

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES STATE OF MICHIGAN <u>TIMBER SALE PROSPECTUS #7086</u>

SCHEDULED SALE DATE AND TIME: 4:00 p.m. (local time) on August 23, 2022. LOCATION: TRAVERSE CITY MGMT UNIT, 2122 M 37 SOUTH, TRAVERSE CITY, MI 49685.

<u>PROSPECTUS NOTE</u>: Effective immediately: all bid openings for the Traverse City Management Unit (Kalkaska Field Office and Traverse City Field Office) will be held at the Traverse City Field Office regardless of sale location within the unit. All payments will now be handled through the Traverse City Field Office . The Kalkaska Field Office will no longer accept payments or hard paper copies of timber sale bids. Payments for all contracts, use permits, bonds, etc. should be sent to the Traverse City Field Office.

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:

The Apprentice Hardwoods (61-102-22) / T27N, R05W, SEC. 10, NWNW. T27N, R05W, SEC. 3 , W1/2NW,NWSW,S1/2SW,SWSE. T27N, R05W, SEC. 4 , NENE,S1/2NE,SE. T27N, R05W, SEC. 9 , NENE. Kalkaska County, Advertised Price \$201,337.00, 231.6 Acres, Hardwood, Sugar Maple.

SALE NOTE: All units of volume listed for this sale were estimated using the Inventory Manager computer program and the new Michigan taper model.

See sale spec 5.2.3.3 for information on bark slippage and oak wilt restrictions.

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.

<u>Wild Duck Pine</u> (61-106-22) / T26N, R08W, SEC. 4 , SENW,SWNE,SW,NWSE. T26N, R08W, SEC. 5 , E1/2SE. Kalkaska County, Advertised Price \$155,532.90, 103.5 Acres, Red Pine, White Pine.

SALE NOTE: All units of volume listed for this sale were estimated using the Inventory Manager computer program and the new Michigan taper model.

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.

Blue Jay Mix (61-107-22) / T26N, R08W, SEC. 5 , NW, NE.

Kalkaska County, Advertised Price \$59,460.15, 95.7 Acres, Red Pine, Hardwood.

SALE NOTE: All units of volume listed for this sale were estimated using the Inventory Manager computer program and the new Michigan taper model.

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<u>Hart Woods</u> (61-115-22) / T28N, R07W, SEC. 15, N1/2SW,SWSW. T28N, R07W, SEC. 16, NE,SW,SE. T28N, R07W, SEC. 21, N1/2NW,N1/2NE. Kalkaska County, Advertised Price \$301,865.95, 338.8 Acres, Hardwood, Sugar Maple.

SALE NOTE: All units of volume listed for this sale were estimated using the Inventory Manager computer program and the new Michigan taper model.

Rubus Hardwoods (61-117-22) / T27N, R05W, SEC. 4 , NE.

Kalkaska County, Advertised Price \$27,373.35, 40.5 Acres, Hardwood, Sugar Maple.

SALE NOTE: All units of volume listed for this sale were estimated using the Inventory Manager computer program and the new Michigan taper model.

See sale spec 2.2.2 for information on required chipping.

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

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

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 August 23, 2022. For further information concerning this sale, contact David Fisher at 231-745-4651 extension 6946.

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.

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TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

The Apprentice Hardwoods (61-102-22)

T27N, R05W, SEC. 10; T27N, R05W, SEC. 3; T27N, R05W, SEC. 4; T27N, R05W, SEC. 9. Kalkaska County (Advertised Price \$201,337.00)

SALE NOTE: All units of volume listed for this sale were estimated using the Inventory Manager computer program and the new Michigan taper model.

See sale spec 5.2.3.3 for information on bark slippage and oak wilt restrictions.

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. All units of volume listed below were estimated using the Inventory Manager computer program and the new Michigan taper model. Bids must be at or above the following advertised price for each product and species:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATE	<u>ED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADV</u>	ERTISED PRICE
Sawtimber				
Basswood	166.4	MBF	\$	85.00 / MBF
Black Cherry	118.6	MBF	\$	133.00 / MBF
Mixed Aspen	21.8	MBF	\$	94.00 / MBF
Red Maple	71.5	MBF	\$	122.00 / MBF
Sugar Maple	542.4	MBF	\$	223.00 / MBF
Yellow Birch	2.8	MBF	\$	86.00 / MBF
Pulpwood				
Mixed Aspen	70	Cords	\$	15.55 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	2,325	Cords	\$	16.50 / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 5.54 percent. There are an estimated 4,909 cords on this timber sale, plus or minus 272 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 \$16,107.00 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

	FERCENT OF TOTAL SALE VA
01	25.1%
02	41.6%
03	13.5%
04	9.5%
05	10.3%

4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.

5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 09/30/2025.

SALE STATISTICS

Volumes were calculated in cubic feet using the Michigan taper model. Cubic foot volume includes all wood inside bark for the product indicated. For display purposes, cubic feet were converted to cords and MBF using a simple conversion factor, e.g. 79 cubic feet per cord and 185 cubic feet per MBF. The cubic foot volumes are precise; the cords and MBF volumes are not. Cubic foot volume cannot be directly converted to cords or boards with precision.

SALE VOLUMES

The total estimated sale volume may not equal the sum of the species/products due to the nature of statistical calculations associated with double sampling methodology.

VOLUME			STATISTICAL RA	ANGE IN CORDS
TOTAL CUBIC FEET	TOTAL CORDS	PERCENT ERROR	MINIMUM	MAXIMUM
387,840	4,909	5.54%	4,637	5,182

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
22	187,978	2,379	13.20%	2,065	2,693
25	87,193	1,104	17.94%	906	1,302
33	56,502	715	27.54%	518	912
622	32,284	409	164.31%	263	1,080
625	23,882	302	69.27%	93	512
TOTAL:	387,840	4,909		3,320	6,499

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
22	97.7	1	37.1
		2	60.6
25	66.6	3	40.1
		4	26.5
33	50.3	5	50.3
622	11.1	1	4.0
		2	7.1
625	5.9	3	2.8
		4	3.1
TOTAL:	231.6		231.6

DESCRIPTION OF TIMBER BY PAYMENT UNIT (PU)

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PU	MARKET GROUP	PRODUCT	QUANTITY	UNIT	ACRES	ADVERTISE PRICE
1	Basswood	Sawtimber	21.5	MBF	41.1	\$50,623.90
	Black Cherry		11.5	MBF		. ,
	Red Maple		12.3	MBF		
	Sugar Maple		170.4	MBF		
	Yellow Birch		1.1	MBF		
	Mixed Hardwood	Pulpwood	465	Cords		
	Basswood	Fulpwood		Cords		
			12			
	Black Cherry		9	Cords		
	Ironwood		5	Cords		
	Red Maple		21	Cords		
	Sugar Maple		416	Cords		
	Yellow Birch		2	Cords		
2	Basswood	Sawtimber	35.1	MBF	67.7	\$83,593.40
	Black Cherry		18.7	MBF		
	Red Maple		20.0	MBF		
	Sugar Maple		282.2	MBF		
	Yellow Birch		1.7	MBF		
	Mixed Hardwood	Pulpwood	764	Cords		
	Basswood		19	Cords		
	Black Cherry		15	Cords		
	Ironwood		9	Cords		
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	Red Maple		34	Cords		
	Sugar Maple		683	Cords		
	Yellow Birch		4	Cords		
3	Basswood	Sawtimber	60.6	MBF	42.9	\$27,223.60
	Black Cherry		13.2	MBF		
	Mixed Aspen		2.7	MBF		
	Quaking Aspen		2.7	MBF		
	Red Maple		15.3	MBF		
	Sugar Maple		49.8	MBF		
	Mixed Aspen	Pulpwood	4	Cords		
	Quaking Aspen		4	Cords		
	Mixed Hardwood		426	Cords		
	Basswood		51	Cords		
	Black Cherry		39	Cords		
	Ironwood		5	Cords		
	Red Maple		33	Cords		
	Sugar Maple		298	Cords		
4		Soutimbor			20.0	¢10.404.45
4	Basswood	Sawtimber	44.2	MBF	29.6	\$19,104.15
	Black Cherry		8.8	MBF		
	Mixed Aspen		1.8	MBF		
	Quaking Aspen		1.8	MBF		
	Red Maple		12.1	MBF		
	Sugar Maple		32.9	MBF		
	Mixed Aspen	Pulpwood	3	Cords		
	Quaking Aspen		3	Cords		
	Mixed Hardwood		312	Cords		
	Basswood		37	Cords		
	Black Cherry		28	Cords		
	Ironwood		4	Cords		
	Red Maple		24	Cords		
	Sugar Maple		24	Cords		
5		Sowtimber	5.0	MBF	50.3	¢20 701 05
5	Basswood	Sawtimber			50.3	\$20,791.95
	Black Cherry		66.4	MBF		
	Mixed Aspen		17.3	MBF		
	B. T. Aspen		16.2	MBF		

DESCRIPTION OF TIMBER BY PAYMENT UNIT (PU), CON'T

PU	MARKET GROUP	PRODUCT	QUANTITY	UNIT	ACRES	ADVERTISE PRICE
5 con't	Quaking Aspen	Sawtimber	1.1	MBF		
	Red Maple		11.8	MBF		
	Sugar Maple		7.1	MBF		
	Mixed Aspen	Pulpwood	63	Cords		
	B. T. Aspen		46	Cords		
	Quaking Aspen		17	Cords		
	Mixed Hardwood		358	Cords		
	Basswood		2	Cords		
	Black Cherry		207	Cords		
	Red Maple		97	Cords		
	Sugar Maple		52	Cords		
		TOTAL:	923.5	MBF		
		TOTAL:	2,395	Cords		

Sale Name: The Apprentice Hardwoods

Sale Number: 61-102-22 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 red and yellow paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. Interior Payment Unit boundaries are marked with yellow paint. Regen gaps are marked with pink 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) 1-4, all trees are designated for cutting when marked with orange paint above and below stump height, regardless of merchantability. In addition, cut all aspen, beech, and ironwood except those marked with an orange 'X'. Regen gaps are identified with pink paint and are also shown on the Timber Sale Map. Cut all trees greater than 4 feet tall, except for hemlock, within the pink boundary line.

2.1.5 - Overstory removal unit(s) (8/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 5, all trees with DBH equal to or greater than 4 inches which meet minimum piece specifications in 2.2 Utilization, are designated for cutting, except do not cut oak, white pine, and apple trees. Also do not cut sugar maple trees less than 6 inches in diameter.

2.2 - Utilization

2.2.4 - Skidding length (2/14)

In Payment Units 1-4 skidding of unlimbed tops or lengths over 17 feet is not permissible unless approved by the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

3 - Payments

3.3 - Pre-measured Sales

3.3.4 - Dividing payment units (7/14)

Payment Unit(s) with a value greater than \$15,000 may be divided at the request of the Purchaser and upon approval of the Unit Manager. Dividing Payment Units is a contract modification which requires a Timber Sale Contract Amendment. There will be only one division per Payment Unit.

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 maple, cherry and aspen 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 \$300 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 10% of trees (> 4.5" DBH) within a specified area of the sale are damaged, liquidated damages will be assessed for all trees damaged.

4 - Transportation

- 4.1 Construction
 - 4.1.6 Road construction (1/09)

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

4.1.7 - Road closure (10/11)

All new roads built into the sale must be blocked to vehicle traffic within 30 days of completion of hauling. Overgrown roads that are reopened shall be considered new roads. In general, this will require constructing double earthen berms at strategic locations. Stumps and brush must be placed along the remainder of the trail. These roads must be rendered impassable to cars and trucks. Temporary berms may be required if no sale activity occurs for 30 or more consecutive days. Contact the sale administrator for specific details of design and placement.

4.2 - Maintenance

4.2.1 - Hauling restriction (12/08)

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

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.

5.2.1.10 - No slash in openings (5/10)

Any damage to the opening shall be repaired according to specifications of the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

5.2.3.3 - Bark slippage restriction (3/09)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1-5, cutting and skidding are not permitted during the period of April 15 to July 15. This restriction is because of bark slippage and oak wilt.

5.2.29 - Shrub protection (1/20)

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

5.2.32 - Decking/landing restoration (9/13)

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

5.2.37 - No decking areas (12/08)

No decking is allowed in the openings, labeled with a G0 on the map, east of Payment Units 3 and 4. These are maintained wildlife openings.

5.2.38 - No decking against live trees (2/04)Cut products may not be decked against unmarked or designated leave trees.

5.2.39 - ORV trail/route protection (4/18)

There is an ORV trail and is shown on the Timber Sale Map. Do not cut trees or damage posts with yellow ORV markers. All stumps within 5 feet of the trail must be cut flush with the ground. Maintain a 20-foot-wide slash, debris, and rut free zone daily using the ORV trail as the centerline. Do not run equipment down the ORV trail. Skidding across the trail or route may only occur in locations approved by the sale administrator.

5.2.41 - Snowmobile trail protection (9/11)

There 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. If the trail is used for hauling, it must be graded to the satisfaction of the Unit Manager or his/her representative prior to December 1. If the trail road is to be used for hauling during the snowmobile season, then a snow-covered base must be left on the trail. The snowmobile trail may only be crossed at right angles. Maintain a 20-foot-wide slash, debris, and rut free zone daily using the snowmobile trail as the centerline. No decking of forest products will be permitted along the snowmobile trail. All stumps within 20 feet of the snowmobile trail must be cut at ground level.

5.2.43 - Opening protection (2/21)

No activities are permitted in openings marked on the Timber Sale Map with the letter "G0". Any damage to the openings shall be repaired according to specifications of the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

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.

5.8 - 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.

5.8.8 - Protected species, other (2/12)

All operation must cease if a threatened or endangered species is encountered. An onsite evaluation must be done before harvesting operations can resume.

6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

6.2 - Signing

6.2.1 - Road posting (10/20)

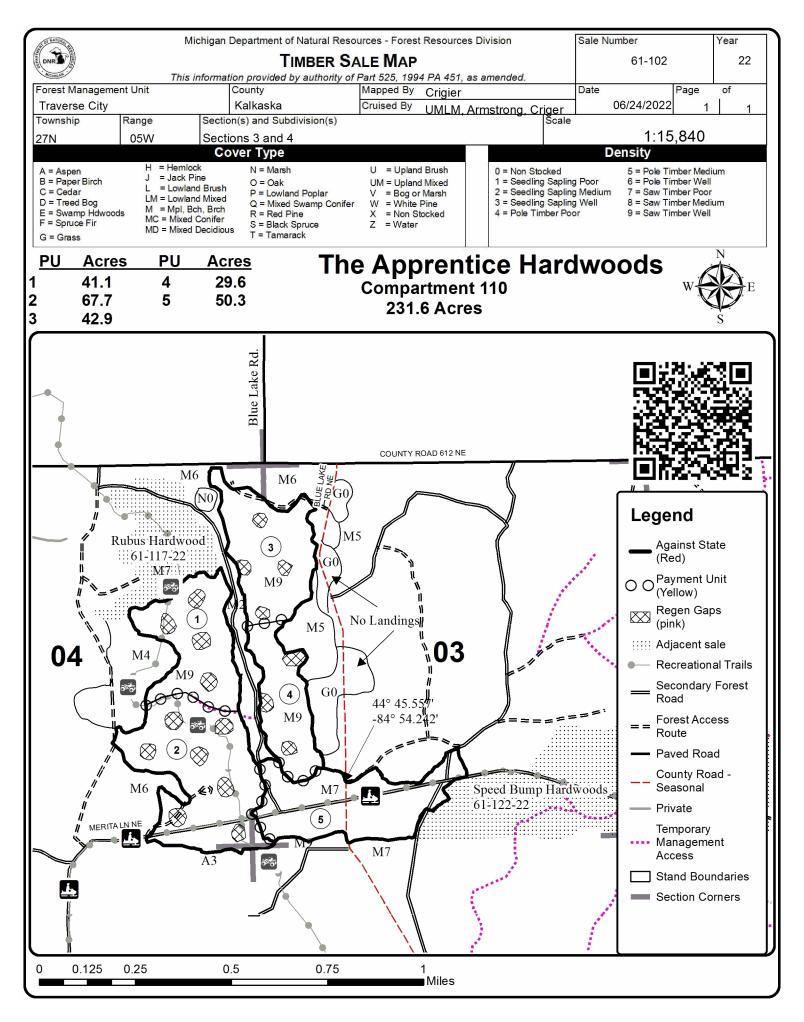
The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on Blue Lake Road, County Road 612 and any state forest roads used for hauling prior to beginning operations. The road must be posted at appropriate distances from the Sale Area to warn of logging activity and truck traffic. Signs must be removed when harvest operations are suspended or completed. The Purchaser will provide these signs.

6.2.2 - Snowmobile trail posting (10/20)

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

6.2.3 - Recreational trail posting (10/20)

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



TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

<u>Wild Duck Pine (61-106-22)</u> T26N, R08W, SEC. 4; T26N, R08W, SEC. 5. Kalkaska County (Advertised Price \$155,532.90)

SALE NOTE: All units of volume listed for this sale were estimated using the Inventory Manager computer program and the new Michigan taper model.

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. All units of volume listed below were estimated using the Inventory Manager computer program and the new Michigan taper model. Bids must be at or above the following advertised price for each product and species:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATE	ED UNITS*	ADVE	ERTISED PRICE
Sawtimber				
Red Oak	40.1	MBF	\$	161.00 / MBF
Red Pine	633.5	MBF	\$	131.00 / MBF
White Oak	23.9	MBF	\$	77.00 / MBF
White Pine	245.9	MBF	\$	66.00 / MBF
Pulpwood				
Mixed Oak	127	Cords	\$	24.75 / Cord
Red Maple	81	Cords	\$	24.00 / Cord
Red Pine	637	Cords	\$	53.55 / Cord
White Pine	315	Cords	\$	28.00 / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 4.63 percent. There are an estimated 3,254 cords on this timber sale, plus or minus 151 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 \$7,777.00 to insure faithful performance of the conditions of the contract will be deposited

- by the successful bidder within 21 days of the sale award.
- 2. Cutting in any sale or unit without the required advance payment would be considered a trespass.
- 3. Total payment must be paid in advance or according to the following schedule :
- (a) Ten percent (10%) of the sale value must be paid within 21 days of the sale award.
- (b) The 10% down payment will be credited towards the first unit cut.
- (c) Payment for each of the following units must be made before cutting begins in that unit: PAYMENT UNIT NUMBER PERCENT OF TOTAL SALE VALUE

01	50.1%
02	28.3%
03	21.6%

4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.

5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 09/30/2024.

SALE STATISTICS

Volumes were calculated in cubic feet using the Michigan taper model. Cubic foot volume includes all wood inside bark for the product indicated. For display purposes, cubic feet were converted to cords and MBF using a simple conversion factor, e.g. 79 cubic feet per cord and 185 cubic feet per MBF. The cubic foot volumes are precise; the cords and MBF volumes are not. Cubic foot volume cannot be directly converted to cords or boards with precision.

SALE VOLUMES

The total estimated sale volume may not equal the sum of the species/products due to the nature of statistical calculations associated with double sampling methodology.

VOL	UME		STATISTICAL RANGE IN CORDS	
TOTAL CUBIC FEET	TOTAL CORDS	PERCENT ERROR	MINIMUM	MAXIMUM
257,099	3,254	4.63%	3,103	3,405

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
56	47,171	597	12.56%	522	672
65	209,928	2,657	4.93%	2,526	2,788
TOTAL:	257,099	3,254		3,048	3,460

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
56	19.2	3	19.2
65	84.3	1	53.9
		2	30.4
TOTAL:	103.5		103.5

DESCRIPTION OF TIMBER BY PAYMENT UNIT (PU)

PU	MARKET GROUP	PRODUCT	QUANTITY	UNIT	ACRES	ADVERTISE PRICE
1	Red Oak	Sawtimber	25.6	MBF	53.9	\$78,016.75
	Red Pine		285.8	MBF		
	White Oak		15.3	MBF		
	White Pine		156.2	MBF		
	Mixed Oak	Pulpwood	82	Cords		
	Red Oak		49	Cords		
	White Oak		33	Cords		
	Red Maple		52	Cords		
	Red Pine		301	Cords		
	White Pine		199	Cords		
2	Red Oak	Sawtimber	14.5	MBF	30.4	\$43,952.20
	Red Pine		161.2	MBF		
	White Oak		8.6	MBF		
	White Pine		88.1	MBF		
	Mixed Oak	Pulpwood	45	Cords		
	Red Oak		27	Cords		
	White Oak		18	Cords		
	Red Maple		29	Cords		
	Red Pine		169	Cords		
	White Pine		113	Cords		
3	Red Pine	Sawtimber	186.5	MBF	19.2	\$33,563.95
	White Pine		1.6	MBF		
	Red Pine	Pulpwood	167	Cords		
	White Pine		3	Cords		
	-	TOTAL:	943.4	MBF	-	-
		TOTAL:	1,160	Cords		

Sale Number: 61-106-22 Seg#: 1

Sale Name: Wild Duck Pine

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, blue, and yellow paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against private are marked with blue paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. Interior Payment Unit boundaries are marked with yellow paint. Yellow painted trees designating an interior Payment Unit boundary are only to be cut when all surrounding Payment Units have been paid.

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 and 2, cut all trees that are two (1) one inch or more at DBH.

2.1.5 - Overstory removal unit(s) (8/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 3, all trees with DBH equal to or greater than 5 inches which meet minimum piece specifications in 2.2 Utilization, are designated for cutting

2.2 - Utilization

2.2.2 - Chipping required (2/18)

Payment Unit 1 and 2 must be chip harvested to facilitate subsequent planting operations. Products may be produced as roundwood and forwarded to decking areas in final product length, but the tops must be left intact and skidded to the landing for chipping in order to minimize the amount of residual slash. The requirement to retain approximately 1/6 to 1/3 of tree tops and limbs less than four inches in diameter is still applicable (G. C. & R. 2.2).

2.2.3 - Stump heights (4/07)

Stump heights within Payment Unit(s) 1 and 2 shall not exceed 12 inches for trees greater than 10 inches at DBH and 4 inches for trees smaller than 10 inches at DBH. This is to facilitate planting operations.

2.2.6 - Roundwood operation required (3/21)

The skidding of whole trees or tree segments with limbs attached is prohibited. This spec only applies to Payment Unit 3. All products must be produced as roundwood and forwarded to existing roads or landing areas in final product length. Trees must be harvested with in-woods processor (feller bunching harvester will not be allow) in order to retain existing understory.

3 - Payments

3.3 - Pre-measured Sales

3.3.4 - Dividing payment units (7/14)

Payment Unit(s) 1-3 may be divided at the request of the Purchaser and upon approval of the Unit Manager. Dividing Payment Units is a contract modification which requires a Timber Sale Contract Amendment. There will be only one division per Payment Unit.

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 Payment Unit 3, if more than 30% of the tree seedlings or saplings (1/4" to 4.5" DBH) within a specified portion of the Sale Area are damaged, liquidated damages will be assessed at \$500 per acre for all acreage within that specified portion of the Sale Area that was damaged.

4 - Transportation

4.1 - Construction

4.1.11 - Permits (2/12)

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

4.1.12 - No new roads (1/12)

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

4.2 - Maintenance

4.2.5 - Two wheel drive condition (2/04)

All existing trail roads on and adjacent to the sale area must be passable by two-wheel drive traffic for the duration of the sale.

5 - Operations

5.1 - Notification

5.1.1 - Pre-sale conference (10/16)

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. 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. The spec only applies to Payment Unit 3.

5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

5.2.3.4 - Oak wilt restriction, no exceptions (1/18)

Within Payment Unit(s) 3 cutting, skidding, and brushing of access roads to the sale are not permitted during the period of April 15 to July 15. No exceptions will be granted. This is necessary to reduce the spread of oak wilt.

5.2.3.5 - Oak wilt restriction (1/18)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 and 2 unless changed by written agreement, cutting, skidding, hauling within the sale and brushing of access roads to the sale are not permitted during the period of April 15 to July 15. Operations may be allowed if specific steps are taken to prevent damaging uncut oak during the high risk period. Those steps may include completing all road brushing before April 15th and clearing a tree-length buffer along uncut oak cover before April 15th. This is necessary to reduce the spread of oak wilt. For more information, contact the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

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.

5.2.41 - Snowmobile trail protection (9/11)

The snowmobile trail and is shown on the Timber Sale Map. Do not cut or damage posts with orange trail markers or traffic control signs. If the trail is used, it must be maintained and restored to a condition equal to or better than before the sale. The road maintenance/restoration must be done prior to December 1. If the trail is used for hauling, it must be graded to the satisfaction of the Unit Manager or his/her representative prior to December 1. If the trail road is to be used for hauling during the snowmobile season, then a snow-covered base must be left on the trail. The snowmobile trail may only be crossed at right angles. Maintain a 20-foot-wide slash, debris, and rut free zone daily using the snowmobile trail as the centerline. No decking of forest products will be permitted along the snowmobile trail. All stumps within 20 feet of the snowmobile trail must be cut at ground level.

5.4 - Soil Protection

5.4.1 - Rutting restriction, general (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

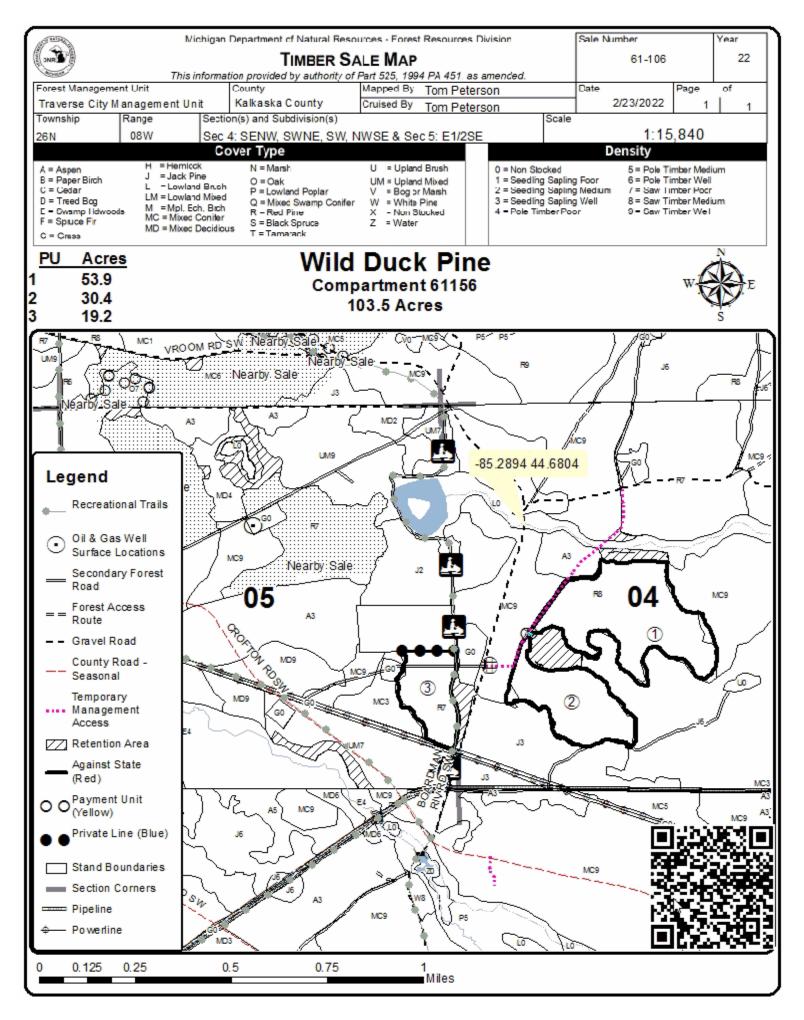
6.2 - Signing

6.2.1 - Road posting (10/20)

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

6.2.2 - Snowmobile trail posting (10/20)

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



TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

<u>Blue Jay Mix (61-107-22)</u> T26N, R08W, SEC. 5.

Kalkaska County (Advertised Price \$59,460.15)

SALE NOTE: All units of volume listed for this sale were estimated using the Inventory Manager computer program and the new Michigan taper model.

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. All units of volume listed below were estimated using the Inventory Manager computer program and the new Michigan taper model. Bids must be at or above the following advertised price for each product and species:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATE	ED UNITS*	ADVE	ERTISED PRICE
Sawtimber				
Red Oak	47.2	MBF	\$	110.00 / MBF
Red Pine	344.5	MBF	\$	90.00 / MBF
White Oak	8.2	MBF	\$	53.00 / MBF
White Pine	8.5	MBF	\$	46.00 / MBF
Pulpwood				
Jack Pine	11	Cords	\$	15.25 / Cord
Mixed Aspen	5	Cords	\$	15.55 / Cord
Mixed Oak	241	Cords	\$	17.00 / Cord
Red Maple	58	Cords	\$	16.50 / Cord
Red Pine	461	Cords	\$	36.80 / Cord
White Pine	9	Cords	\$	19.25 / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 11.76 percent. There are an estimated 1,674 cords on this timber sale, plus or minus 197 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 \$2,973.00 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	58.3%
02	41.7%

4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.

5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 09/30/2024.

SALE STATISTICS

Volumes were calculated in cubic feet using the Michigan taper model. Cubic foot volume includes all wood inside bark for the product indicated. For display purposes, cubic feet were converted to cords and MBF using a simple conversion factor, e.g. 79 cubic feet per cord and 185 cubic feet per MBF. The cubic foot volumes are precise; the cords and MBF volumes are not. Cubic foot volume cannot be directly converted to cords or boards with precision.

SALE VOLUMES

The total estimated sale volume may not equal the sum of the species/products due to the nature of statistical calculations associated with double sampling methodology.

VOLUME			STATISTICAL RA	ANGE IN CORDS
TOTAL CUBIC FEET	TOTAL CORDS	PERCENT ERROR	MINIMUM	MAXIMUM
132,231	1,674	11.76%	1,477	1,871

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
30	74,208	939	16.46%	785	1,094
43	58,023	734	17.36%	607	862
TOTAL:	132,231	1,674		1,392	1,956

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
30	49.8	1	49.8
43	45.9	2	45.9
TOTAL:	95.7		95.7

DESCRIPTION OF TIMBER BY PAYMENT UNIT (PU)

PU	MARKET GROUP	PRODUCT	QUANTITY	UNIT	ACRES	ADVERTISE PRICE
1	Red Oak	Sawtimber	21.0	MBF	49.8	\$34,682.90
	Red Pine		216.2	MBF		
	White Oak		4.9	MBF		
	White Pine		1.1	MBF		
	Jack Pine	Pulpwood	7	Cords		
	Jack Pine	Sawtimber	0.9	MBF		
	Jack Pine	Pulpwood	5	Cords		
	Mixed Oak		82	Cords		
	Red Oak		41	Cords		
	White Oak		41	Cords		
	Red Maple		54	Cords		
	Red Pine		277	Cords		
	White Pine		1	Cords		
2	Red Oak	Sawtimber	26.2	MBF	45.9	\$24,777.25
	Red Pine		128.3	MBF		
	White Oak		3.3	MBF		
	White Pine		7.4	MBF		
	Jack Pine	Pulpwood	4	Cords		
	Jack Pine		4	Cords		
	Mixed Aspen		5	Cords		
	B. T. Aspen	Sawtimber	1.2	MBF		
	B. T. Aspen	Pulpwood	3	Cords		
	Mixed Oak		159	Cords		
	Red Oak		31	Cords		
	White Oak		128	Cords		
	Red Maple		4	Cords		
	Red Pine		184	Cords		
	White Pine		8	Cords		
		TOTAL:	408.4	MBF		
		TOTAL:	785	Cords		

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Blue Jay Mix

Sale Number: 61-107-22 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 red paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint.

2 - Timber Specifications

- 2.1 Included Timber
 - 2.1.5 Overstory removal unit(s) (8/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 and 2, all trees with DBH equal to or greater than 5 inches which meet minimum piece specifications in 2.2 Utilization, are designated for cutting. Do not cut any green marked trees.

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 at DBH and 4 inches for trees smaller than 10 inches at DBH.

3 - Payments

3.3 - Pre-measured Sales

3.3.4 - Dividing payment units (7/14)

Payment Unit(s) may be divided at the request of the Purchaser and upon approval of the Unit Manager. Dividing Payment Units is a contract modification which requires a Timber Sale Contract Amendment.

- 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 30% of the tree seedlings or saplings (1/4" to 5.0" DBH) within a specified portion of the Sale Area are damaged, liquidated damages will be assessed at \$350 per acre for all acreage within that specified portion of the Sale Area that was damaged.

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.

4.1.11 - Permits (2/12)

The Purchaser will secure any necessary county road 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.

4.2 - Maintenance

4.2.5 - Two wheel drive condition (2/04)

All existing trail roads on and adjacent to the sale area must be passable by two-wheel drive traffic for the duration of the sale.

5 - Operations

5.1 - Notification

5.1.1 - Pre-sale conference (10/16)

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. 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.

5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

5.2.3.4 - Oak wilt restriction, no exceptions (1/18)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 and 2 cutting, skidding, and brushing of access roads to the sale are not permitted during the period of April 15 to July 15. No exceptions will be granted. This is necessary to reduce the spread of oak wilt.

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.

5.4 - 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

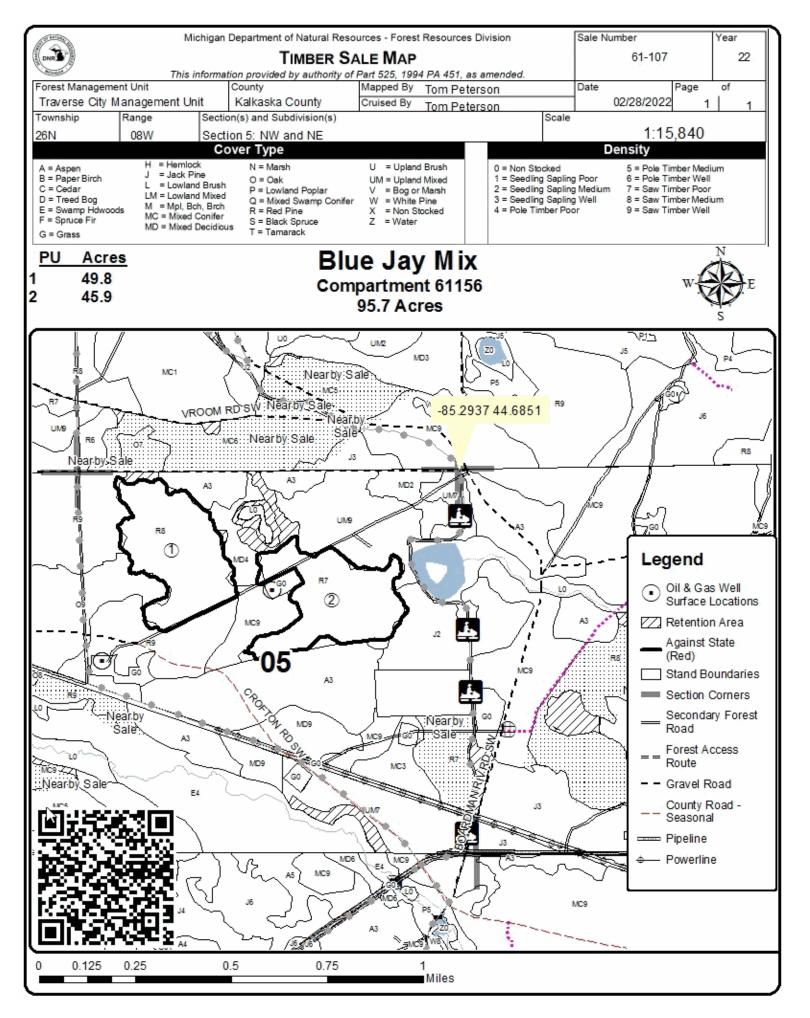
6.2 - Signing

6.2.1 - Road posting (10/20)

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on all county and state roads prior to beginning operations. The road must be posted at appropriate distances from the Sale Area to warn of logging activity and truck traffic. Signs must be removed when harvest operations are suspended or completed. The Purchaser will provide these signs.

6.2.2 - Snowmobile trail posting (10/20)

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



TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

Hart Woods (61-115-22)

T28N, R07W, SEC. 15; T28N, R07W, SEC. 16; T28N, R07W, SEC. 21. Kalkaska County (Advertised Price \$301,865.95)

SALE NOTE: All units of volume listed for this sale were estimated using the Inventory Manager computer program and the new Michigan taper model.

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 Inventory Manager computer program and the new Michigan taper model. Bids must be at or above the following advertised price for each product and species:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATE	<u>ED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADV</u>	ERTISED PRICE
Sawtimber				
Basswood	590.5	MBF	\$	108.00 / MBF
Beech	2.3	MBF	\$	139.00 / MBF
Black Cherry	11.5	MBF	\$	170.00 / MBF
Mixed Aspen	49.8	MBF	\$	120.00 / MBF
Red Maple	212.6	MBF	\$	155.00 / MBF
Sugar Maple	464.0	MBF	\$	284.00 / MBF
Yellow Birch	1.4	MBF	\$	110.00 / MBF
Pulpwood				
Basswood	698	Cords	\$	18.50 / Cord
Mixed Aspen	431	Cords	\$	19.75 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	2,073	Cords	\$	21.00 / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 3.43 percent. There are an estimated 6,488 cords on this timber sale, plus or minus 223 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 \$24,149.00 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	16.2%
02	16.4%
03	15.8%
04	5.6%
05	13.2%
06	14.4%
07	18.4%

4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.

5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 09/30/2025.

SALE STATISTICS

Volumes were calculated in cubic feet using the Michigan taper model. Cubic foot volume includes all wood inside bark for the product indicated. For display purposes, cubic feet were converted to cords and MBF using a simple conversion factor, e.g. 79 cubic feet per cord and 185 cubic feet per MBF. The cubic foot volumes are precise; the cords and MBF volumes are not. Cubic foot volume cannot be directly converted to cords or boards with precision.

SALE VOLUMES

The total estimated sale volume may not equal the sum of the species/products due to the nature of statistical calculations associated with double sampling methodology.

VOLUME		VOLUME STATISTICA		STATISTICAL RA	ANGE IN CORDS
TOTAL CUBIC FEET	TOTAL CORDS	PERCENT ERROR	MINIMUM	MAXIMUM	
512,524	6,488	3.43%	6,265	6,710	

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
24	43,509	551	13.59%	476	626
26	57,463	727	8.68%	664	791
27	296,985	3,759	4.44%	3,593	3,926
626	23,003	291	11.95%	256	326
627	91,563	1,159	9.04%	1,054	1,264
TOTAL:	512,524	6,488		6,043	6,932

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
24	26.3	4	26.3
26	35.8	1	35.8
27	243.1	2	51.3
		3	46.5
		5	44.0
		6	41.4
		7	59.9
626	5.4	1	5.4
627	28.2	2	5.8
		3	6.4
		5	3.9
		6	6.1
		7	6.0
TOTAL:	338.8		338.8

DESCRIPTION OF TIMBER BY PAYMENT UNIT (PU)

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PU	MARKET GROUP	PRODUCT	QUANTITY	UNIT	ACRES	ADVERTISE PRICE
1	Basswood	Sawtimber	113.0	MBF	41.2	\$48,880.70
	Beech		2.3	MBF		
	Red Maple		26.0	MBF		
	Sugar Maple		84.0	MBF		
	Yellow Birch		1.4	MBF		
	Basswood	Pulpwood	134	Cords		
	Mixed Hardwood		278	Cords		
	Beech		4	Cords		
	Black Cherry		3	Cords		
	Red Maple		66	Cords		
	Sugar Maple		202	Cords		
	Yellow Birch		3	Cords		
2	Basswood	Sawtimber	100.3	MBF	57.1	\$49,478.25
	Black Cherry		1.5	MBF		
	Red Maple		39.2	MBF		
	Sugar Maple		78.9	MBF		
	Basswood	Pulpwood	119	Cords		
	Mixed Aspen		1	Cords		
	Quaking Aspen		1	Cords		
	Mixed Hardwood		366	Cords		
	Beech		5	Cords		
	Black Cherry		8	Cords		
	Ironwood		21	Cords		
	Red Maple		72	Cords		
	Sugar Maple		260	Cords		
3	Basswood	Sawtimber	94.3	MBF	52.9	\$47,714.85
0	Black Cherry	Cawamber	1.3	MBF	02.0	φ+7,714.00
	Red Maple		36.7	MBF		
	Sugar Maple		78.3	MBF		
	Basswood	Pulpwood	110	Cords		
	Mixed Aspen		1	Cords		
	Quaking Aspen		1	Cords		
	Mixed Hardwood		349	Cords		
	Beech		5	Cords		
			7	Cords		
	Black Cherry		-			
	Ironwood		19	Cords		
	Red Maple		67	Cords Cords		
	Sugar Maple		251			• / • • • • •
4	Black Cherry	Sawtimber	4.6	MBF	26.3	\$16,838.90
	Mixed Aspen		49.8	MBF		
	B. T. Aspen		36.2	MBF		
	Quaking Aspen		13.6	MBF		
	Sugar Maple		2.1	MBF		
	Mixed Aspen	Pulpwood	426	Cords		
	B. T. Aspen		134	Cords		
	Quaking Aspen		292	Cords		
	Mixed Hardwood		51	Cords		
	Black Cherry		39	Cords		
	Ironwood		7	Cords		
	Sugar Maple		5	Cords		
5	Basswood	Sawtimber	82.9	MBF	47.9	\$39,768.15
	Black Cherry		1.2	MBF		
	Red Maple		32.6	MBF		
	Sugar Maple		61.3	MBF		
	Basswood	Pulpwood	100	Cords		
	Mixed Aspen		1	Cords		

DESCRIPTION OF TIMBER BY PAYMENT UNIT (PU), CON'T

PU	MARKET GROUP	PRODUCT	QUANTITY	UNIT	ACRES	ADVERTISE PRICE
5 con't	Quaking Aspen	Pulpwood	1	Cords		
	Mixed Hardwood		299	Cords		
	Beech		5	Cords		
	Black Cherry		7	Cords		
	Ironwood		18	Cords		
	Red Maple		61	Cords		
	Sugar Maple		208	Cords		
6	Basswood	Sawtimber	85.2	MBF	47.5	\$43,478.75
	Black Cherry		1.2	MBF		
	Red Maple		33.1	MBF		
	Sugar Maple		72.1	MBF		
	Basswood	Pulpwood	99	Cords		
	Mixed Aspen		1	Cords		
	Quaking Aspen		1	Cords		
	Mixed Hardwood		315	Cords		
	Beech		4	Cords		
	Black Cherry		6	Cords		
	Ironwood		17	Cords		
	Red Maple		60	Cords		
	Sugar Maple		228	Cords		
7	Basswood	Sawtimber	114.8	MBF	65.9	\$55,706.3
	Black Cherry		1.7	MBF		
	Red Maple		45.0	MBF		
	Sugar Maple		87.3	MBF		
	Basswood	Pulpwood	136	Cords		
	Mixed Aspen		1	Cords		
	Quaking Aspen		1	Cords		
	Mixed Hardwood		415	Cords		
	Beech		6	Cords		
	Black Cherry		9	Cords		
	Ironwood		23	Cords		
	Red Maple		84	Cords		
	Sugar Maple		293	Cords		
		TOTAL:	1,332.1	MBF		
		TOTAL:	3,202	Cords		

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Hart Woods

Sale Number: 61-115-22 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, red, and yellow paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against private property are marked with blue paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. Interior Payment Unit boundaries are marked with yellow paint. Regen gaps are marked with pink 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) 1-3 and 5-7, all trees are designated for cutting when marked with orange paint above and below stump height, regardless of merchantability. In addition, cut all aspen, beech, and ironwood, except those marked with an orange 'X'. Regen gaps are identified with pink paint and are also shown on the Timber Sale Map. Cut all trees greater than 4 feet tall, except for hemlock, within the pink boundary line.

2.1.5 - Overstory removal unit(s) (8/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 4, all trees with DBH equal to or greater than 4 inches which meet minimum piece specifications in 2.2 Utilization, are designated for cutting, except do not cut elm, apple, white pine, or trees marked with green paint. Also, do not cut sugar maple that is less than 6 inches in diameter.

2.2 - Utilization

2.2.4 - Skidding length (2/14)

Skidding of unlimbed tops or lengths over 17 feet is not permissible unless approved by the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

3 - Payments

3.3 - Pre-measured Sales

3.3.4 - Dividing payment units (7/14)

Payment Unit(s) with a value greater than \$15,000 may be divided at the request of the Purchaser and upon approval of the Unit Manager. Dividing Payment Units is a contract modification which requires a Timber Sale Contract Amendment. There will be only one division per Payment Unit.

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, within Payment Unit 4, extreme care should be taken to avoid damage to tree seedlings and saplings.

Within the Sale Area, if more than 20% of the maple seedlings or saplings (1/4" to 6.0" DBH) within a specified portion of the Sale Area are damaged, liquidated damages will be assessed at \$300 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 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

4.1.6 - 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 within 30 days of completion of hauling. Overgrown roads that are reopened shall be considered new roads. In general, this will require constructing double earthen berms at strategic locations. Stumps and brush must be placed along the remainder of the trail. These roads must be rendered impassable to cars and trucks. Temporary berms may be required if no sale activity occurs for 30 or more consecutive days. Contact the sale administrator for specific details of design and placement.

4.2 - Maintenance

4.2.1 - Hauling restriction (12/08)

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

5 - Operations

5.1 - Notification

5.1.3 - Well heads and natural gas pipelines (11/15)

The Purchaser is responsible for contacting the gas/pipeline company or MISS DIG (811) prior to operating equipment in the vicinity of well heads or natural gas pipelines.

5.2 - Conduct of Operations

5.2.1 - Slash

5.2.1.8 - Slash height (12/08)

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

5.2.1.10 - No slash in openings (5/10)

No brush or logging debris is to be left in the openings which is indicated by G0 and U0 on the Timber Sale Map. Any damage to the opening shall be repaired according to specifications of the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

5.2.3.3 - Bark slippage restriction (3/09)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1-7, unless changed by written agreement, cutting and skidding are not permitted during the period of April 15 to July 15. This restriction is because of bark slippage.

5.2.29 - Shrub protection (1/20)

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

5.2.32 - Decking/landing restoration (9/13)

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

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

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

5.4 - Soil Protection

5.4.1 - Rutting restriction, general (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.

5.8 - Protection of Endangered Species

5.8.5 - Protection of raptor nests (3/13)

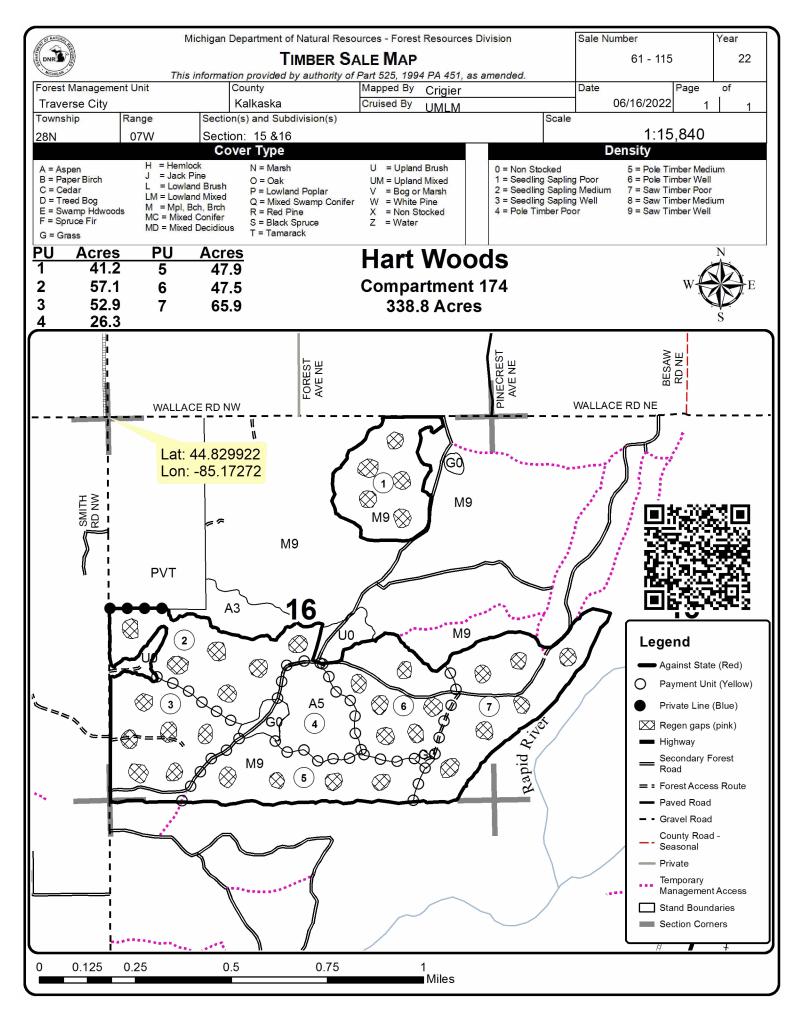
All trees with raptor nests will be protected if found during harvesting operations. Notification will be made to the Unit Manager or his/her representative who will notify the Wildlife Biologist so an on-site evaluation and recommendation can be made, if necessary.

6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

6.2 - Signing

6.2.1 - Road posting (10/20)

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on Wallace Road, Smith Road and any state forest roads that are used for hauling prior to beginning operations. The road must be posted at appropriate distances from the Sale Area to warn of logging activity and truck traffic. Signs must be removed when harvest operations are suspended or completed. The Purchaser will provide these signs.



TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

Rubus Hardwoods (61-117-22) T27N, R05W, SEC. 4. Kalkaska County (Advertised Price \$27,373.35)

SALE NOTE: All units of volume listed for this sale were estimated using the Inventory Manager computer program and the new Michigan taper model.

See sale spec 2.2.2 for information on required chipping.

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. All units of volume listed below were estimated using the Inventory Manager computer program and the new Michigan taper model. Bids must be at or above the following advertised price for each product and species:

ESTIMATE	D UNITS*	ADVI	ERTISED PRICE
25.1	MBF	\$	85.00 / MBF
4.0	MBF	\$	109.00 / MBF
20.2	MBF	\$	133.00 / MBF
37.1	MBF	\$	122.00 / MBF
43.8	MBF	\$	223.00 / MBF
2.2	MBF	\$	46.00 / MBF
1.7	MBF	\$	86.00 / MBF
458	Cords	\$	16.50 / Cord
1	Cords	\$	19.25 / Cord
	25.1 4.0 20.2 37.1 43.8 2.2 1.7	4.0 MBF 20.2 MBF 37.1 MBF 43.8 MBF 2.2 MBF 1.7 MBF 458 Cords	25.1 MBF \$ 4.0 MBF \$ 20.2 MBF \$ 37.1 MBF \$ 43.8 MBF \$ 2.2 MBF \$ 1.7 MBF \$ 458 Cords \$

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 11.86 percent. There are an estimated 828 cords on this timber sale, plus or minus 98 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 \$1,369.00 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 PERCENT OF TOTAL SALE VALUE 01

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 09/30/2024.

SALE STATISTICS

Volumes were calculated in cubic feet using the Michigan taper model. Cubic foot volume includes all wood inside bark for the product indicated. For display purposes, cubic feet were converted to cords and MBF using a simple conversion factor, e.g. 79 cubic feet per cord and 185 cubic feet per MBF. The cubic foot volumes are precise; the cords and MBF volumes are not. Cubic foot volume cannot be directly converted to cords or boards with precision.

SALE VOLUMES

The total estimated sale volume may not equal the sum of the species/products due to the nature of statistical calculations associated with double sampling methodology.

VOL	UME		STATISTICAL RANGE IN CORDS		
TOTAL CUBIC FEET TOTAL CORDS		PERCENT ERROR	MINIMUM	MAXIMUM	
65,385	828	11.86%	729	926	

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.

	VOLI	JME		RANGE IN CORDS	
VDU	TOTAL CUBIC FEET	TOTAL CORDS	PERCENT ERROR	MINIMUM	MAXIMUM
66	65,385	828	11.86%	729	926
TOTAL:	65,385	828		729	926

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.

\vdash	VDU	VDU ACRES	PU	PU ACRES
	66	40.5	1	40.5
┢	TOTAL:	40.5 40.5	!	40.5 40.5

DESCRIPTION OF TIMBER BY PAYMENT UNIT (PU)

PU	MARKET GROUP	PRODUCT	QUANTITY	UNIT	ACRES	ADVERTISE PRICE
1	Basswood	Sawtimber	25.1	MBF	40.5	\$27,373.35
	Beech		4.0	MBF		
	Black Cherry		20.2	MBF		
	Red Maple		37.1	MBF		
	Sugar Maple		43.8	MBF		
	White Pine		2.2	MBF		
	Yellow Birch		1.7	MBF		
	Mixed Hardwood	Pulpwood	458	Cords		
	Basswood		33	Cords		
	Beech		8	Cords		
	Black Cherry		26	Cords		
	Ironwood		3	Cords		
	Red Maple		81	Cords		
	Sugar Maple		305	Cords		
	Yellow Birch		2	Cords		
	White Pine		1	Cords		
		TOTAL:	134.1	MBF		
		TOTAL:	459	Cords		

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Rubus Hardwoods

Sale Number: 61-117-22 Seq#: 1

1 - Sale Area

1.2 - Boundaries

1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (9/19)

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.

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.

2.2 - Utilization

2.2.2 - Chipping required (2/18)

Payment Unit 1 must be chip harvested to facilitate future silvicultural activities. The Purchaser has the option to produce sawlogs or pulpwood bolts, but the remaining portion of the trees must be chipped and hauled. The requirement to retain approximately 1/6 to 1/3 of tree tops and limbs less than four inches in diameter is still applicable (G. C. & R. 2.2).

2.2.3 - Stump heights (4/07)

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

3 - Payments

3.3 - Pre-measured Sales

3.3.4 - Dividing payment units (7/14)

Payment Unit(s) 1 may be divided at the request of the Purchaser and upon approval of the Unit Manager. Dividing Payment Units is a contract modification which requires a Timber Sale Contract Amendment. There will be only one division per Payment Unit.

4 - Transportation

4.1 - Construction

4.1.6 - Road construction (1/09)

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.

4.1.12 - No new roads (1/12)

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

5 - Operations

5.2 - Conduct of Operations

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.

5.2.39 - ORV trail/route protection (4/18)

The ORV trail is shown on the Timber Sale Map. Trees with yellow ORV markers shall be cut off above the markers and at

least 5 feet above ground. All stumps within 5 feet of the trail must be cut flush with the ground. Maintain a 20-foot-wide slash, debris, and rut free zone daily using the ORV trail as the centerline. Do not run equipment down the ORV trail. Skidding across the trail or route may only occur in locations approved by the sale administrator.

5.4 - Soil Protection

5.4.1 - Rutting restriction, general (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.

5.8 - 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

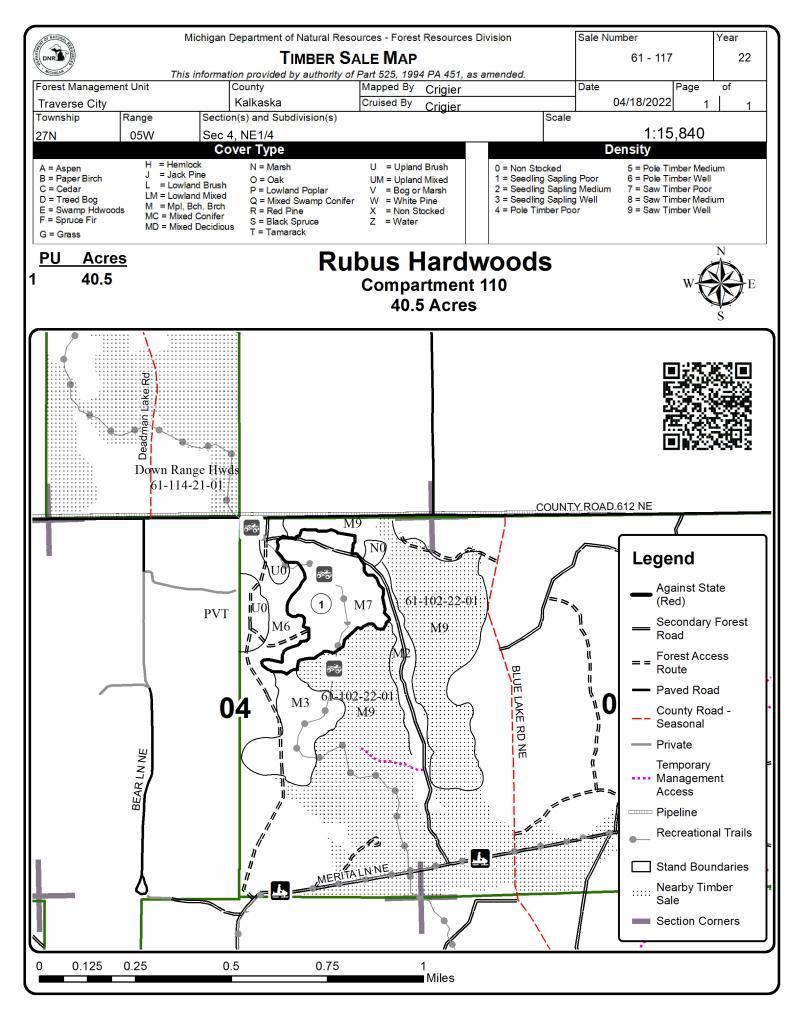
6.2 - Signing

6.2.1 - Road posting (10/20)

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on County Road 612 and State forest roads used for hauling prior to beginning operations. The road must be posted at appropriate distances from the Sale Area to warn of logging activity and truck traffic. Signs must be removed when harvest operations are suspended or completed. The Purchaser will provide these signs.

6.2.3 - Recreational trail posting (10/20)

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



BID FORM

Date:

Wild Duck Pine (61-106-22)

T26N, R08W, SEC. 4; T26N, R08W, SEC. 5; Kalkaska COUNTY

In response to the notice of sale to be held 4:00 p.m. (local time) on August 23, 2022, 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/UNIT
Red Oak	40.1	MBF	\$	161.00/MBF	\$
Red Pine	633.5	MBF	\$	131.00/MBF	\$
White Oak	23.9	MBF	\$	77.00/MBF	\$
White Pine	245.9	MBF	\$	66.00/MBF	\$
Pulpwood					
Mixed Oak	127	Cords	\$	24.75/Cord	\$
Red Maple	81	Cords	\$	24.00/Cord	\$
Red Pine	637	Cords	\$	53.55/Cord	\$
White Pine	315	Cords	\$	28.00/Cord	\$

*The volumes are statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 4.63 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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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:

Phone number :_____ Email (optional):_____

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sale	 This verification must be completed and submitted within 21 days of contract award and prior to the issuance of the timber sale contract. 						
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• All	Information must be typed or printed	except for written	signatures.				
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	Partnership						
C. [Corporation						
2. You	u must check <u>one</u> of the boxes below	v:					
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	I hereby certify that the above information is true and correct. I agree to notify the Michigan DNR of any changes that occur in factors affecting my coverage during any of my present and future operations.						
Signati	Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative						
Title	Title Date						

BID FORM

Blue Jay Mix (61-107-22) T26N, R08W, SEC. 5; Kalkaska COUNTY

In response to the notice of sale to be held 4:00 p.m. (local time) on August 23, 2022, 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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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 representative's name:			
Address:			_
City:	State:	Zip:	_

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

Individual or company representative's signature: ______ Date: _____

Phone number :_____ Email (optional):_____

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Title	Title Date						

BID FORM

Rubus Hardwoods (61-117-22) T27N, R05W, SEC. 4; Kalkaska COUNTY

In response to the notice of sale to be held 4:00 p.m. (local time) on August 23, 2022, 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/UNIT
Basswood	25.1	MBF	\$	85.00/MBF	\$
Beech	4.0	MBF	\$	109.00/MBF	\$
Black Cherry	20.2	MBF	\$	133.00/MBF	\$
Red Maple	37.1	MBF	\$	122.00/MBF	\$
Sugar Maple	43.8	MBF	\$	223.00/MBF	\$
White Pine	2.2	MBF	\$	46.00/MBF	\$
Yellow Birch	1.7	MBF	\$	86.00/MBF	\$
Pulpwood					
Mixed Hardwood	458	Cords	\$	16.50/Cord	\$
White Pine	1	Cords	\$	19.25/Cord	\$

*The volumes are statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 11.86 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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Company representative's name:			
Address:			_
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Individual or company representative's signature:

Phone number :

_____ Email (optional):___

Date:

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BID FORM

Hart Woods (61-115-22)

T28N, R07W, SEC. 15; T28N, R07W, SEC. 16; T28N, R07W, SEC. 21; Kalkaska

In response to the notice of sale to be held 4:00 p.m. (local time) on August 23, 2022, 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/UNIT
Basswood	590.5	MBF	\$	108.00/MBF	\$
Beech	2.3	MBF	\$	139.00/MBF	\$
Black Cherry	11.5	MBF	\$	170.00/MBF	\$
Mixed Aspen	49.8	MBF	\$	120.00/MBF	\$
Red Maple	212.6	MBF	\$	155.00/MBF	\$
Sugar Maple	464.0	MBF	\$	284.00/MBF	\$
Yellow Birch	1.4	MBF	\$	110.00/MBF	\$
Pulpwood					
Basswood	698	Cords	\$	18.50/Cord	\$
Mixed Aspen	431	Cords	\$	19.75/Cord	\$
Mixed Hardwood	2,073	Cords	\$	21.00/Cord	\$

*The volumes are statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 3.43 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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Company representative's name:			
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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 number :_____ Email (optional):_____

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BID FORM

Date:

The Apprentice Hardwoods (61-102-22)

T27N, R05W, SEC. 10; T27N, R05W, SEC. 3; T27N, R05W, SEC. 4; T27N, R05W,

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PRODUCTS & SPECIES Sawtimber	<u>ESTIMATED</u>	VOLUME*	<u>AD</u>	VERTISED PRICE	BID PRICE/UNIT
Basswood	166.4	MBF	\$	85.00/MBF	\$
Black Cherry	118.6	MBF	\$	133.00/MBF	\$
Mixed Aspen	21.8	MBF	\$	94.00/MBF	\$
Red Maple	71.5	MBF	\$	122.00/MBF	\$
Sugar Maple	542.4	MBF	\$	223.00/MBF	\$
Yellow Birch	2.8	MBF	\$	86.00/MBF	\$
Pulpwood					
Mixed Aspen	70	Cords	\$	15.55/Cord	\$
Mixed Hardwood	2,325	Cords	\$	16.50/Cord	\$

*The volumes are statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 5.54 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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	 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). 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. 							
 If you have checked item 2(A) or 2(B), you must indicate the number of both full-time and part-time employees, other than yourself, including family members and active partners (if none, you must enter "0"). 								
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