

## DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES STATE OF MICHIGAN

#### **TIMBER SALE PROSPECTUS #6788**

SCHEDULED SALE DATE AND TIME: 1:00 p.m. (local time) on January 25, 2021. LOCATION: GWINN MGMT UNIT, 410 WEST M 35, GWINN, MI 49841.

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

Quarantine Conifer (32-003-20) / T46N, R28W, SEC. 29, SE.

T46N, R28W, SEC. 32, NENE. T46N, R28W, SEC. 33, N1/2NW.

Marquette County, Advertised Price \$51,622.25, 74.2 Acres, Jack Pine, Spruce/Fir/Tamarack.

SALE NOTE: Please note if private access is not given a road will have to be frozen across a spruce bog to access all units of the sale.

Access may be through private or other public land.

Yellow-Trout White (32-012-20) / T50N, R29W, SEC. 11, E1/2SW.

T50N, R29W, SEC. 14, N1/2NW,N1/2NE.

Marquette County, Advertised Price \$15,301.30, 94.0 Acres, White Pine, Hardwood.

SALE NOTE: Sale will require access from Eagle Mine. Spring breakup operations may be possible in this area. This sale contains large diameter white pine; some of which may be sawlog quality.

Access may be through private land.

Wildcat Aspen Take 2 (32-022-20) / T47N, R25W, SEC. 23, SESW.

Marquette County, Advertised Price \$3,730.25, 10.1 Acres, Aspen, Paper Birch.

SALE NOTE: This sale is only accessible though private land. Ensure access before biding on sale. Please note the ski trail restrictions and bark slip restrictions in sale specifications.

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

#### BID INSTRUCTIONS (VER. 07/02/2018):

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

Bids must be received by the Unit Manager, GWINN OFFICE, 410 WEST M 35, GWINN, MI 49841, no later than 1:00 p.m. (local time) on January 25, 2021. For further information concerning this sale, contact Kristen Matson at 906-346-9201 extension 103.

#### 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 (7/18)

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 3 months after the first offense, 6 months after the second offense, and 1 year after the third offense. An offense will only be counted against the Bidder for 5 years. 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.

Payment Unit values in the State Forest Timber Sale Contract are calculated based on the advertised value of the Payment Unit as a percentage of the total advertised value of the contract. The advertised value of each Payment Unit is given in the Description of Timber by Payment Unit table on the Timber Sale Information page. For example, if the value of Payment Unit 1 is advertised as \$1,500 and the total Timber Sale value is advertised as \$10,000, the contract price for Payment Unit 1 will be 15% of the total bid price (\$1,500/\$10,000 \* 100).

#### 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.

DAN EICHINGER
Director

#### TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

Quarantine Conifer (32-003-20)

T46N, R28W, SEC. 29; T46N, R28W, SEC. 32; T46N, R28W, SEC. 33.

Marquette County (Advertised Price \$51,622.25)

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Access may be through private or other public land.

A timber sale contract for this lump sum, sealed bid timber sale will be awarded to the responsible bidder offering the highest sealed bid price. All units of volume listed below were estimated using the T-Sale computer program and our traditional volume equations. Bids must be at or above the following advertised price for each product and species:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	<b>ESTIMATED UNITS*</b>		<u>ADV</u>	ADVERTISED PRICE	
Pulpwood					
Balsam Fir	100	Cords	\$	20.00 / Cord	
Jack Pine	1,028	Cords	\$	31.15 / Cord	
Mixed Spruce	598	Cords	\$	22.90 / Cord	
Quaking Aspen	118	Cords	\$	24.70 / Cord	
Tamarack	61	Cords	\$	16.25 / Cord	

<sup>\*</sup> The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 13.37 percent. There are an estimated 1,904 cords on this timber sale, plus or minus 255 cords at the 95% confidence level. 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 \$2,581.00 to insure faithful performance of the conditions of the contract will be deposited by the successful bidder within 21 days of the sale award.
- 2. Cutting in any sale or unit without the required advance payment would be considered a trespass.
- 3. Total payment must be paid in advance or according to the following schedule:
  - (a) Ten percent (10%) of the sale value must be paid within 21 days of the sale award.
  - (b) The 10% down payment will be credited towards the first unit cut.
  - (c) Payment for each of the following units must be made before cutting begins in that unit:

PAYMENT UNIT NUMBER

PERCENT OF TOTAL SALE VALUE

01

95.2%

02

4.8%

- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 08/31/2024.

#### **SALE STATISTICS**

#### **SALE VOLUMES**

VOLUME STATISTICAL			STATISTICAL RA	ANGE IN CORDS	
	TOTAL CUBIC FEET	TOTAL CORDS	PERCENT ERROR	MINIMUM	MAXIMUM
	150,414	1,904	13.37%	1,649	2,159

#### **VDU VOLUMES**

A VDU is a Volume Determination Unit. Volumes and their associated statistics are calculated at the VDU level and summarized to the sale level. There is often a one to one relationship between a VDU and a Payment Unit, but not always, depending on the cruise design. Refer to the VDU TO PAYMENT UNIT table.

	VOLUME			RANGE II	N CORDS
VDU	TOTAL CUBIC FEET	TOTAL CORDS	PERCENT ERROR	MINIMUM	MAXIMUM
25	141,173	1,787	13.01%	1,555	2,019
26	6,794	86	51.54%	42	130
30	2,441	31	100.58%	0	62
TOTAL:	150,408	1,904		1,596	2,212

#### **VDU TO PAYMENT UNIT**

When a VDU is associated with more than one Payment Unit (PU), the VDU volumes are assigned to the PU based on acres of the VDU within the PU.

TOTAL:	74.2		74.2
30	2.9	2	2.9
26	6.0	2	6.0
25	65.3	1	65.3
VDU	VDU ACRES	PU	PU ACRES

#### **DESCRIPTION OF TIMBER BY PAYMENT UNIT (PU)**

PU	MARKET GROUP	PRODUCT	QUANTITY	UNIT	ACRES	ADVERTISE PRICE
1	Balsam Fir	Pulpwood	100	Cords	65.3	\$49,141.35
	Jack Pine		1,019	Cords		
	Mixed Spruce		531	Cords		
	Black Spruce		521	Cords		
	White Spruce		10	Cords		
	Quaking Aspen		118	Cords		
	Tamarack		20	Cords		
2	Jack Pine	Pulpwood	9	Cords	8.9	\$2,480.90
	Mixed Spruce		67	Cords		
	Black Spruce		67	Cords		
	Tamarack		41	Cords		
		TOTAL:	1,905	Cords		

#### Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Quarantine Conifer Sale Number: 32-003-20 Seg#: 1

#### 1 - Sale Area

#### 1.2 - Boundaries

#### 1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (9/19)

The sale boundary and Payment Unit boundaries are marked and identified by blue and red paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against private property are marked with blue paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. Retention Patches are marked with red paint; no harvesting may occur in theses areas. 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) 1-3, cut all trees that are two (2) inches or more at DBH, except do not cut red pine, white pine, and oak.

#### 2.2 - Utilization

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

Stump heights within Payment Unit 1 shall not exceed 12 inches for trees greater than 10 inches DBH and 4 inches for trees smaller than 10 inches DBH. This is in order to facilitate planting operations.

#### 4 - Transportation

#### 4.1 - Construction

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

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

#### 4.1.4 - Timber removed for construction (12/09)

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

#### 4.1.5 - 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. Stream crossing permits, if needed, will be obtained by the DNR.

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

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

All new roads built into the sale must be blocked to vehicle traffic upon completion of the sale. Overgrown roads that are reopened shall be considered new roads. In general, this will require constructing a four (4') foot high berm of stumps and logs covered with earth. These roads must be rendered impassable to cars and trucks. All stumps from road building and

landing construction must be reserved to block any newly constructed roads upon completion of the sale. These stumps must be scattered along the road system to prohibit vehicular movement. Contact the sale administrator for specific details of design and placement.

#### 4.2 - Maintenance

#### 4.2.3 - Road maintenance (8/13)

The following road maintenance may be needed: Within 30 days of completion of hauling, or if no hauling occurs for 30 days, the road must be maintained and graded. This includes cleaning of drainage areas, grading, crowning and filling with gravel, if necessary. Damages will be assessed if grading/repair does not occur.

#### 4.2.4 - Grading (10/16)

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.

#### 4.4 - Access

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

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

#### 5 - Operations

#### 5.1 - Notification

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

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 3 business days in advance to schedule the conference.

#### 5.2 - Conduct of Operations

#### 5.2.1 - Slash

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

To facilitate reforestation, the sale area 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 (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 and 2, unless changed by written agreement, cutting, skidding, and hauling are limited to the period of December 15 to March 31. This restriction is due to winter roads and wet conditions in units.

#### 5.2.17 - Timber Mats and Interlocking Composite Mats (3/18)

Some roads or skid trails may require extra protection such as that afforded by timber mats, interlocking composite mats, or another approved system. If available, mats may be borrowed from the DNR. A Timber Sale Contract Supplement will be used to document the Purchaser's use of the DNR's mats. Contact the sale administrator regarding availability and pick-up. Timber mats are available from various field offices. Composite mats are only available from the Grayling field office. The Purchaser is responsible for picking up and hauling the mats to and from the site. The composite mats will require DNR staff onsite for installation and removal. Contact the sale administrator to schedule at least 30 days before desired install/removal date. All mats must be cleaned prior to drop off. This may include, but is not limited to, power washing and brushing to remove mud and debris. A charge of \$400.00 per timber mat and \$2,000.00 per composite mat will be assessed for all damaged or non-returned mats. Damage for the crane/timber mats is defined as three or more broken cants. Damage for

the composite mats is defined as cracked or broken mats.

#### 5.2.32 - Decking/landing restoration (9/13)

All decking and landing areas must have the surface area restored to a condition equal to or better than before. This is to ensure the proper regeneration of the stand. Wood debris, chips and "cookies" from trimmings must be removed or scattered away from landing and loading areas and may not be windrowed on the edge.

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

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

#### 5.4 - Soil Protection

#### 5.4.1 - Rutting restriction, general (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.

#### 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.

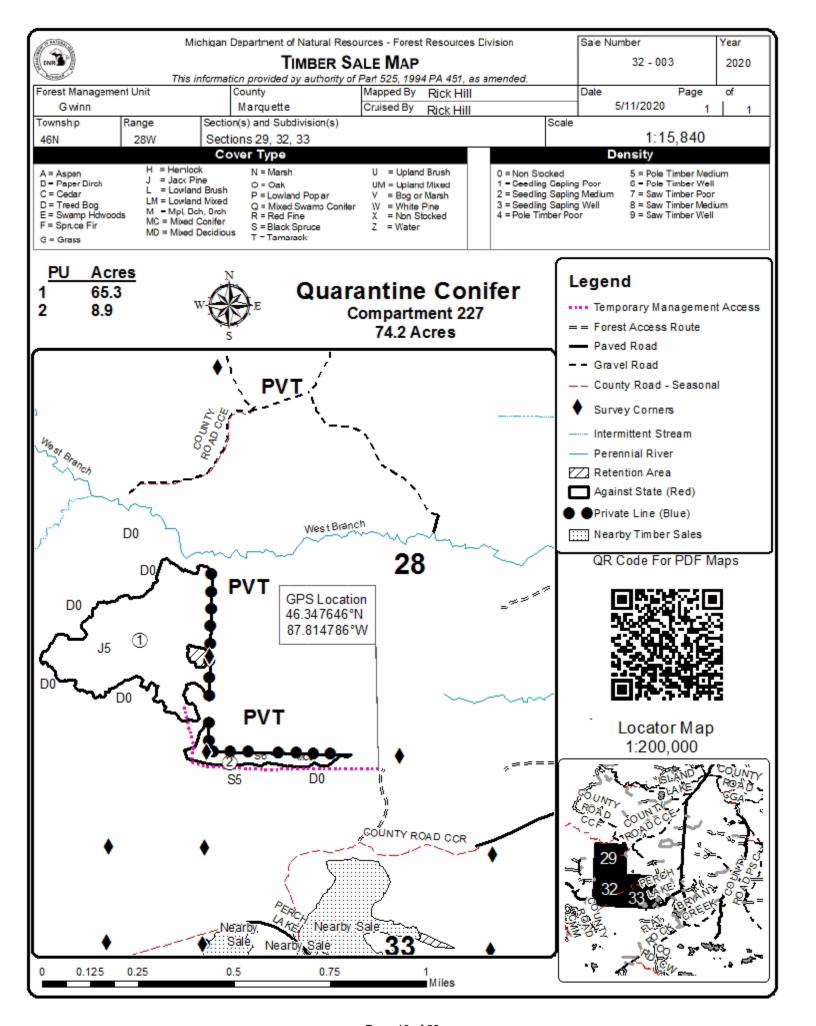
#### 6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

#### 6.2 - Signing

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

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

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White Pine	896	Cords	\$	16.30 / Cord	

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PAYMENT UNIT NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALE VALUE
01	8.7%
02	38.2%
03	34.3%
04	18.8%

- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 08/31/2024.

#### **SALE STATISTICS**

#### **SALE VOLUMES**

VOLUME		STATISTICAL RANGE IN CORDS		
TOTAL CUBIC FEET	TOTAL CORDS	PERCENT ERROR	MINIMUM	MAXIMUM
74,079	938	20.04%	750	1,126

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VDU	TOTAL CUBIC FEET	TOTAL CORDS	PERCENT ERROR	MINIMUM	MAXIMUM
1	6,502	82	34.94%	54	111
2	28,314	358	31.78%	245	472
3	25,335	321	31.30%	220	421
4	13,912	176	56.40%	77	275
TOTAL:	74,063	938		595	1,280

#### **VDU TO PAYMENT UNIT**

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VDU	VDU ACRES	PU	PU ACRES
1	12.3	1	12.3
2	37.9	2	37.9
3	32.7	3	32.7
4	11.1	4	11.1
TOTAL:	94.0		94.0

#### **DESCRIPTION OF TIMBER BY PAYMENT UNIT (PU)**

PU	MARKET GROUP	PRODUCT	QUANTITY	UNIT	ACRES	ADVERTISE PRICE
1	Mixed Hardwood	Pulpwood	11	Cords	12.3	\$1,323.80
	Black Cherry		3	Cords		
	Red Maple		8	Cords		
	Paper Birch		9	Cords		
	White Pine		62	Cords		
2	Balsam Fir	Pulpwood	3	Cords	37.9	\$5,862.80
	White Pine		356	Cords		
3	Mixed Hardwood	Pulpwood	15	Cords	32.7	\$5,242.20
	Black Cherry		3	Cords		
	Red Maple		12	Cords		
	Paper Birch		3	Cords		
	White Pine		303	Cords		
4	Balsam Fir	Pulpwood	1	Cords	11.1	\$2,872.50
	White Pine		175	Cords		
		TOTAL:	938	Cords		

#### Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Yellow-Trout White Sale Number: 32-012-20 Seq#: 1

#### 1 - Sale Area

#### 1.2 - Boundaries

#### 1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (9/19)

The sale boundary and Payment Unit boundaries are marked and identified by blue and red paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against private property are marked with blue paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. Retention patches are marked with red paint; no harvesting activities may occur within these areas. The painted boundary line trees are not Included Timber and are to be protected.

#### 2 - Timber Specifications

#### 2.1 - Included Timber

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 and 2, all trees which meet minimum piece specifications in 2.2 Utilization are designated for cutting, except do not cut hemlock, oak, red pine, and trees marked with green paint above and below stump height.

#### 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. This is in order to facilitate scarification operations.

#### 3 - Payments

#### 3.4 - Damaged Timber

#### 3.4.1 - Damaged timber (7/16)

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 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 \$250.00 per acre for all acreage within that specified portion of the sale area that was damaged.

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

#### 4 - Transportation

#### 4.1 - Construction

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

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

#### 4.1.4 - Timber removed for construction (12/09)

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

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

Construction of new roads or improvements of existing roads shall be done in such a way as to minimize the environmental and visual impacts. Merchantable trees shall be cut and utilized unless otherwise directed. Non-merchantable trees shall be severed and laid flat on the ground. Slash shall be scattered, and not left in windrows and kept a minimum of 10 feet back

from the road edge. Stumps shall be set upright, not left on edge, and be moved at least 10 feet away from the road edge. Disturbed soil shall be feathered into the woods and not left in berms or windrows.

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

All new roads built into the sale must be blocked to vehicle traffic upon completion of the sale. Overgrown roads that are reopened shall be considered new roads. In general, this will require constructing a four (4') foot high berm of stumps and logs covered with earth. Berms must also be placed at intervals of not over 50 feet and at all junctions. These roads must be rendered impassable to cars and trucks. Contact the sale administrator for specific details of design and placement.

#### 4.2 - Maintenance

#### 4.2.3 - Road maintenance (8/13)

The following road maintenance may be needed: Within 30 days of completion of hauling, or if no hauling occurs for 30 days, the road must be maintained and graded. This includes cleaning of drainage areas, grading, crowning and filling with gravel, if necessary. Damages will be assessed if grading/repair does not occur.

#### 4.2.4 - Grading (10/16)

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.

#### 4.4 - Access

#### 4.4.1 - Private property access (3/11)

Permission for access across private land is the responsibility of the Purchaser.

#### 5 - Operations

#### 5.1 - Notification

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

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 3 business days in advance to schedule the conference.

#### 5.2 - Conduct of Operations

#### 5.2.1 - Slash

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

To facilitate reforestation, the sale area 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 (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.

#### 5.2.32 - Decking/landing restoration (9/13)

All decking and landing areas must have the surface area restored to a condition equal to or better than before. This is to

ensure the proper regeneration of the stand. Wood debris, chips and "cookies" from trimmings must be removed or scattered away from landing and loading areas and may not be windrowed on the edge.

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

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

#### 5.4 - Soil Protection

#### 5.4.1 - Rutting restriction, general (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.

#### 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.

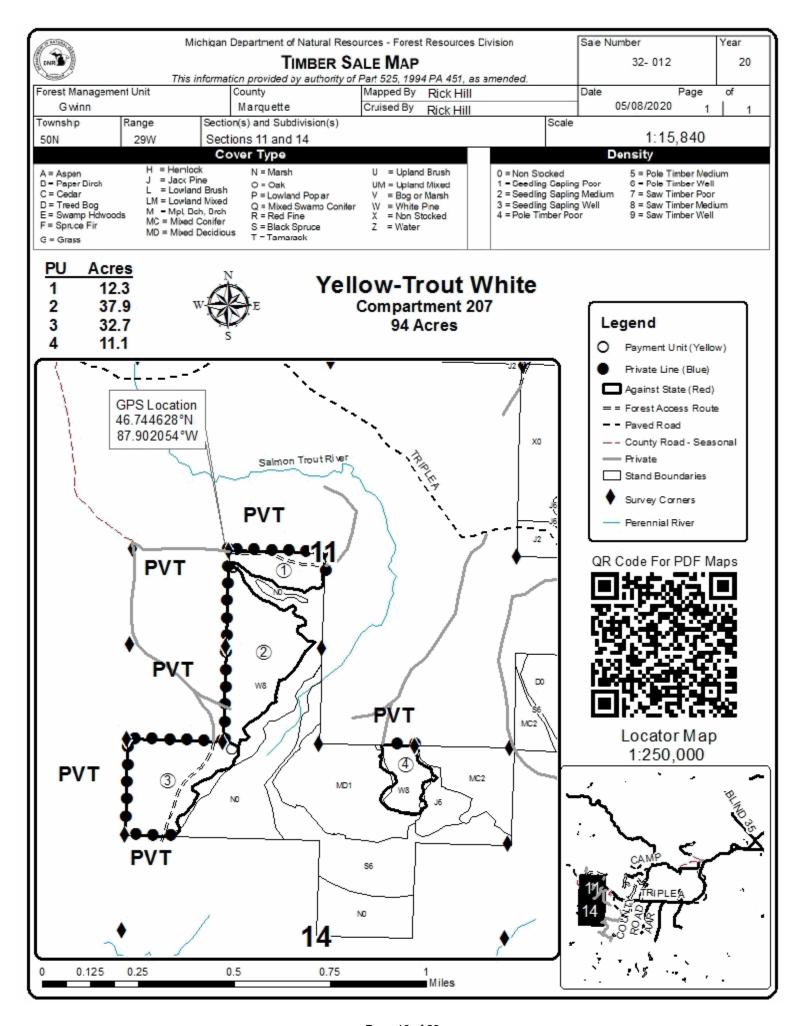
#### 6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

#### 6.2 - Signing

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

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

Section Name: Sale Specific Current as of 12/23/2020 2:00:44PM



#### TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

#### Wildcat Aspen Take 2 (32-022-20) T47N, R25W, SEC. 23.

Marquette County (Advertised Price \$3,730.25)

SALE NOTE: This sale is only accessible though private land. Ensure access before biding on sale. Please note the ski trail restrictions and bark slip restrictions in sale specifications.

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

A timber sale contract for this lump sum, sealed bid timber sale will be awarded to the responsible bidder offering the highest sealed bid price. All units of volume listed below were estimated using the T-Sale computer program and our traditional volume equations. Bids must be at or above the following advertised price for each product and species:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	<b>ESTIMATE</b>	ESTIMATED UNITS*		RTISED PRICE
Sawtimber				
Red Pine	3.9	MBF	\$	56.00 / MBF
Pulpwood				
Balsam Fir	2	Cords	\$	12.70 / Cord
Jack Pine	4	Cords	\$	19.85 / Cord
Mixed Aspen	165	Cords	\$	15.75 / Cord
Paper Birch	75	Cords	\$	8.50 / Cord
Red Pine	2	Cords	\$	27.20 / Cord
White Spruce	8	Cords	\$	14.55 / Cord

<sup>\*</sup> The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 30.48 percent. There are an estimated 264 cords on this timber sale, plus or minus 80 cords at the 95% confidence level. 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 \$500.00 to insure faithful performance of the conditions of the contract will be deposited by the successful bidder within 21 days of the sale award.
- 2. Cutting in any sale or unit without the required advance payment would be considered a trespass.
- 3. Total payment must be paid in advance or according to the following schedule:
  - (a) Ten percent (10%) of the sale value must be paid within 21 days of the sale award.
  - (b) The remainder is due before cutting begins.
  - (c) Payment for each of the following units must be made before cutting begins in that unit:

PAYMENT UNIT NUMBER

01

PERCENT OF TOTAL SALE VALUE

100.0%

- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 08/31/2024.

#### **SALE STATISTICS**

#### **SALE VOLUMES**

VOL	UME		STATISTICAL RA	ANGE IN CORDS
TOTAL CUBIC FEET TOTAL CORDS		PERCENT ERROR	MINIMUM	MAXIMUM
20,856	264	30.48%	184	344

#### **VDU VOLUMES**

A VDU is a Volume Determination Unit. Volumes and their associated statistics are calculated at the VDU level and summarized to the sale level. There is often a one to one relationship between a VDU and a Payment Unit, but not always, depending on the cruise design. Refer to the VDU TO PAYMENT UNIT table.

	VOL	UME		RANGE II	N CORDS
VDU	TOTAL CUBIC FEET	TOTAL CORDS	PERCENT ERROR	MINIMUM	MAXIMUM
32	20,848	264	30.48%	183	344
TOTAL:	20,848	264		183	344

#### **VDU TO PAYMENT UNIT**

When a VDU is associated with more than one Payment Unit (PU), the VDU volumes are assigned to the PU based on acres of the VDU within the PU.

VDU	VDU ACRES	PU	PU ACRES
32	10.1	1	10.1
TOTAL:	10.1		10.1

#### **DESCRIPTION OF TIMBER BY PAYMENT UNIT (PU)**

PU	MARKET GROUP	PRODUCT	QUANTITY	UNIT	ACRES	ADVERTISE PRICE
1	Red Pine	Sawtimber	3.9	MBF	10.1	\$3,730.25
	Balsam Fir	Pulpwood	2	Cords		
	Jack Pine		4	Cords		
	Mixed Aspen		165	Cords		
	B. T. Aspen		56	Cords		
	Quaking Aspen		109	Cords		
	Paper Birch		75	Cords		
	Red Pine		2	Cords		
	White Spruce		8	Cords		
		TOTAL:	3.9	MBF		
		TOTAL:	256	Cords		

#### Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Wildcat Aspen Take 2 Sale Number: 32-022-20 Seq#: 2

#### 1 - Sale Area

#### 1.2 - Boundaries

#### 1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (9/19)

The sale boundary and Payment Unit boundaries are marked and identified by red paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. Retention patches are marked with red paint; no harvesting activities may occur within these areas. The painted boundary line trees are Included Timber if directly adjacent to the ski trail and if designated in spec 2.1.1. All other painted boundary trees 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, cut all trees that are two (2) inches or more at DBH, except do not cut maple, oak, hemlock, or white pine.

#### 2.1.9 - Harvest exception (12/08)

Do not cut any maple trees other than those that are necessary to remove in order to operate within the sale area. Every effort must be made to preserve the existing maple and to leave an intact stand upon sale completion. All cut maple shall be piled separately by products and scaled in the woods unless other scaling arrangements are agreed to by the Unit Manager or his/her representative. Stumpage price for maple shall be \$50.00 per cord for posts and pulpwood, and \$350.00 per cord for bolts and sawlogs.

#### 2.1.15 - Hazard trees near roads (7/13)

Cut and remove all standing dead trees within 100 feet of the cleared portion of ski trials. These trees may be left where they are felled, as long the requirements for spec 5.2.40 are met.

#### 3 - Payments

#### 3.4 - Damaged Timber

#### 3.4.1 - Damaged timber (7/16)

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.

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

#### 4 - Transportation

#### 4.1 - Construction

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

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

#### 4.1.4 - Timber removed for construction (12/09)

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

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

Construction of new roads or improvements of existing roads shall be done in such a way as to minimize the environmental and visual impacts. Merchantable trees shall be cut and utilized unless otherwise directed. Non-merchantable trees shall be

severed and laid flat on the ground. Slash shall be scattered, and not left in windrows and kept a minimum of 10 feet back from the road edge. Stumps shall be set upright, not left on edge, and be moved at least 10 feet away from the road edge. Disturbed soil shall be feathered into the woods and not left in berms or windrows.

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

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

#### 4.2 - Maintenance

#### 4.2.4 - Grading (10/16)

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.

#### 4.4 - Access

#### 4.4.1 - Private property access (3/11)

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

#### 5 - Operations

#### 5.1 - Notification

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

A pre-sale conference between the Purchaser and sale administrator is required prior to beginning any operations to determine landing and road locations. The sale administrator must be contacted at least 3 days in advance to schedule the conference.

#### 5.2 - Conduct of Operations

#### 5.2.1 - Slash

#### 5.2.1.1 - Slash within sale area (9/16)

No trees are to be felled outside the sale area and all slash is to be kept at least 10 feet back from the red paint line. If sale boundary lines are along a public road or highway, then slash must be removed 50' from these lines per General Condition & Requirement 5.2.1.

#### 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, unless changed by written agreement, cutting, skidding, and hauling are not permitted during the period of November 1 to April 1. This restriction is to protect the Blueberry Ridge Ski Trial (Wildcat Loop).

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, 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. Due to large amounts of maple residual in the stand.

#### 5.2.31 - Landing locations (9/13)

In general, landings are limited to a "T" turnaround which will accommodate a truck with a 50 foot trailer.

#### 5.2.32 - Decking/landing restoration (9/13)

All decking and landing areas must have the surface area restored to a condition equal to or better than before. This is to ensure the proper regeneration of the stand. Wood debris, chips and "cookies" from trimmings must be removed or scattered away from landing and loading areas and may not be windrowed on the edge.

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

No decking is allowed within 50 feet of Blueberry Ridge Ski Trail (Wildcat Loop) without permission of the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

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

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

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

The Blueberry Ridge Ski Trail is shown on the Timber Sale Map. Do not cut trees or damage posts with blue pathway markers. Maintain a 20-foot wide slash, debris, and rut free zone daily, using the pathway as the centerline. Do not run equipment down the pathway. Skidding across the trail may only occur in locations approved by the sale administrator.

#### 5.4 - Soil Protection

#### 5.4.1 - Rutting restriction, general (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.

#### 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.

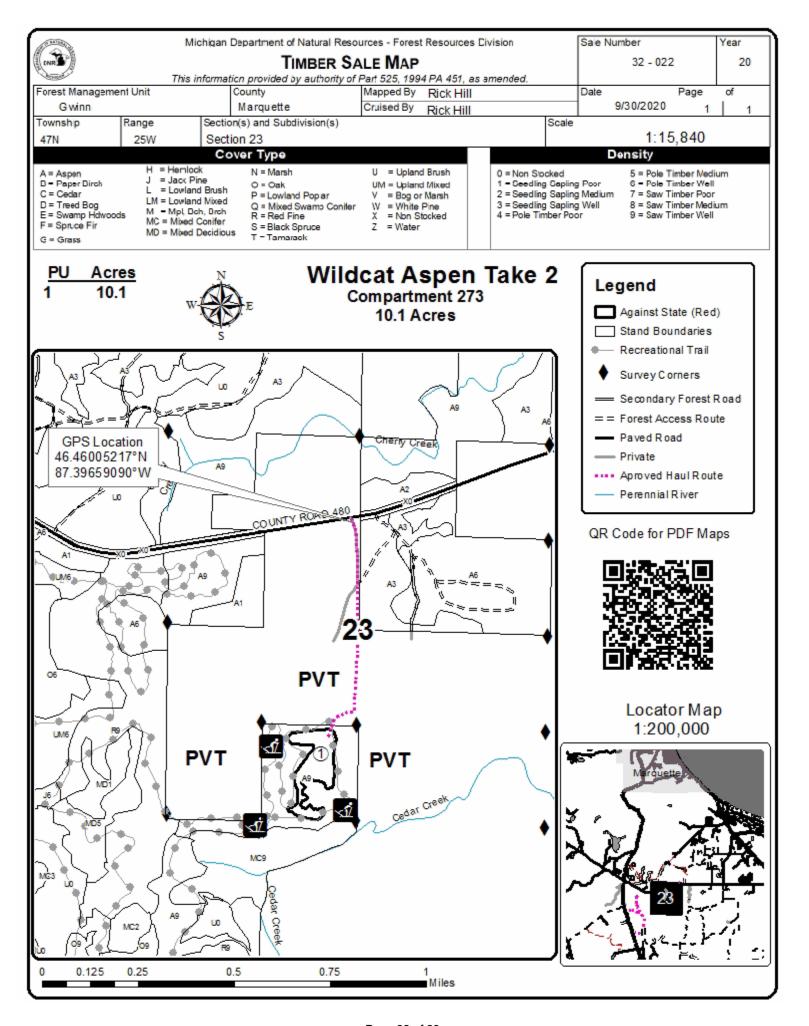
#### 6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

#### 6.2 - Signing

#### 6.2.3 - Recreational trail posting (10/20)

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on Blueberry Ridge Ski Trail (Wildcat Loop) prior to beginning operations. The trail must be posted approximately 350 feet 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.

Section Name: Sale Specific Current as of 11/12/2020 1:28:58PM



#### **BID FORM**

GWINN MANAGEMENT UNIT

GWINN OFFICE

#### Quarantine Conifer (32-003-20)

T46N, R28W, SEC. 29; T46N, R28W, SEC. 32; T46N, R28W, SEC. 33; Marquette

In response to the notice of sale to be held 1:00 p.m. (local time) on January 25, 2021, 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*	AD\	<u>/ERTISED PRICE</u>	BID PRICE/UNIT
Pulpwood					
Balsam Fir	100	Cords	\$	20.00/Cord	\$
Jack Pine	1,028	Cords	\$	31.15/Cord	\$
Mixed Spruce	598	Cords	\$	22.90/Cord	\$
Quaking Aspen	118	Cords	\$	24.70/Cord	\$
Tamarack	61	Cords	\$	16.25/Cord	\$

\*The volumes are statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 13.37 percent at 95% confidence level. 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 AVAILA	ABLE, PLEASE PLACE THE PERS	SONALIZED LABE	L FROM YOUR PROSPE	CTUS IN THE ABOVE BOX.	
Individual	or company representative's signa	ature:		Date:	
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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.

1. My business is organized as (you **must** check <u>one</u> of the boxes below):

# VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE This verification must be completed and submitted within 21 days of contract award and prior to the issuance of the timber sale contract. In addition, if boxes 2B or 2C are checked, then Notice of Exclusion or Certificate of Insurance must be submitted within twenty-one (21) days of the contract award and prior to the issuance of the timber sale contract. All Information must be typed or printed except for written signatures. Please Check Appropriate Categories:

	<ul><li>A. ☐ Sole Proprietorship (individual)</li><li>B. ☐ Partnership</li><li>C. ☐ Corporation</li></ul>		·		
2.	You <b>must</b> check <u>one</u> of the boxes below:				
	A.  I certify my business is a sole proprietor. Worker's Compensation Laws.	ship and it has no	employees but	the sole proprietor. I a	ım not subject to the
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3.	If you have checked item 2(A) or 2(B), you than yourself, including family members a				d part-time employees, other
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Please complete the "SEALED BID" information on the next page

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#### BID FORM

GWINN MANAGEMENT UNIT

GWINN OFFICE

#### Yellow-Trout White (32-012-20)

T50N, R29W, SEC. 11; T50N, R29W, SEC. 14; Marguette COUNTY

In response to the notice of sale to be held 1:00 p.m. (local time) on January 25, 2021, I am hereby submitting my sealed bid (firm offer) for the following forest products to be cut. Bids for individual species must be at or above the advertised price. All non-responsive bid forms may be rejected.

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Mixed Hardwood	26	Cords	\$	17.55/Cord	\$	_
Paper Birch	12	Cords	\$	13.35/Cord	\$	_
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<ul> <li>You must check one of the boxes below:</li> <li>A.  ☐ I certify my business is a sole proprietorship and it has no employees but the sole proprietor. I am not subject to the Worker's Compensation Laws.</li> <li>B. ☐ 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).</li> </ul>						
	C. I certify my business has a Worker's Compensation Policy. I will provide an original Certificate of Insurance within twenty-one (21) days of the contract award.					
3.	If you have checked item 2(A) or 2(B), you <b>must</b> indicate the number of <b>both</b> 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					
Nam	e of Business Federal ID (or) Social Security No.					
Addı	Telephone ( )					
City	State ZIP					
in fa _	reby certify that the above information is true and correct. I agree to notify the Michigan DNR of any changes that occur actors affecting my coverage during any of my present and future operations.					
T	itle Date					

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#### BID FORM

GWINN MANAGEMENT UNIT

GWINN OFFICE

### Wildcat Aspen Take 2 (32-022-20) T47N, R25W, SEC. 23; Marquette COUNTY

In response to the notice of sale to be held 1:00 p.m. (local time) on January 25, 2021, 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>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>		BID PRICE/	<u>'UNIT</u>
Sawtimber						
Red Pine	3.9	MBF	\$	56.00/MBF	\$	
Pulpwood						
Balsam Fir	2	Cords	\$	12.70/Cord	\$	
Jack Pine	4	Cords	\$	19.85/Cord	\$	
Mixed Aspen	165	Cords	\$	15.75/Cord	\$	
Paper Birch	75	Cords	\$	8.50/Cord	\$	
Red Pine	2	Cords	\$	27.20/Cord	\$	
White Spruce	8	Cords	\$	14.55/Cord	\$	

\*The volumes are statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 30.48 percent at 95% confidence level. These estimated volumes are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

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

	FEDERAL ID:	or SOCIAL SECU	JRITY NUMBER:				
	Company or individual bidding:						
	Company representative's name:						
	Address:						
	City:	State:	Zip:	_			
IF AVAILA	ABLE, PLEASE PLACE THE PERSOI	NALIZED LABEL FROM	YOUR PROSPECTUS IN T	THE ABOVE BOX.	_		
Individual	l or company representative's signatu	re:		Date:			
Phone number : Email (opti			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.

in factors affecting my coverage during any of my present and future operations.

Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative

Title

	Part 5 of Act 451 of 1994, as amended.						
VE	ERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION	ON ACT COMPLIANCE					
•	This verification must be completed and submitted within 21 days of contract award and prior to the issuance of the timber sale contract.						
•	In addition, if boxes 2B or 2C are checked, then Notice of Exclusion or Certificate of Insurance must be submitted within twenty-one (21) days of the contract award and prior to the issuance of the timber sale contract.						
•	All Information must be typed or printed except for written signatures.						
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