pulpwood				
B. T. Aspen	32.00	Cords	\$	22.85 / Cord
Black Cherry	1.00	Cords	\$	18.50 / Cord
Red Maple	5.00	Cords	\$	18.50 / Cord
Red Pine	220.00	Cords	\$	37.85 / Cord

<sup>\*</sup> The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 15.29 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 \$713.00 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.

# **Description of Timber by Payment Unit (PU)**

PU	MARKET GROUP	PRODUCT	QUANTITY	UNIT	ACRES	ADVERTISE PRICE
1	Red Pine	Sawtimber	14.4	MBF	22.9	\$9,939.80
	Red Pine	Pulpwood	220.0	Cords		
2	B. T. Aspen	Sawtimber	27.4	MBF	2.5	\$4,325.10
	Black Cherry		0.6	MBF		
	Red Maple		1.7	MBF		
	B. T. Aspen	Pulpwood	32.0	Cords		
	Black Cherry		1.0	Cords		
	Red Maple		5.0	Cords		
		TOTAL:	44.1	MBF		
		TOTAL:	258.0	Cords		

#### Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Dair Red Sale Number: 61-082-16 Seq#: 2

#### 1 - Sale Area

#### 1.2 - Boundaries

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

The sale boundary is marked and identified by red paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. The painted boundary line trees are not Included Timber and are to be protected unless marked with orange paint.

#### 2 - Timber Specifications

#### 2.1 - Included Timber

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

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

# 2.1.4 - Species designation unit(s) (12/08)

Within Payment Unit(s) 2, all aspen, red maple, cherry, beech and ironwood trees are designated for cutting regardless of merchantability. However, all tree tops must be left on site as per specification 2.2.8 Utilization and Removal.

#### 2.2 - Utilization

## 2.2.3 - Stump heights (4/07)

Stump heights within the Sale Area shall not exceed 6 inches for all trees in Payment Unit 1, and 24 inches for all trees in Payment Unit 2.

#### 2.2.8 - Utilization and removal (5/14)

Within Payment Unit 2, all products not meeting standards set forth in General Condition and Requirement 2.2 - Utilization may not be removed from the sale area, e.g. tops. Retain on site more than 1/3 of the slash from harvested trees (tree tops and limbs less than four inches in diameter). Leave tops evenly distributed throughout sale area or as determined by DNR sale administrator. This is because of wildlife habitat purposes.

# 4 - Transportation

#### 4.1 - Construction

#### 4.1.3 - Slash and earthen piles (8/04)

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

# 4.1.12 - No new roads (1/12)

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

# 5 - Operations

#### 5.1 - Notification

# 5.1.1 - Pre-sale conference (10/16)

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.

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

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

# 5.2 - Conduct of Operations

#### 5.2.1 - Slash

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

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

#### 5.2.2 - Hazard Trees/Snags

# 5.2.2.1 - Den trees (10/16)

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

# 5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

#### 5.2.3.6 - Bark beetle restriction (12/08)

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

#### 5.2.4 - Dead and Down Creation

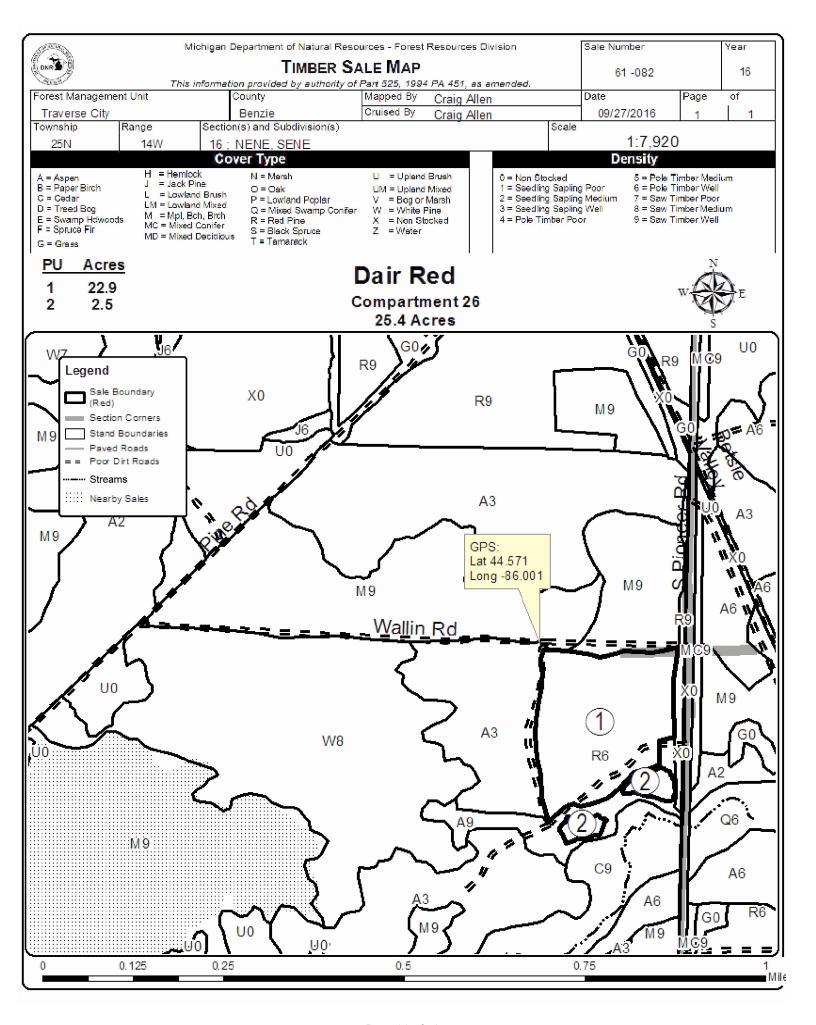
#### 5.2.4.4 - Dead and down creation, grouse (8/13)

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

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

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

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## BID

TRAVERSE CITY MANAGEMENT UNIT TRAVERSE CITY OFFICE

# Fruitful Harvest (61-077-16) ; Benzie COUNTY

In response to the notice of sale to be held 4:00 p.m. (local time) on May 11, 2017, 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 Sawtimber	ESTIMATED VO	LUME* A	DVERTISED PRICE	BID PRICE
B. T. Aspen	129.60 ME	BF \$	114.00/MBF	\$
Basswood	14.80 ME	BF \$	90.00/MBF	\$
Black Cherry	9.20 ME	BF \$	205.00/MBF	\$
Quaking Aspen	1.20 ME	BF \$	114.00/MBF	\$
Red Maple	32.90 ME	BF \$	139.00/MBF	\$
Red Pine	21.50 ME	BF \$	112.00/MBF	\$
Sugar Maple	4.30 ME	BF \$	313.00/MBF	\$
White Pine	45.40 ME	BF \$	77.00/MBF	\$
Pulpwood				
B. T. Aspen	586.00 Co	rds \$	22.85/Cord	\$
Mixed Hardwood	115.00 Co	rds \$	18.50/Cord	\$
Quaking Aspen	116.00 Co	rds \$	22.85/Cord	\$
Red Maple	124.00 Co	rds \$	18.50/Cord	\$
Red Pine	69.00 Co	rds \$	37.85/Cord	\$
White Pine	239.00 Co	rds \$	15.40/Cord	\$
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<sup>\*</sup>The volumes are statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 14.97 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.

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	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 nu	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



#### 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.

•	In addition, if boxes 2B or 2C are checked, then Notice of twenty-one (21) days of the contract award and prior to the i	Exclusion or Certificate of Insurance must be submitted within ssuance of the timber sale contract.			
•	All Information must be typed or printed except for written signatures.				
Ple	Please Check Appropriate Categories:				
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Exclusion (BWC-337, Rev. 5/96). I will provide a cop questions or a copy of the BWC-337, please call the CC.   I certify my business has a Worker's Compensation P one (21) days of the contract award.		rker's Compensation Act through the use of an approved Notice of the Notice of Exclusion within 21 days of the contract award. (For ker's Compensation Bureau at 517-322-1195).  I will provide an original Certificate of Insurance within twenty- e the number of <b>both</b> full-time and part-time employees, other			
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in fa _	hereby certify that the above information is true and correct. I agree to notify the Michigan DNR of any changes that occur factors affecting my coverage during any of my present and future operations.  Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative				
_ T	Title	Date			

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

## BID

TRAVERSE CITY MANAGEMENT UNIT TRAVERSE CITY OFFICE

# Steam Hauler Aspen (61-006-17) ; Benzie COUNTY

In response to the notice of sale to be held 4:00 p.m. (local time) on May 11, 2017, 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 Sawtimber	<u>ESTIMATED</u>	VOLUME*	<u>AD</u>	VERTISED PRICE	BID PRICE
Basswood	1.50	MBF	\$	84.00/MBF	\$
Black Cherry	5.00	MBF	\$	192.00/MBF	\$
Mixed Aspen	49.80	MBF	\$	106.00/MBF	\$
Red Maple	5.80	MBF	\$	130.00/MBF	\$
Sugar Maple	9.70	MBF	\$	292.00/MBF	\$
White Pine	4.70	MBF	\$	72.00/MBF	\$
Pulpwood					
Basswood	7.00	Cords	\$	13.25/Cord	\$
Mixed Aspen	268.00	Cords	\$	21.30/Cord	\$
Mixed Hardwood	242.00	Cords	\$	17.25/Cord	\$
White Pine	11.00	Cords	\$	14.35/Cord	\$

<sup>\*</sup>The volumes are statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 22.05 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.

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



#### 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**

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2.	2. You <b>must</b> check one of the boxes below:	
	<ul> <li>A.          I certify my business is a sole proprietorship and it has no er         Worker's Compensation Laws.</li> </ul>	mployees but the sole proprietor. I am not subject to the
	B.   I certify my business has satisfied its o bligation to the Worked Exclusion (BWC-337, Rev. 5/96). I will provide a copy of the questions or a copy of the BWC-337, please call the Workel	e Notice of Exclusion within 21 days of the contract award. (For
	C.   I certify my business has a Worker's Compensation Policy. one (21) days of the contract award.	I will provide an original Certificate of Insurance within twenty-
3. If you have checked item 2(A) or 2(B), you <b>must</b> indicate the number of <b>both</b> full-time and part-time employees than yourself, including family members and active partners (if none, you must enter "0").		
	Full-time Employees	Part-time Employees
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S	Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative	
T	Title	Date

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

## BID

TRAVERSE CITY MANAGEMENT UNIT TRAVERSE CITY OFFICE

Dair Red (61-082-16) ; Benzie COUNTY

In response to the notice of sale to be held 4:00 p.m. (local time) on May 11, 2017, 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.

ESTIMATED VOLUME*	ADVERTISED PRICE	BID PRICE
27.40 MBF	\$ 114.00/MBF	\$
0.60 MBF	\$ 205.00/MBF	\$
1.70 MBF	\$ 139.00/MBF	\$
14.40 MBF	\$ 112.00/MBF	\$
32.00 Cords	\$ 22.85/Cord	\$
1.00 Cords	\$ 18.50/Cord	\$
5.00 Cords	\$ 18.50/Cord	\$
220.00 Cords	\$ 37.85/Cord	\$
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<sup>\*</sup>The volumes are statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 15.29 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.

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	Company or individual bidding:				
	Company representative's name:				
	Address:				
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IF AVAILABLE, PLEASE PLACE THE PERSONALIZED LABEL FROM YOUR PROSPECTUS IN THE ABOVE BOX.					
Individual or company representative's signature: Date:					
Phone nu	Phone number : Email (optional):				

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#### 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

Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative

Title

	Part 5 of Act 451 of 1994, as amended.			
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Date

FEDERAL ID:

#### BID

TRAVERSE CITY MANAGEMENT UNIT TRAVERSE CITY OFFICE

# 3 Scoop Aspen (61-012-17) ; Manistee COUNTY

In response to the notice of sale to be held 4:00 p.m. (local time) on May 11, 2017, I am hereby submitting my sealed bid (firm offer) for the following forest products to be cut. Bids for individual species must be at or above the advertised price. All non-responsive bid forms may be rejected.

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	<u>ESTIMATED</u>	VOLUME*	<u>AD</u>	VERTISED PRICE	<u>BID I</u>	PRICE
Sawtimber						
B. T. Aspen	57.80	MBF	\$	114.00/MBF	\$	
Pulpwood						
B. T. Aspen	233.00	Cords	\$	22.85/Cord	\$	
Black Cherry	73.00	Cords	\$	18.50/Cord	\$	
Red Maple	161.00	Cords	\$	18.50/Cord	\$	

\*The volumes are statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 13.81 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.

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or SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER:

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Name of Business

# Michigan Department of Natural Resources Forest Resources Division

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

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3.	If you have checked item 2(A) or 2(B), you <b>must</b> indicate the number of <b>both</b> full-time and part-time employees, other		

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Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative				
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than yourself, including family members and active partners (if none, you must enter "0").

Full-time Employees

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Part-time Employees

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## BID

# TRAVERSE CITY MANAGEMENT UNIT TRAVERSE CITY OFFICE

Gleaner Salvage (61-016-17) ; Grand Traverse COUNTY

In response to the notice of sale to be held 4:00 p.m. (local time) on May 11, 2017, 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 Sawtimber	<u>ESTIMATED</u>	VOLUME*	<u>AD</u>	VERTISED PRICE	BID PRICE
Red Oak	244.50	MBF	\$	232.00/MBF	\$
Pulpwood					
B. T. Aspen	45.00	Cords	\$	22.85/Cord	\$
Beech	36.00	Cords	\$	18.50/Cord	\$
Jack Pine	6.00	Cords	\$	10.70/Cord	\$
Misc. Species 1	43.00	Cords	\$	6.00/Cord	\$
Red Oak	216.00	Cords	\$	14.00/Cord	\$

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or SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER:

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#### Michigan Department of Natural Resources Forest Resources Division

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

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