

COMPARTMENT REVIEW RECORD OF CHANGES AND DECISIONS

Michigan Department of Natural Resources



Traverse City Forest Management Unit

2023 Year-of-Entry (YOE)

Online Teams Meeting

July 20, 2021

The following documents the changes and decisions made at the compartment review to the Inventory database, reports, and compartment maps presented for online review for the Traverse City Forest Management Unit compartment review. This document is the official record of changes and decisions. Proposals originally presented were approved unless noted below.

Attendees

Craig Allen – FRD, Katie Armstrong – FRD, Patrick Cotant – FRD, David Fisher – FRD, Tim Gallagher – FRD, Kerry Fitzpatrick – WLD, Jason Hartman – FRD, Heather Hettinger – FD, Steve Griffith – WLD, David Lemmien – FRD, Tim Lyon – FRD, Paige Perry – PRD, Dale Rabe – WLD, Paul Roell – FRD, Patrick Ruppen – FRD, Jason Stephens – FRD, Scott Throop – FRD, Tim Webb – FRD.

Comments from stakeholders received prior to Compartment Review

(Complete comments available upon request)

Kenny Wawsczyk, North Country Trail Association

Carla Lange, Camp Grayling Environmental Manager

Compartment specific changes made during the Compartment Review

Compartment 5 – Stand Examiner Tim Webb

No changes.

Compartment 14 – Stand Examiner Tim Webb

Non-forested treatments on stands 55, 97, 110, 165, and 203: Add "Use appropriate methods to protect Snowmobile Trail and its surface during project implementation."

Compartment 23 – Stand Examiner Craig Allen

Non-forested treatment on stand 14: Add "Use appropriate methods to protect Snowmobile Trail and its surface during project implementation."

Compartment 31 – Stand Examiner Craig Allen

Treatments on Stands 19, 36, 52, 59, 63, 80 and 96: Add snowmobile protection specifications, with understanding that trail is on seasonal county road in some areas.

Compartment 44 – Stand Examiner Pat Ruppen

Treatments on stands 131, 137, 142: Clarified that strip along snowmobile trail is excluded from treatment but trail might be used for hauling so add snowmobile trail protection specifications. Mention North Country Trail through Stand 131, especially if parking lot is used for landing.

Non-forested treatments on stands 46 and 51: Add "Use appropriate methods to protect snowmobile trail and its surface during project implementation."

Compartment 56 – Stand Examiner Patrick Cotant

Treatment on Stand 20: Also consider Shore-to-Shore Equine trail.

31-Cut treatment: Add "Protect MCCCT trail during timber sale operations with appropriate specs."

Non-forested treatments on stands 45, 46, 48, and 59: Add "Use appropriate methods to protect recreational trail during project implementation."

Compartment 107 – Stand Examiner Steve Crigier

No changes.

Compartment 115 – Stand Examiner Katie Armstrong

No changes.

Compartment 123 – Stand Examiner Katie Armstrong

No changes.

Compartment 129 – Stand Examiner Paul Roell

No changes.

Compartment 134 – Stand Examiner Steve Crigier

Add Kalkaska ORV route to narrative.

Stand 30: Try to keep landings or roads away from the Fish Site and Boating Access Site.

Compartment 140 – Stand Examiner Paul Roell

No changes.

Compartment 170 – Stand Examiner Pat Ruppen

Treatment 94-12-New: Review of oil and gas lease is still pending. Area of planted red pine in this treatment might need to be reduced. The cut area can remain the same.

Treatments on Stands 51, 56, 94, 97 and 142: Add ORV trail protection specification.

Compartment 244 – Stand Examiner Patrick Cotant

Stand 22: Add cycle trail protection specification.


Compartment 251 – Stand Examiner Paul Roell

No changes.

As the Compartment Review Meeting Facilitator, I certify that the above changes have been agreed to.

Katie Armstrong
Name

Inventory and Planning Specialist (acting)
Title


Signature

7/20/2021
Date