



**DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
STATE OF MICHIGAN
TIMBER SALE PROSPECTUS #7487**

SCHEDULED SALE DATE AND TIME: 10:00 a.m. (local time) on October 7, 2024.

LOCATION: SE REGION-WILD, 3580 STATE PARK DRIVE, BAY CITY, MI 48706.

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 Game Area Manager, LAPEER SGA, for certain timber on the following described lands:

Roods Lake Mix (28-004-24) / T08N, R10E, SEC. 10, N1/2NW,NE.

Lapeer County, Advertised Price \$27,515.60, 62.3 Acres, Aspen, Hardwood.

SALE NOTE: Access may be through other public land.

Tucker Lake Aspen (55-147-24) / T12N, R08E, SEC. 25, NE,N1/2SE,SESE.

Tuscola County, Advertised Price \$43,148.60, 57.1 Acres, Aspen, Hardwood.

SALE NOTE: Access may be through other public land.

Powerline Aspen (55-150-24) / T12N, R10E, SEC. 1, S1/2NW,NESW,NWSE,S1/2SE.

Tuscola County, Advertised Price \$29,169.55, 51.4 Acres, Hardwood, Aspen.

SALE NOTE: Access may be through other public land.

BID INSTRUCTIONS (VER. 10/10/2022):

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

Bids must be received by the Unit Manager, BAY CITY OFFICE, 3580 State Park Drive, Bay City, MI 48706, no later than 10:00 a.m. (local time) on October 7, 2024. For further information concerning this sale, contact Don Bonnette at 989-385-5616.

2. Bidder's Qualifications (10/22)

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. A person must be 18 years of age or older to purchase timber. Permanent employees of the Department of Natural Resources or members of their immediate household may not bid. Former employees, in the permanent or seasonal class, may not bid until 3 months after the last day of active duty. 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. Worker's Compensation (10/22)

Purchaser shall obtain worker's 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. Verification of Worker's Disability Compensation Act Compliance must be completed and submitted within 21 days of contract award and prior to the issuance of the timber sale contract. In addition, if applicable, Notice of Exclusion or Certificate of Insurance must also be submitted.

10. Timber Sale Contract (10/22)

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 ($\$1,500/\$10,000 * 100$).

11. Disclaimer of Estimates and Bidder's Warranty of Inspection (10/22)

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.

12. Certification and Chain-of-Custody (10/22)

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.

13. Good Neighbor Authority (GNA) Requirements (10/22)

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).

14. Good Neighbor Authority (GNA) Requirements, con't (10/22)

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.

Scott Bowen
Director

TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

Roods Lake Mix (28-004-24)
T08N, R10E, SEC. 10.
Lapeer County (Advertised Price \$27,515.60)

SALE NOTE: Access may be through 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 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:

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawtimber		
Mixed Aspen	274.8 MBF	\$ 30.00 / MBF
Red Pine	61.6 MBF	\$ 71.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Mixed Aspen	440 Cords	\$ 12.75 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	351 Cords	\$ 12.00 / Cord
Red Pine	188 Cords	\$ 27.00 / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 26.93 percent. There are an estimated 1,766 cords on this timber sale, plus or minus 476 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 \$1,376.00 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	41.6%
02	15.0%
03	43.4%

4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 12/31/2026.

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 RANGE IN CORDS		
TOTAL CUBIC FEET	TOTAL CORDS	PERCENT ERROR	MINIMUM	MAXIMUM
139,485	1,766	26.93%	1,290	2,241

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.

VDU	VOLUME		PERCENT ERROR	RANGE IN CORDS	
	TOTAL CUBIC FEET	TOTAL CORDS		MINIMUM	MAXIMUM
3	71,760	908	41.75%	529	1,288
25	20,740	263	80.56%	51	474
27	21,152	268	77.57%	60	475
78	25,834	327	44.70%	181	473
TOTAL:	139,485	1,766		821	2,710

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
3	21.8	1	21.8
25	10.3	3	10.3
27	11.4	3	11.4
78	18.8	2	18.8
TOTAL:	62.3		62.3

DESCRIPTION OF TIMBER BY PAYMENT UNIT (PU)

PU	MARKET GROUP	PRODUCT	QUANTITY	UNIT	ACRES	ADVERTISE PRICE
1	Mixed Aspen	Sawtimber	146.7	MBF	21.8	\$11,445.75
	<i>B. T. Aspen</i>		142.5	<i>MBF</i>		
	<i>Cottonwood</i>		4.2	<i>MBF</i>		
	Mixed Aspen	Pulpwood	337	Cords		
	<i>B. T. Aspen</i>		320	<i>Cords</i>		
	<i>Cottonwood</i>		17	<i>Cords</i>		
	Mixed Hardwood		229	Cords		
	<i>Black Cherry</i>		27	<i>Cords</i>		
	<i>Paper Birch</i>		5	<i>Cords</i>		
	<i>Red Maple</i>		105	<i>Cords</i>		
	<i>Sassafras</i>		92	<i>Cords</i>		
	2		Mixed Aspen	Sawtimber		
<i>B. T. Aspen</i>		86.3	<i>MBF</i>			
Mixed Aspen		Pulpwood	45	Cords		
<i>B. T. Aspen</i>			45	<i>Cords</i>		
Mixed Hardwood			80	Cords		
<i>Black Cherry</i>			7	<i>Cords</i>		
<i>Ironwood</i>			4	<i>Cords</i>		
<i>Sassafras</i>			69	<i>Cords</i>		
3	Mixed Aspen	Sawtimber	41.8	MBF	21.7	\$11,947.10
	<i>B. T. Aspen</i>		41.8	<i>MBF</i>		
	Red Pine	Pulpwood	61.6	MBF		
	Mixed Aspen		58	Cords		
	<i>B. T. Aspen</i>		58	<i>Cords</i>		
	Mixed Hardwood		42	Cords		
	<i>Black Cherry</i>		26	<i>Cords</i>		
	<i>Red Maple</i>		16	<i>Cords</i>		
	Red Pine		188	Cords		
TOTAL:			336.4	MBF		
TOTAL:			979	Cords		

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Roods Lake Mix

Sale Number: 28-004-24 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. The painted boundary line trees are not Included Timber and are to be protected. Yellow painted trees designating an interior Payment Unit boundary are only to be cut when all surrounding Payment Units have been paid.

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1-3, cut all red pine and oak marked with orange paint and all other trees that are two (2) inches or more at DBH, except do not cut white pine, hickory, beech, apple and walnut.

Special protection trees identified in accordance with condition 3.4.2, within clearcutting unit boundaries, are not Included Timber and are to be protected.

2.2 - Utilization

2.2.3 - Stump heights (4/07)

Stump heights within the Sale Area shall not exceed 6 inches for all trees.

2.2.4 - Skidding length (2/14)

Skidding of unlimbed tops is not permissible.

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.

Within Payment Unit 3, if more than 25% of the tree seedlings or saplings (1/4" to 4.5" DBH) within a specified portion of the Sale Area are damaged, liquidated damages will be assessed at \$200 per acre for all acreage within that specified portion of the Sale Area that was damaged.

3.4.2 - Special Protection Trees (4/14)

The Purchaser shall not cut live or dead special protection trees within cutting units or clearings. Special protection trees are unmarked oak, unmarked red pine, hickory, walnut and apple. If the Purchaser's operations have cut or damaged special protection trees through carelessness, the Purchaser shall pay \$250 as fixed, agreed and liquidated damages for each special protection tree cut or damaged. Such payment does not constitute ownership of the undesignated timber.

3.6 - Payment Unit Cutting Schedule

3.6.2 - One active unit (12/08)

Each Payment Unit must be completed to the satisfaction of the Unit Manager or his/her representative before the next unit may be opened. The Purchaser must give 3 days' notice before finishing a Payment Unit to allow for inspection.

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.

4.1.6 - Road construction (4/24)

Improvements to existing roads used to access any Payment Unit 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 in any Payment Unit. All operations are limited to existing roads. Skid trails only will be allowed within any Payment Unit.

4.2 - Maintenance

4.2.3 - Road maintenance (8/13)

The following road maintenance is required: Within 30 days of completion of hauling, or if no hauling occurs for 30 days, roads 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.

4.2.5 - Two wheel drive condition (2/04)

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

4.4 - Access

4.4.3 - Access gate (12/08)

The access gate at the end of Roods Lake Road and at the corner of Sawdust Corners Road must be locked at all times. This is to prevent unauthorized vehicular and ORV access to the interior of the State Game Area.

4.4.4 - Restricted access (10/05)

Any vehicle barriers (gates, guard rail, berms etc.) removed during the course of operations shall be replaced in their original location and in their original condition. Any damage to gates, guard rail or vehicle barriers 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 to determine landing and road locations. The Sale Administrator or his/her representative must be contacted at least 10 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.

5.2.1.10 - No slash in openings (5/10)

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

5.2.1.11 - Slash for reforestation (3/21)

To facilitate reforestation, the Sale Area shall be left with slash evenly distributed. Bunched and processed tops within the cutting area shall be broken up and scattered to the point that ground is easily visible through slash. Compacted layers of slash are strictly prohibited.

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. All standing dead trees (snags) shall be protected and left standing.

5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

5.2.3.1 - Operating restrictions (9/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1-3, the operation of feller bunchers is not permitted before 7am or after 9pm. This restriction is due to the close proximity of residences to the Sale Area.

5.2.3.2 - Operating restrictions (9/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1-3, cutting, skidding, and hauling are not permitted from October 1 to November 30. This restriction is required to reduce disturbance during the regular archery and firearm deer seasons.

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

Within all Payment Units, 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. No exceptions will be granted. This is necessary to reduce the spread of oak wilt.

5.2.31 - Landing locations (9/13)

The location of landings will be determined in the pre-sale conference. Landings must be confined to designated sites unless otherwise authorized by the Unit Manager or his/her representative. 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 any designated parking area. Additionally, no equipment storage is allowed in any designated parking area.

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 skid trails or within the Sale Area 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.

7 - Other Conditions

7.10 - Certified Timber

7.10.1 - Non-certified timber (2/16)

The area encompassed by this timber sale is not certified to the standards of the Forest Stewardship Council (FSC) or the Sustainable Forestry Initiative (SFI). Forest products from this sale may not be delivered to the mill as "FSC and / or SFI

certified". The lands within this sale are managed as a State Game Area.



TIMBER SALE MAP

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

Sale Number

28-004-24

Date

07/29/2024

Forest Management Unit

Lapeer Sga

County

Lapeer

Mapped By: Bonnette

Cruised By: Bonnette

Scale

1:15,840

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Of

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Township
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Range
10E

Section(s) and
Subdivision(s) Sec. 10 N1/2NW,NE;

Cover Type

A = Aspen	J = Jack Pine	O = Oak	U = Upland Brush
B = Paper Birch	K = Rock	P = Lowland Poplar	UM = Upland Mix Forest
C = Cedar	L = Lowland Brush	Q = Mixed Swamp Conifer	V = Bog or Marsh
D = Treed Bog	LM = Lowland Mix Forest	R = Red Pine	W = White Pine
E = Swamp Hardwoods	M = Maple, Beech, Birch	S = Black Spruce	X = Non Stocked
F = Spruce/Fir	MC = Mixed Conifer	T = Tamarack	Y = Sand
G = Grass	MD = Mixed Deciduous	Z = Water	
H = Hemlock	N = Marsh		

Density

0 = Non Stocked	5 = Pole Timber Medium
1 = Seedling Sapling Poor	6 = Pole Timber Well
2 = Seedling Sapling Medium	7 = Saw Timber Poor
3 = Seedling Sapling Well	8 = Saw Timber Medium
4 = Pole Timber Poor	9 = Saw Timber Well

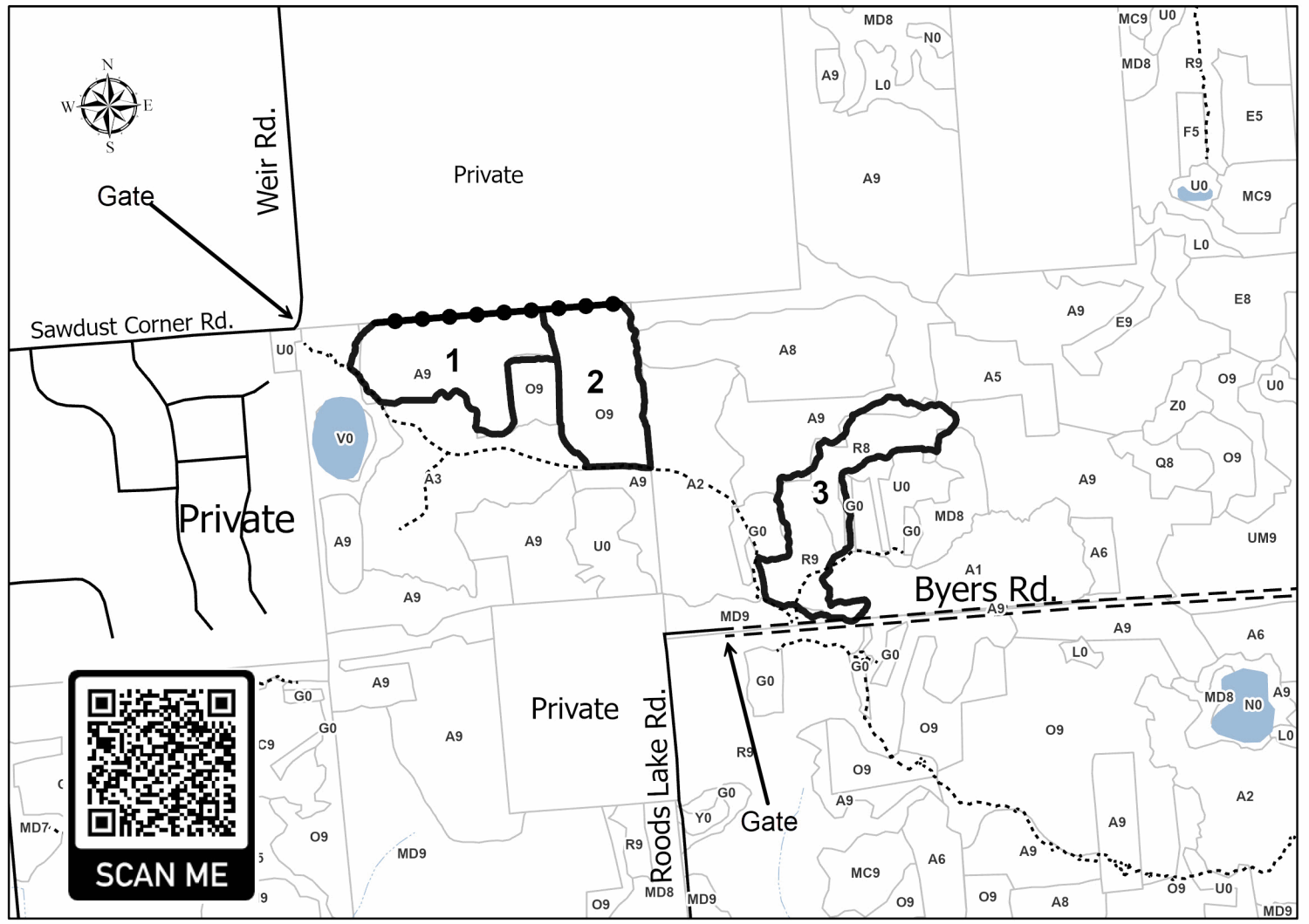
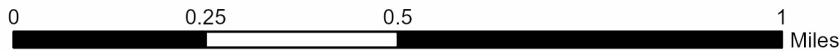
Legend

- Against State (Red)
- Stand
- Private Line (Blue)
- Primary Forest Road
- Forest Access Route
- Administrative Access Only
- Paved Road
- Government Gravel/Dirt
- Private Gravel/Dirt

PU #	Acres
1	21.8
2	18.8
3	21.7

Roods Lake Mix

62.3 Acres



BID INSTRUCTIONS (VER. 10/10/2022):

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

Bids must be received by the Unit Manager, BAY CITY OFFICE, 3580 State Park Drive, Bay City, MI 48706, no later than 10:00 a.m. (local time) on October 7, 2024. For further information concerning this sale, contact Don Bonnette at 989-385-5616.

2. Bidder's Qualifications (10/22)

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. A person must be 18 years of age or older to purchase timber. Permanent employees of the Department of Natural Resources or members of their immediate household may not bid. Former employees, in the permanent or seasonal class, may not bid until 3 months after the last day of active duty. 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. Worker's Compensation (10/22)

Purchaser shall obtain worker's 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. Verification of Worker's Disability Compensation Act Compliance must be completed and submitted within 21 days of contract award and prior to the issuance of the timber sale contract. In addition, if applicable, Notice of Exclusion or Certificate of Insurance must also be submitted.

10. Timber Sale Contract (10/22)

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 ($\$1,500/\$10,000 * 100$).

11. Disclaimer of Estimates and Bidder's Warranty of Inspection (10/22)

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.

12. Certification and Chain-of-Custody (10/22)

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.

13. Good Neighbor Authority (GNA) Requirements (10/22)

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).

14. Good Neighbor Authority (GNA) Requirements, con't (10/22)

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.

Scott Bowen
Director

TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

Tucker Lake Aspen (55-147-24)
T12N, R08E, SEC. 25.
Tuscola County (Advertised Price \$43,148.60)

SALE NOTE: Access may be through 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 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:

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawtimber		
Black Cherry	40.9 MBF	\$ 68.00 / MBF
Green Ash	5.9 MBF	\$ 23.00 / MBF
Mixed Aspen	586.5 MBF	\$ 38.00 / MBF
Red Maple	75.4 MBF	\$ 45.00 / MBF
Sugar Maple	2.8 MBF	\$ 71.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Jack Pine	6 Cords	\$ 9.40 / Cord
Mixed Aspen	826 Cords	\$ 11.25 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	417 Cords	\$ 12.00 / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 34.11 percent. There are an estimated 2,914 cords on this timber sale, plus or minus 994 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 \$2,157.00 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	30.1%
02	39.6%
03	30.3%
4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 04/01/2026.

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		PERCENT ERROR	STATISTICAL RANGE IN CORDS	
TOTAL CUBIC FEET	TOTAL CORDS		MINIMUM	MAXIMUM
230,198	2,914	34.11%	1,920	3,908

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.

VDU	VOLUME		PERCENT ERROR	RANGE IN CORDS	
	TOTAL CUBIC FEET	TOTAL CORDS		MINIMUM	MAXIMUM
5	69,765	883	34.19%	581	1,185
13	90,487	1,145	25.87%	849	1,442
15	67,087	849	35.81%	545	1,153
16	2,859	36	109.49%	0	76
TOTAL:	230,198	2,914		1,975	3,856

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
5	19.8	1	19.8
13	18.4	2	18.4
15	17.3	3	17.3
16	1.6	3	1.6
TOTAL:	57.1		57.1

DESCRIPTION OF TIMBER BY PAYMENT UNIT (PU)

PU	MARKET GROUP	PRODUCT	QUANTITY	UNIT	ACRES	ADVERTISE PRICE	
1	Black Cherry	Sawtimber	14.5	MBF	19.8	\$12,988.90	
	Green Ash		0.8	MBF			
	Mixed Aspen		161.0	MBF			
	<i>B. T. Aspen</i>		161.0	<i>MBF</i>			
	Red Maple		22.8	MBF			
	Mixed Aspen		Pulpwood	218			Cords
	<i>B. T. Aspen</i>			218			<i>Cords</i>
	Mixed Hardwood			199			Cords
	<i>Black Cherry</i>			86			<i>Cords</i>
	<i>Green Ash</i>			4			<i>Cords</i>
	<i>Paper Birch</i>			3			<i>Cords</i>
	<i>Red Maple</i>			106			<i>Cords</i>
2	Black Cherry	Sawtimber	14.4	MBF	18.4	\$17,107.05	
	Green Ash		5.1	MBF			
	Mixed Aspen		234.5	MBF			
	<i>B. T. Aspen</i>		234.5	<i>MBF</i>			
	Red Maple		34.9	MBF			
	Sugar Maple		2.8	MBF			
	Mixed Aspen		Pulpwood	301			Cords
	<i>B. T. Aspen</i>			301			<i>Cords</i>
	Mixed Hardwood			162			Cords
	<i>Basswood</i>			7			<i>Cords</i>
	<i>Black Cherry</i>			22			<i>Cords</i>
	<i>Green Ash</i>			13			<i>Cords</i>
	<i>Red Maple</i>			106			<i>Cords</i>
	<i>Sugar Maple</i>			14			<i>Cords</i>
3	Black Cherry	Sawtimber	12.0	MBF	18.9	\$13,052.65	
	Mixed Aspen		191.0	MBF			
	<i>B. T. Aspen</i>		167.5	<i>MBF</i>			
	<i>Cottonwood</i>		13.7	<i>MBF</i>			
	<i>Quaking Aspen</i>		9.8	<i>MBF</i>			
	Red Maple		17.7	MBF			
	Jack Pine		Pulpwood	6			Cords
	Mixed Aspen			307			Cords
	<i>B. T. Aspen</i>			275			<i>Cords</i>
	<i>Cottonwood</i>			17			<i>Cords</i>
	<i>Quaking Aspen</i>			15			<i>Cords</i>
	Mixed Hardwood			56			Cords
	<i>Black Cherry</i>			11			<i>Cords</i>
	<i>Paper Birch</i>			3			<i>Cords</i>
	<i>Red Maple</i>		42	<i>Cords</i>			
TOTAL:			711.5	MBF			
TOTAL:			1,249	Cords			

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Tucker Lake Aspen

Sale Number: 55-147-24 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 blue paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against private property are marked with blue paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. The painted boundary line trees are not Included Timber and are to be protected.

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

2.1.1 - 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, with the following exceptions:

- Do not cut any oak, hemlock, white pine, beech, or cedar trees.
- Do not cut any trees marked with green paint.

Special protection trees identified in accordance with condition 3.4.2, within clearcutting unit boundaries, are not Included Timber and are to be protected.

2.2 - Utilization

2.2.3 - Stump heights (4/07)

Stump heights within the Sale Area shall not exceed 12 inches for trees greater than 10 inches DBH and 4 inches for trees smaller than 10 inches DBH.

2.2.5 - Limbed tree skidding (1/09)

The skidding of whole trees or tree segments with limbs attached is prohibited.

3 - Payments

3.4 - Damaged Timber

3.4.2 - Special Protection Trees (4/14)

The Purchaser shall not cut live or dead special protection trees within cutting units or clearings. Special protection trees are oak, hemlock, cedar, white pine and beech. If the Purchaser's operations have cut or damaged special protection trees through carelessness, the Purchaser shall pay \$200 as fixed, agreed and liquidated damages for each special protection tree cut or damaged. Such payment does not constitute ownership of the undesignated timber.

3.6 - Payment Unit Cutting Schedule

3.6.2 - One active unit (12/08)

Each Payment Unit must be completed to the satisfaction of the Unit Manager or his/her representative before the next unit may be opened.

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.

4.1.6 - 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)

Any roads into the sale must be blocked to vehicle traffic upon completion of the sale. 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. 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

4.2.4 - Grading (10/16)

For completion of the sale, temporary skid trails and roads must be graded. In general, this will require a road grader or bulldozer to shape up skid trails and/or 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

4.4.3 - Access gate (12/08)

The access gate to Payment Unit 2 must be locked at all times. This is to prevent unauthorized access and to prevent someone other than the Purchaser from going through the gate and being locked in.

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.

5.1.4 - Post-sale conference (10/16)

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

5.2 - Conduct of Operations

5.2.1 - Slash

5.2.1.8 - Slash height (12/08)

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

5.2.1.10 - No slash in openings (5/10)

No brush or logging debris is to be left in the maintained wildlife opening which is indicated by G0 or 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.

5.2.2 - 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. This includes all standing dead timber within the Sale Area.

5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

5.2.3.1 - Operating restrictions (9/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1-3, unless changed by written agreement, cutting, skidding, and hauling are not permitted during the period of March 10 to September 1 and is limited to dry or frozen ground conditions at any other time. The Sale Administrator will determine what constitutes dry or frozen ground conditions. This restriction is necessary to minimize disturbance to nesting and breeding wildlife and reduce the risk of rutting on sensitive soils.

5.2.3.2 - Operating restrictions (9/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1-3, operating feller bunchers before 7 AM and after 9 PM is prohibited. This restriction is due

to the close proximity of residences to the Sale Area.

5.2.3.11 - Coppice regeneration protection (4/10)

Timber harvesting in any Payment Unit must be completed before significant aspen sprouting occurs in that Payment Unit so as to minimize damage to the new regeneration.

5.2.3.12 - Hunting operating restriction (1/18)

No Payment Unit may be started during the period of September 25 through October 5 or November 1 through November 30 without permission of the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

5.2.31 - Landing locations (9/13)

Landing locations will be determined in the pre-sale meeting. Landings must be confined to these agreed upon designated sites unless otherwise authorized by the Unit Manager or his/her representative. In general, landings are limited to a "T" turnaround which will accommodate a truck with a 50-foot trailer and should be no larger than absolutely necessary.

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 any parking area. Equipment storage is not allowed in any parking area.

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

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

5.3 - Stream Protection

5.3.2 - Parking equipment near water (10/23)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1-3, the parking of or storage of equipment is prohibited within 100 feet of water bodies or ground water supplies. All equipment, when not in use for harvest operations, must be parked a minimum of 100 feet away from water sources (streams, rivers, lakes, ponds, vernal pools, ground water sources) and 50 feet away from slopes leading to water sources and/or riparian areas. This restriction is for preventing unforeseen oil and/or fluid leaks from contaminating water bodies and/or ground water supplies.

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 the Sale Area, roads and skid trails which is 12 inches or greater in depth and 50 feet in length. The Unit Manager or his/her representative may restrict hauling and/or skidding if ruts exceed the specified depth. With the Unit Manager or his/her representative's approval, the Purchaser may return to the area when the risk of rutting has decreased.

5.4.2 - Skid trails (2/04)

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

5.4.3 - Erosion control (12/08)

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

5.4.4 - Slope protection (9/19)

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

5.7 - Protection of Historical Sites

5.7.2 - Potential historical site(s) (9/06)

The State Historic Preservation Office has identified the potential for a historic site within the boundary of this timber sale. Note that if the site is discovered during operations, General Condition and Requirement 5.7 - Protection of Historical Sites will apply.

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 Washburn 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.

7 - Other Conditions

7.10 - Certified Timber

7.10.1 - Non-certified timber (2/16)

The area encompassed by this timber sale is not certified to the standards of the Forest Stewardship Council (FSC) or the Sustainable Forestry Initiative (SFI). Forest products from this sale may not be delivered to the mill as "FSC and / or SFI certified". The lands within this sale are managed as a State Game Area.



TIMBER SALE MAP

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

Sale Number

55-147-24

Date

04/04/2024

Forest Management Unit

County

Mapped By: **Bonnette**

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Cass City Field Office

Tuscola

Cruised By: **Bonnette**

Township
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Section(s) and
Subdivision(s) Sec. 25 NE,N1/2SE,SESE;

Cover Type

A = Aspen	J = Jack Pine	O = Oak	U = Upland Brush
B = Paper Birch	K = Rock	P = Lowland Poplar	UM = Upland Mix Forest
C = Cedar	L = Lowland Brush	Q = Mixed Swamp Conifer	V = Bog or Marsh
D = Treed Bog	LM = Lowland Mix Forest	R = Red Pine	W = White Pine
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H = Hemlock	N = Marsh		

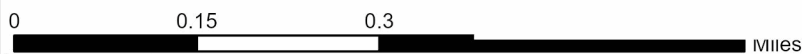
Density

0 = Non Stocked	5 = Pole Timber Medium
1 = Seedling Sapling Poor	6 = Pole Timber Well
2 = Seedling Sapling Medium	7 = Saw Timber Poor
3 = Seedling Sapling Well	8 = Saw Timber Medium
4 = Pole Timber Poor	9 = Saw Timber Well

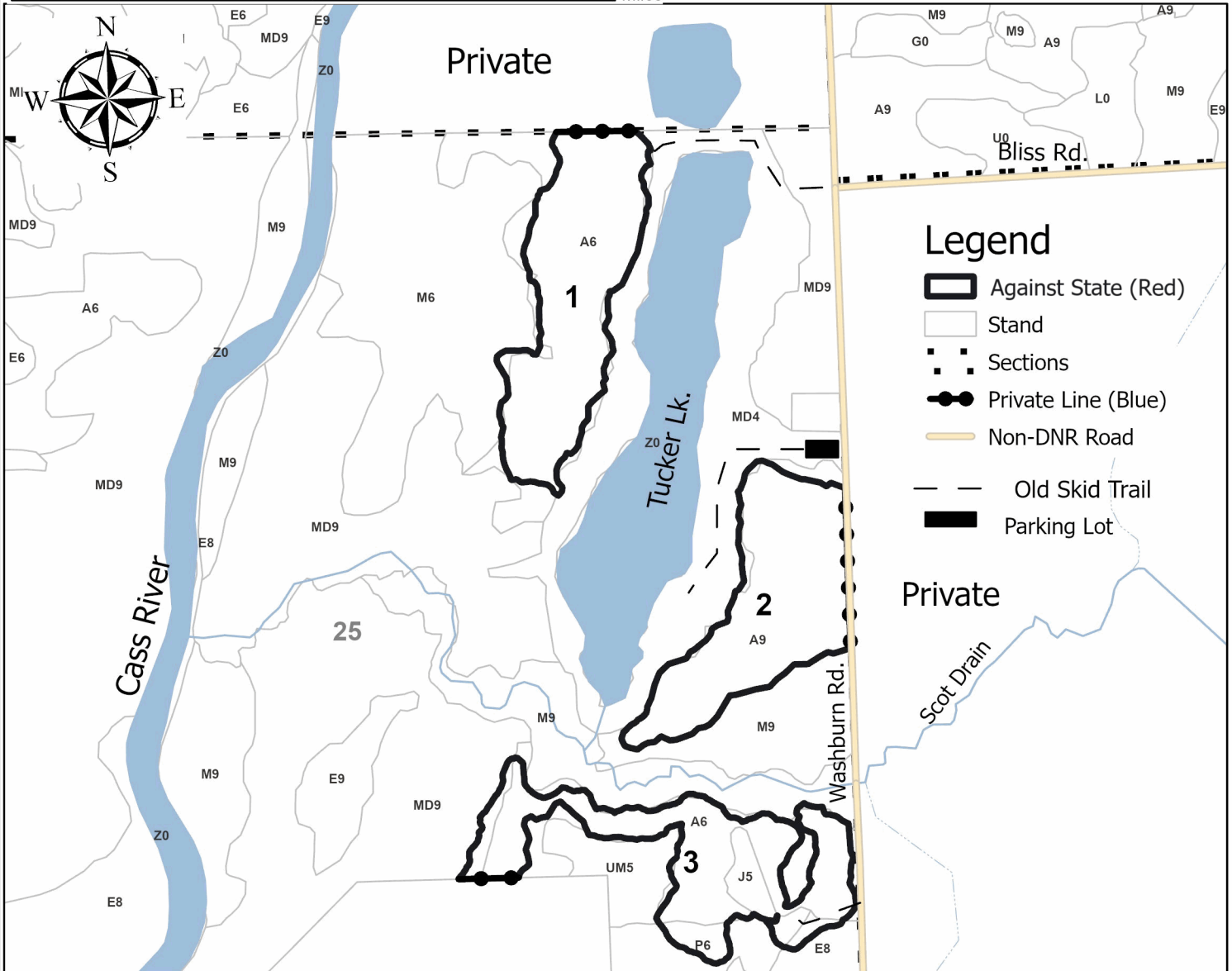


PU 1 19.8 Acres
PU 2 18.4 Acres
PU 3 18.9 Acres

Tucker Lake Aspen 57.1 Acres



Use QR Code to open Map in App



Legend

- Against State (Red)
- Stand
- Sections
- Private Line (Blue)
- Non-DNR Road
- Old Skid Trail
- Parking Lot

Private

TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

Powerline Aspen (55-150-24)
 T12N, R10E, SEC. 1.
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Black Cherry	16.5 MBF	\$ 60.00 / MBF
Mixed Aspen	298.0 MBF	\$ 33.00 / MBF
Red Maple	156.9 MBF	\$ 38.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
Mixed Aspen	364 Cords	\$ 12.00 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	151 Cords	\$ 14.25 / Cord
Red Maple	428 Cords	\$ 13.70 / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 17.77 percent. There are an estimated 2,052 cords on this timber sale, plus or minus 365 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:

- A bond in the amount of \$1,458.00 to insure faithful performance of the conditions of the contract will be deposited by the successful bidder within 21 days of the sale award.
- Cutting in any sale or unit without the required advance payment would be considered a trespass.
- Total payment must be paid in advance or according to the following schedule :
 - Ten percent (10%) of the sale value must be paid within 21 days of the sale award.
 - The 10% down payment will be credited towards the first unit cut.
 - 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	56.9%
02	25.4%
03	17.7%
- If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 12/31/2026.

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 RANGE IN CORDS		
TOTAL CUBIC FEET	TOTAL CORDS	PERCENT ERROR	MINIMUM	MAXIMUM
162,114	2,052	17.77%	1,687	2,417

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.

VDU	VOLUME		PERCENT ERROR	RANGE IN CORDS	
	TOTAL CUBIC FEET	TOTAL CORDS		MINIMUM	MAXIMUM
1	132,114	1,672	20.78%	1,325	2,020
3	30,000	380	31.94%	258	501
TOTAL:	162,114	2,052		1,583	2,521

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
1	44.1	1	30.5
		2	13.6
3	7.3	3	7.3
TOTAL:	51.4		51.4

DESCRIPTION OF TIMBER BY PAYMENT UNIT (PU)

PU	MARKET GROUP	PRODUCT	QUANTITY	UNIT	ACRES	ADVERTISE PRICE	
1	Black Cherry	Sawtimber	11.4	MBF	30.5	\$16,614.10	
	Mixed Aspen		132.6	MBF			
	<i>B. T. Aspen</i>		116.8	<i>MBF</i>			
	<i>Balsam Poplar</i>		1.3	<i>MBF</i>			
	<i>Cottonwood</i>		2.1	<i>MBF</i>			
	<i>Quaking Aspen</i>		12.4	<i>MBF</i>			
	Red Maple		106.6	MBF			
	Mixed Aspen	Pulpwood	194	Cords			
	<i>B. T. Aspen</i>		137	<i>Cords</i>			
	<i>Balsam Poplar</i>		1	<i>Cords</i>			
	<i>Cottonwood</i>		3	<i>Cords</i>			
	<i>Quaking Aspen</i>		53	<i>Cords</i>			
	Mixed Hardwood		94	Cords			
	<i>Green Ash</i>		<i>Sawtimber</i>	1.7			<i>MBF</i>
	<i>Silver Maple</i>			5.9			<i>MBF</i>
	<i>American Elm</i>		<i>Pulpwood</i>	6			<i>Cords</i>
	<i>Black Cherry</i>			39			<i>Cords</i>
	<i>Green Ash</i>			15			<i>Cords</i>
	<i>Paper Birch</i>			13			<i>Cords</i>
	<i>Silver Maple</i>			6			<i>Cords</i>
Red Maple	280	Cords					
2	Black Cherry	Sawtimber		5.1	MBF	13.6	\$7,394.90
	Mixed Aspen		59.2	MBF			
	<i>B. T. Aspen</i>		52.1	<i>MBF</i>			
	<i>Balsam Poplar</i>		0.6	<i>MBF</i>			
	<i>Cottonwood</i>		0.9	<i>MBF</i>			
	<i>Quaking Aspen</i>		5.6	<i>MBF</i>			
	Red Maple		47.6	MBF			
	Mixed Aspen	Pulpwood	87	Cords			
	<i>B. T. Aspen</i>		61	<i>Cords</i>			
	<i>Balsam Poplar</i>		1	<i>Cords</i>			
	<i>Cottonwood</i>		1	<i>Cords</i>			
	<i>Quaking Aspen</i>		24	<i>Cords</i>			
	Mixed Hardwood		40	Cords			
	<i>Green Ash</i>		<i>Sawtimber</i>	0.8	<i>MBF</i>		
	<i>Silver Maple</i>			2.6	<i>MBF</i>		
	<i>American Elm</i>		<i>Pulpwood</i>	2	<i>Cords</i>		
	<i>Black Cherry</i>			17	<i>Cords</i>		
	<i>Green Ash</i>			6	<i>Cords</i>		
	<i>Paper Birch</i>			6	<i>Cords</i>		
	<i>Silver Maple</i>			2	<i>Cords</i>		
Red Maple	125	Cords					
3	Mixed Aspen	Sawtimber		106.2	MBF	7.3	\$5,160.55
	<i>B. T. Aspen</i>		106.2	<i>MBF</i>			
	Red Maple		2.7	MBF			
	Mixed Aspen	Pulpwood	83	Cords			
	<i>B. T. Aspen</i>		83	<i>Cords</i>			
	Mixed Hardwood		17	Cords			
	<i>Green Ash</i>		<i>Sawtimber</i>	2.9	<i>MBF</i>		
	<i>Sugar Maple</i>			2.2	<i>MBF</i>		
	<i>Green Ash</i>		<i>Pulpwood</i>	2	<i>Cords</i>		
	<i>Sugar Maple</i>			5	<i>Cords</i>		
Red Maple	23	Cords					
TOTAL:			471.4	MBF			
TOTAL:			943	Cords			

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Powerline Aspen

Sale Number: 55-150-24 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. The painted boundary line trees are not Included Timber and are to be protected. Yellow painted trees designating an interior Payment Unit boundary are only to be cut when all surrounding Payment Units have been paid.

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

2.1.1 - 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 white pine, oak, hickory, beech, juneberry and apple.

Special protection trees identified in accordance with condition 3.4.2, within clearcutting unit boundaries, are not Included Timber and are to be protected.

2.2 - Utilization

2.2.3 - Stump heights (4/07)

Stump heights within the Sale Area shall not exceed 6 inches for all trees.

2.2.6 - Roundwood operation required (3/21)

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

3 - Payments

3.4 - Damaged Timber

3.4.2 - Special Protection Trees (4/14)

The Purchaser shall not cut live or dead special protection trees within cutting units or clearings. Special protection trees are oak, apple, white pine, juneberry and hickory. If the Purchaser's operations have cut or damaged special protection trees through carelessness, the Purchaser shall pay \$200 as fixed, agreed and liquidated damages for each special protection tree cut or damaged. Such payment does not constitute ownership of the undesignated timber.

3.6 - Payment Unit Cutting Schedule

3.6.2 - One active unit (12/08)

Each Payment Unit must be completed to the satisfaction of the Unit Manager or his/her representative before the next unit may be opened. The Purchaser must give 3 days notice before finishing a unit to allow for inspection.

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 driveway permits that may be required.

4.1.12 - No new roads (1/12)

No new roads will be permitted in any Payment Unit. Skid trails only will be allowed.

4.2 - Maintenance

4.2.3 - Road maintenance (8/13)

The following road maintenance is required if the Purchaser chooses to use the road along the powerline ROW west of the corner of Dodge Road and Gilford Road: Within 30 days of completion of hauling, or if no hauling occurs for 10 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.

4.2.5 - Two wheel drive condition (2/04)

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

4.4 - Access

4.4.3 - Access gate (12/08)

The access gate at the corner of Dodge Road and Mushroom Road must be locked at the completion of each day.

4.4.4 - Restricted access (10/05)

Any gates, berms, vehicle barriers, posts etc. removed during harvesting operations must be replaced in their original location and condition. Any damage to gates, posts, vehicle barriers 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 to determine landing and road locations.

5.1.6 - Utility R.O.W. (4/19)

It is the responsibility of the Purchaser to obtain permission from the utility company to utilize the powerline R.O.W. for 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)

No brush or logging debris is to be left in openings which are indicated by G0 or 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.

5.2.1.11 - Slash for reforestation (3/21)

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 to the point that ground is easily visible through slash. Compacted layers of slash are strictly prohibited.

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. All standing dead trees (snags) must be protected and left standing.

5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

5.2.3.1 - Operating restrictions (9/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1-3, cutting, skidding, and hauling are not permitted from March 10 to July 15. This restriction is required to eliminate disturbance to breeding and nesting wildlife and protect poorly drained soils found throughout the

Sale Area.

5.2.3.2 - Operating restrictions (9/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1-3, no operating feller bunchers before 7 AM and after 9 PM. This restriction is necessary due to the close proximity of residences to the Sale Area.

5.2.3.12 - Hunting operating restriction (1/18)

No Payment Unit may be started during the period of September 25 to November 10 without permission of the Unit Manager or his/her representative. All cutting, skidding and hauling is prohibited from November 10 to November 30.

5.2.31 - Landing locations (9/13)

Landing locations will be determined in the pre-sale conference. Landings must be confined to these designated sites unless otherwise authorized by the Unit Manager or his/her representative. 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 any designated parking area. Equipment may not be stored in any designated parking area.

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, skid trails or within the sale area 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.

7 - Other Conditions

7.10 - Certified Timber

7.10.1 - Non-certified timber (2/16)

The area encompassed by this timber sale is not certified to the standards of the Forest Stewardship Council (FSC) or the Sustainable Forestry Initiative (SFI). Forest products from this sale may not be delivered to the mill as "FSC and / or SFI certified". The lands within this sale are managed as a State Game Area.



TIMBER SALE MAP

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

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Forest Management Unit Cass City Field Office	County Tuscola	Mapped By: Bonnette
		Cruised By: Bonnette

Township 12N	Range 10E	Section(s) and Subdivision(s) Sec. 1 S1/2NW,NESW,NWSE,S1/2SE;
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Cover Type			
A = Aspen	J = Jack Pine	O = Oak	U = Upland Brush
B = Paper Birch	K = Rock	P = Lowland Poplar	UM = Upland Mix Forest
C = Cedar	L = Lowland Brush	Q = Mixed Swamp Conifer	V = Bog or Marsh
D = Treed Bog	LM = Lowland Mix Forest	R = Red Pine	W = White Pine
E = Swamp Hardwoods	M = Maple, Beech, Birch	S = Black Spruce	X = Non Stocked
F = Spruce/Fir	MC = Mixed Conifer	T = Tamarack	Y = Sand
G = Grass	MD = Mixed Deciduous	Z = Water	
H = Hemlock	N = Marsh		

Density	
0 = Non Stocked	5 = Pole Timber Medium
1 = Seedling Sapling Poor	6 = Pole Timber Well
2 = Seedling Sapling Medium	7 = Saw Timber Poor
3 = Seedling Sapling Well	8 = Saw Timber Medium
4 = Pole Timber Poor	9 = Saw Timber Well

PU #	Acres
1	30.5
2	13.6
3	7.3

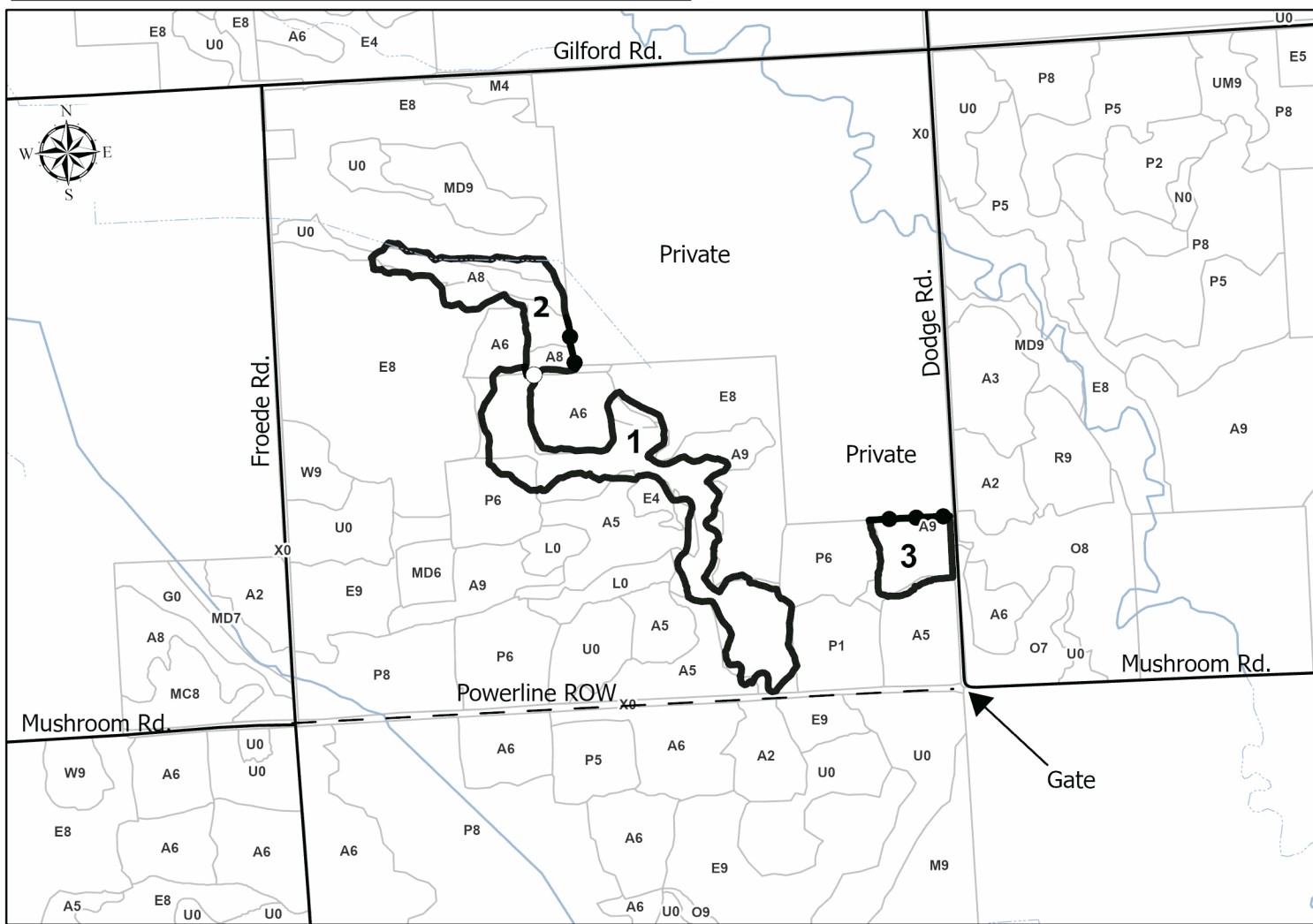


Powerline Aspen

51.4 Acres

Legend

- Against State (Red)
- Stand
- Payment Unit (Yellow)
- Private Line (Blue)
- Primary Forest Road
- Forest Access Route
- Administrative Access Only
- Paved Road
- Government Gravel/Dirt
- Private Gravel/Dirt



Tucker Lake Aspen (55-147-24)
T12N, R08E, SEC. 25; Tuscola COUNTY

In response to the notice of sale to be held 10:00 a.m. (local time) on October 7, 2024, I am hereby submitting my sealed bid (firm offer) for the following forest products to be cut. Bids for individual species must be at or above the advertised price. All non-responsive bid forms may be rejected.

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED VOLUME*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>	<u>BID PRICE/UNIT</u>
Sawtimber			
Black Cherry	40.9 MBF	\$ 68.00/MBF	\$ _____
Green Ash	5.9 MBF	\$ 23.00/MBF	\$ _____
Mixed Aspen	586.5 MBF	\$ 38.00/MBF	\$ _____
Red Maple	75.4 MBF	\$ 45.00/MBF	\$ _____
Sugar Maple	2.8 MBF	\$ 71.00/MBF	\$ _____
Pulpwood			
Jack Pine	6 Cords	\$ 9.40/Cord	\$ _____
Mixed Aspen	826 Cords	\$ 11.25/Cord	\$ _____
Mixed Hardwood	417 Cords	\$ 12.00/Cord	\$ _____

*The volumes are statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 34.11 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 SECURITY NUMBER: ____ - ____ - ____

Company or individual bidding: _____

Company representative's name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

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

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

Phone number : _____ Email (optional): _____

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



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

TIMBER SALE VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE

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

VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE

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

Please Check Appropriate Categories:

1. My business is organized as (you **must** check one of the boxes below):
 - A. Sole Proprietorship (individual)
 - B. Partnership
 - C. Corporation
2. You **must** check one of the boxes below:
 - A. I certify my business is a sole proprietorship and it has no employees but the sole proprietor. I am not subject to the Worker's Compensation Laws.
 - B. I certify my business has satisfied its obligation to the Worker's Compensation Act through the use of an approved Notice of Exclusion (BWC-337, Rev. 5/96). I will provide a copy of the Notice of Exclusion within 21 days of the contract award. (For questions or a copy of the BWC-337, please call the Worker's Compensation Bureau at 517-322-1195).
 - C. I certify my business has a Worker's Compensation Policy. I will provide an original Certificate of Insurance within twenty-one (21) days of the contract award.
3. If you have checked item 2(A) or 2(B), you **must** indicate the number of **both** full-time and part-time employees, other than yourself, including family members and active partners (if none, you must enter "0").

_____ Full-time Employees

_____ Part-time Employees

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

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

Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative

Title

Date

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

Powerline Aspen (55-150-24)
T12N, R10E, SEC. 1; Tuscola COUNTY

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Pulpwood			
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FEDERAL ID: _____ - _____ or SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER: _____ - _____ - _____

Company or individual bidding: _____

Company representative's name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

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

Phone number : _____ Email (optional): _____

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_____ Full-time Employees

_____ Part-time Employees

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

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

Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative

Title

Date

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

Roods Lake Mix (28-004-24)
T08N, R10E, SEC. 10; Lapeer COUNTY

In response to the notice of sale to be held 10:00 a.m. (local time) on October 7, 2024, I am hereby submitting my sealed bid (firm offer) for the following forest products to be cut. Bids for individual species must be at or above the advertised price. All non-responsive bid forms may be rejected.

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED VOLUME*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>	<u>BID PRICE/UNIT</u>
Sawtimber			
Mixed Aspen	274.8 MBF	\$ 30.00/MBF	\$ _____
Red Pine	61.6 MBF	\$ 71.00/MBF	\$ _____
Pulpwood			
Mixed Aspen	440 Cords	\$ 12.75/Cord	\$ _____
Mixed Hardwood	351 Cords	\$ 12.00/Cord	\$ _____
Red Pine	188 Cords	\$ 27.00/Cord	\$ _____

*The volumes are statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 26.93 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 SECURITY NUMBER: _____ - _____ - _____

Company or individual bidding: _____

Company representative's name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

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

Phone number : _____ Email (optional): _____

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



TIMBER SALE
VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY
COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE

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

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

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

Please Check Appropriate Categories:

1. My business is organized as (you **must** check one of the boxes below):
 - A. Sole Proprietorship (individual)
 - B. Partnership
 - C. Corporation
2. You **must** check one of the boxes below:
 - A. I certify my business is a sole proprietorship and it has no employees but the sole proprietor. I am not subject to the Worker's Compensation Laws.
 - B. I certify my business has satisfied its obligation to the Worker's Compensation Act through the use of an approved Notice of Exclusion (BWC-337, Rev. 5/96). I will provide a copy of the Notice of Exclusion within 21 days of the contract award. (For questions or a copy of the BWC-337, please call the Worker's Compensation Bureau at 517-322-1195).
 - C. I certify my business has a Worker's Compensation Policy. I will provide an original Certificate of Insurance within twenty-one (21) days of the contract award.
3. If you have checked item 2(A) or 2(B), you **must** indicate the number of **both** full-time and part-time employees, other than yourself, including family members and active partners (if none, you must enter "0").

_____ Full-time Employees _____ Part-time Employees

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

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

Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative

Title

Date

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