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Legal Description: T37N R27W Sections 4, 5, and 6

Management Goals: This compartments two major cover types are aspen and northern hardwoods. There is also a considerable amount of cedar and lowland conifer cover types. There will be four northern hardwood stands that will be thinned to improve spacing and their overall health. There are also four aspen and upland mixed stands that will be final harvested this decade. There are also three lowland conifer stands that will be harvested. These stands are over mature and are in need of treatment while there still are viable seed trees. The eastern larch beetle is present within the compartment. This beetle is killing the tamarack within the compartment and throughout Menominee County.

Soil and Topography: This compartment contains Lupton-Cathro, Loxley-Dawson associations, Cunard-Onaway, Summerville-Cunard complexes, and Onaway fine sandy loams. This compartment is made up of well drained fine sandy loams with areas of poorly drained black muck and peat. The terrain is nearly level with areas of undulating topography and also some areas of steep terrain.

Ownership Patterns, Development, and Land Use in and Around the Compartment: This compartment is located on the most northern edge of a block of state forest land that is about 20 miles long and 8 miles wide in the southwestern part of Menominee County. In and around the compartment the land holdings are broken up, with many private parcels within this block of state land. The north, east, and west edges of the compartment are completely surrounded by private property. The primary use for this area is for recreation.

Unique, Natural Features: De Haas Creek flows through section 6.

Archeological, Historical, and Cultural Features: None known

Special Management Designations or Considerations: None

Watershed and Fisheries Considerations: The De Haas Creek runs through a large portion of section 6 and the Little Cedar River flows just outside the compartment boundary on the East edge, with one of its tributaries flowing out of section 4.

Wildlife Habitat Considerations: This compartment is within the Nathan-Banat Moraines Management Unit in southwest Menominee County. These moraines are located in a forest-agricultural interface that has a preponderance of cedar, aspen, and northern hardwood cover types. Popular game species such as deer and wild turkey do well here. Ten years ago when this compartment was reviewed, several mature aspen stands were deferred from harvest to better balance the age class distribution. This was done not only to smooth the flow of wood products from the compartment, but to provide a variety of forest age classes for wildlife that depend on differing forest developmental stages. These aspen stands will be harvested and regenerated at this time. In Stands 12 and 19, areas of thick cedar will be retained in timber harvest units to provide winter cover for wildlife. A large treed bog and stands along the DeHaas Creek riparian corridor remain designated as special conservation areas to provide mature forest conditions for wildlife that utilize these habitats.

Mineral Resource and Development Concerns and/or Restrictions: Sections 4 – 6, T37N-R27W, Menominee County Surface sediments consist of a medium-textured glacial till. The glacial drift thickness varies between 10 and 50 feet. Beneath the glacial drift is the Cambrian Trempealeau Formation, which could be used for stone and it overlaps Precambrian aged rocks, which may have metallic and nonmetallic mineral potential. State land was previously leased in the area for metallic exploration. Gravel pits are located two miles away from the compartment and a new nomination is located just to the northeast. There appears to be good gravel potential. No economic oil and gas production has been found in the UP.

Vehicle Access: The main access into the compartment is the DeTemple road and the two branches of it. There are also a number of two-track roads that branch off of the DeTemple road and its branches.

Survey Needs: Three corners might need to be set.

Recreational Facilities and Opportunities: There are no developed facilities within this compartment. The primary recreational uses are hunting and four-wheeling.

Fire Protection: This compartment consists mostly of forest types that do not pose a severe fire threat. Access into this compartment is very good for suppression activities. There are also water sources near by.

Additional Compartment Information: Stand 19 is being proposed to remove its SCA status and to be treated.

- > The following reports from the Inventory are attached:
 - Total Acres by Cover Type and Age Class
 - Proposed Treatment Summary
 - Proposed Treatments No Limiting Factors
 - Proposed Treatments With Limiting Factors
 - Stand Details (Forested and Nonforested)
 - Dedicated and Proposed Special Conservation Areas
- > The following information is displayed, where pertinent, on the attached compartment maps:
 - Base feature information, stand boundaries, cover types, and numbers
 - Proposed treatments
 - Details on the road access system

Table 1 – Total Acres by Cover Type and Age Class

Escanaba Mgt. Unit

Dustin Salter : Examiner

Compartment 001 Year of Entry 2013



| | Age Class | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Aspen | 0 | 134 | 176 | 51 | 16 | 23 | 0 | 84 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 483 | |
| Cedar | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 114 | 0 | 76 | 0 | 190 | |
| Low-Density Trees | 11 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 11 | |
| Lowland Aspen/Balsam Poplar | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 23 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 30 | |
| Lowland Deciduous | 0 | 0 | 46 | 19 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 46 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 121 | |
| Lowland Spruce/Fir | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | |
| Marsh | 26 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 26 | |
| Mixed Upland Deciduous | 0 | 0 | 0 | 30 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 66 | 23 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 133 | |
| Northern Hardwood | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 295 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 295 | |
| Tamarack | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 67 | 0 | 0 | 67 | |
| Treed Bog | 160 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 160 | |
| Upland Shrub | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 |] |
| Total | 204 | 141 | 222 | 99 | 16 | 23 | 0 | 149 | 50 | 358 | 6 | 114 | 67 | 76 | 0 | 1526 |] |



Table 2 – Proposed Treatment Summaries

| B. MICHIGAN | Escanaba Mgt. Unit Year of Entry 2013 | | | | | | | | | | | Compartment Total Compartment Acres: | |
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| | | | | | Acres | s by T | reatm | ent Ty | ре | | | | |
| | Commercial Harvest - 400 | 0 Site F | Prep - 0 | | Т | ree Pl | lanting | - 0 | | Prese | cribed Burn - 0 | Other - 0 | |
| | Habitat Cut - 0 | Open | ing Maintenai | nce - (|) Т | ree Se | eeding | - 0 | | Pesti | cide - 0 | | |
| | | | | | Cov | er Typ | pe by H | Harves | st Meth | od | | | |
| | Aspen 84 0 0 0 0 0 84 | | | | | | | | | 400 | | | |
| | Lowla | and Aspen/B | Balsam Poplar | 23 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 23 | | | |
| | Lowla | and Deciduo | ous | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | | | |
| | Lowla | and Spruce/ | Fir | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | | | |
| | Mixed | I Upland De | ciduous | 66 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 66 | | | |
| | Northe | ern Hardwo | od | 0 | 172 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 176 | | | |
| | Tamar | rack | | 41 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 41 | | | |
| | | | Total | 224 | 172 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 400 | | | |

| S t | | | | | | atments Pre _imiting Fac | | Compartment: 001 Year of Entry 2013 | AT INATURAL PLANT |
|----------------------|-----------------------------|-------------|--|------------------------|--------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|--|--------------------------|
| a n d | Treatment Name | Acres | Stage1 CoverType | Size Density | Stand Age | Treatment Type | Treatment Method | Cover Type Objective | Approval Status |
| 1 | 33001001-Cut | 65.5 | 4191 - Mixed Upland Deciduous with Conifer | Medium Density Pole | 60 | Harvest | Clearcut with Reserves | 4130 - Aspen | Cmpt. Review Proposal |
| Presc Spece | | this stan | d, leaving 3% of the | stand for retention. | | | | | |
| <u>Other</u> Comr | This star <u>nents:</u> | nd overal | l is an aspen/fir type | with some other sm | all stands | s included within | n it. There are some sm | all ash pockets as well. | |
| <u>Next</u> Steps | | nd is beir | ng managed for asper | n and balm primarily | y, but a m | nix of the curren | t species is acceptable. | Some open areas are | also acceptable. |
| 2 | 33001002-Cut | 128.8 | 4110 - Sugar Maple Association | High Density Pole | 89 | Harvest | Single Tree Selection | 4110 - Sugar Maple Association | Cmpt. Review Proposal |
| Presc Specs | | stand do | own to 80 to 90 basal | area. | | | | | |
| <u>Other</u> Comr | Good qu <u>ments:</u> | ality harc | dwood stand that is re | ady to be thinned. | | | | | |
| <u>Next</u> Steps | <u>:</u> | | | | | | | | |
| 12 | 33001012-Cut | 23.2 | 6112 - Lowland Aspen | Medium Density Pole | 77 | Harvest | Clearcut with Reserves | 4130 - Aspen | Cmpt. Review Proposal |
| Presc Spece | | this stan | id, leaving the thick c | edar patches for ret | ention ar | nd diversity. | | | |
| <u>Other</u> Comr | | | y old and dying out of so some lower areas | | | | er stems that have filled | in as portions of the as | pen has died |
| <u>Next</u> Steps | 0 | this stan | d for aspen, but a mix | c of the current over | rstory spe | ecies is accepta | ble. | | |
| 13 | 33001013-Cut | 4.3 | 6122 - Black Spruce | High Density Pole | 81 | Harvest | Clearcut with Reserves | 6129 - Mixed Coniferous Lowland Forest | Cmpt. Review Proposal |
| Presc Spece | • | this stan | d, leaving some seed | trees. Harvest the | e small po | ortion of this sta | nd in comp 2 to the sout | h. | |
| <u>Other</u> Comr | _ Decent o <u>ments:</u> | juality tai | marack and spruce st | and. | | | | | |
| <u>Next</u> Steps | | nd is beir | ng managed for a mix | of spruce and tama | arack prir | marily, but a mix | with other lowland spec | ies is acceptable. | |
| 14 | 33001014-Cut | 4.7 | 4110 - Sugar Maple Association | High Density Pole | 83 | Harvest | Crown Thinning | 4110 - Sugar Maple Association | Cmpt. Review Proposal |
| Presc Spece | | stand do | own to 80 to 90 basal | area, maintaing sp | ecies div | ersity. | | | |
| <u>Other</u> Comr | _ Decent o | luality ha | rdwood stand that ha | s never been thinne | ed. | | | | |
| <u>Next</u> Steps | | neration i | s expected after the h | narvest, this is the f | irst thinni | ng on this stand | 1. | | |

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| | atment ame | Acres | Stage1 CoverType | Size Density | Stand Age | Treatment Type | Treatment Method | Cover Type Objective | Approval Status |
| 18 3300 | 1018-Cut | 39.9 | 4139 - Aspen, Mixed Deciduous | Medium Density Pole | 61 | Harvest | Clearcut with Reserves | 4130 - Aspen | Cmpt. Review Proposal |
| Prescription Specs: | Clearcut | this stan | d, leaving enough of | the stems to meet | the retent | ion guidelines. | | | |
| <u>Other</u> Comments: | | | | | | | ortion of the spruce and b y basswood. There is he | | |
| <u>Next</u> <u>Steps:</u> | This star | nd is beir | g managed for asper | n, but any mix of the | e overstor | y species is ac | cceptable. Some open ar | eas are also acceptabl | e. |
| 19 3300 | 1019-Cut | 40.6 | 6121 - Tamarack | High Density Pole | 110 | Harvest | Clearcut with Reserves | 6121 - Tamarack | Cmpt. Review Proposal |
| Prescription Specs: | of the st | and for re | | This patch and the | e youngei | tamarack on t | etain the 7 acre patch of t he east end will make up | | |
| <u>Other</u> Comments: | some of far east | the tops end of the | are starting to die ba | ck. The Eastern La res) contains young | irch Beetl er tamara | e is present wit | easons to keep it in SCA. thin the stand and pocket eady for harvest. So we | s of the tamarack are o | lying out. The |
| <u>Next</u> <u>Steps:</u> | Manage | this stan | d for tamarack, but a | mix of spruce, baln | n, and ce | dar is acceptab | le. | | |
| 28 3300 | 1028-Cut | 43.7 | 4130 - Aspen | High Density Pole | 61 | Harvest | Clearcut with Reserves | 4134 - Aspen, Spruce/Fir | Cmpt. Review Proposal |
| Prescription Specs: | Clearcut | this stan | d, leaving 3% of the | stems for retention | and diver | sity. Cut all ste | ems greater than 2" in dia | ameter. | |
| <u>Other</u> Comments: | Overmat | ture aspe | n. | | | | | | |
| <u>Next</u> Steps: | Manage | this stan | d for aspen, but a miz | x of other species is | acceptal | ble. | | | |
| 31 3300 | 1031-Cut | 26.3 | 4110 - Sugar Maple Association | High Density Pole | 83 | Harvest | Single Tree Selection | 4110 - Sugar Maple Association | Cmpt. Review Proposal |
| Prescription Specs: | L Thin this | stand do | own 80 to 90 basal ar | ea while maintainin | g species | diversity. | | | |
| <u>Other</u> Comments: | Decent | quality ha | rdwood stand, that w | as thinned last in 19 | 994. | | | | |
| <u>Next</u> <u>Steps:</u> | The mai | n regene | ration within this stan | d will be white ash a | and beecl | n, with some ire | onwood as well. | | |
| 33 3300 | 1033-Cut | 16.5 | 4110 - Sugar Maple Association | High Density Log | 83 | Harvest | Single Tree Selection | 4110 - Sugar Maple Association | Cmpt. Review Proposal |
| Prescription Specs: | L Thin this | stand do | own to 80 to 90 basal | area, maintaining s | species di | versity. | | | |
| <u>Other</u> Comments: | | ality harc | lwood stand that was | thinned in 1991-92 | on contra | act 052-88-01. | | | |
| <u>Next</u> <u>Steps:</u> | There is | an abun | dance of advanced be | eech regeneration a | already, s | o this will be re | leased. But we will also | get some white ash reg | eneration. |

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Table 3 -- Treatments Prescribed with No Limiting Factor

Compartment: 001 Year of Entry 2013

| t a n d | Treatment Name | Acres | Stage1 CoverType | Size Density | Stand Age | Treatment Type | Treatment Method | Cover Type Objective | Approval Status |
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| 34 | 33001034-Cut | 6.5 | 6117 - Lowland Deciduous, Mixed Coniferous | Medium Density Pole | 91 | Harvest | Clearcut with Reserves | 6117 - Lowland Deciduous, Mixed Coniferous | Cmpt. Review Proposal |
| Pres | | this sta | nd, leaving 3% of the | stems for retention | and seed | I. | | | |

Specs:

Poor quality ash swamp/drain. Other

Comments:

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<u>Next</u> Manage this stand for a mix of the current overstory species. Steps:

Total Treatment 400.0 Acreage Proposed:

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| n d | Treatment Name | Acres | Stage1 CoverType | Size Density | Stand Age | Treatment Type | Treatment Method | Cover Type Objective | Approval Status |
| | | | #Error | | | | | | |
| Presc Spece | ription <u>s:</u> | | | | | | | | |
| <u>Other</u> Comr | | | | | | | | | |
| <u>Next</u> <u>Steps</u> | <u>:</u> | | | | | | | | |
| | ng Factor and No ment Reason | <u>)</u> | | | | | | | |
| Ac | Total Treatmer creage Propose | | 0 | | | | | | |

Out of YOE -- Treatments Prescribed with No Limiting Factor

Year of Entry: 2013

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| Treatment | Acres | Stage1 | Size | Stand | Treatment | Treatment | Cover Type | Approval |
|------------------------|-------|-----------|---------|-------|-----------|---------------------------|--|--------------------------|
| Name | | CoverType | Density | Age | Type | Method | Objective | Status |
| 33002_OutOfY OE-Cut | 0.7 | | | | Harvest | Clearcut with Reserves | 6129 - Mixed Coniferous Lowland Forest | Cmpt. Review Proposal |

Prescription Final harvest this stand, leaving some seed trees. Harvest this stand with stand 13 in comp 1.

Specs:

Other Decent quality tamarack and spruce stand.

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Comments:

<u>Next</u> Manage this stand for a mix of tamarack and spruce primarily, but a mix with other lowland species is acceptable.

<u>Steps:</u>

Total Treatment Acreage Proposed:

| S t | Escanaba Mgt. Unit | | | 5 – Fc | prested Sta | nds Compartment: 001 Year of Entry: 2013 |
|-------------|---|-------------------------|-------|--------------|-------------|---|
| a n d | Level 4 Cover Type | Size Density | Acres | Stand Age | BA Range | General Comments: |
| 1 | 4191 - Mixed Upland Deciduous with Conifer | Medium Density Pole | 65.5 | 60 | | This stand overall is an aspen/fir type with some other small stands included within it. There are some small ash pockets as well. |
| 2 | 4110 - Sugar Maple Association | High Density Pole | 128.8 | 89 | 111-140 | Good quality hardwood stand that is ready to be thinned. |
| 3 | 4130 - Aspen | High Density Pole | 15.9 | 33 | | |
| 5 | 4136 - Aspen, Mixed Conifer | Medium Density | 43.6 | 10 | | Stand was cut in 2001 on contract 028-98-01. |
| 6 | 4191 - Mixed Upland Deciduous with Conifer | High Density Pole | 23.0 | 77 | | SCA - DeHaas Creek Riparian Corridor. Mature forest conditions will be maintained to promote large diameter trees, cavities, snags, and dead woody debris for wildlife habitat. |
| 7 | 6120 - Lowland Cedar | High Density Pole | 49.0 | 108 | | SCA - DeHaas Creek Riparian Corridor. Mature forest conditions will be maintained to promote large diameter trees, cavities, snags, and dead woody debris for wildlife habitat. |
| 8 | 4130 - Aspen | High Density Sapling | 132.7 | 16 | | Stand was final harvested in 1996 on contract 020-93-01. |
| 10 | 4110 - Sugar Maple Association | High Density Pole | 23.6 | 83 | | Stand was thinned in 2006 on contract 034-03-01. |
| 11 | 4110 - Sugar Maple Association | High Density Pole | 9.9 | 89 | | Stand was thinned in 2002-03 on contract 026-01-01. Treat this stand when the larger part of the stand is thinned in comp 2. |
| 12 | 6112 - Lowland Aspen | Medium Density Pole | 23.2 | 77 | | The aspen is very old and dying out of the stand. In places there are some younger stems that have filled in as portions of the aspen has died out. There are also some lower areas that are heavier to ash and balm. |
| 13 | 6122 - Black Spruce | High Density Pole | 3.1 | 81 | | Decent quality tamarack and spruce stand. |
| 14 | 4110 - Sugar Maple Association | High Density Pole | 4.7 | 83 | | Decent quality hardwood stand that has never been thinned. |
| 15 | 6115 - Lowland Ash | Medium Density Pole | 5.0 | 81 | | Poor quality ash stand, with not much volume. Hold off cutting this stand until stand 16 is cut in the future. |
| 17 | 4134 - Aspen, Spruce/Fir | High Density Sapling | 26.2 | 27 | | Decent quality aspen stand with clumps of older hardwood. |
| 18 | 4139 - Aspen, Mixed Deciduous | Medium Density Pole | 39.9 | 61 | | A large portion of the aspen has died out of this stand from old age and a large portion of the spruce and balsam fir have died from the spruce budworm. This stand contains a couple of pockets of hardwood, which is primarily basswood. There is heavy brush throughout most of the stand. |

| S t | Escanaba Mgt. Unit | | | 5 – Fo | prested Sta | nds Compartment: 001 Year of Entry: 2013 |
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| a n d | Level 4 Cover Type | Size Density | Acres | Stand Age | BA Range | General Comments: |
| 19 | 6121 - Tamarack | High Density Pole | 67.2 | 110 | | This stand was in SCA, but there are no specific reasons to keep it in SCA. Also the tamarack is mature and some of the tops are starting to die back. The far east end of the stand (about 12 acres) contains younger tamarack and is not ready for harvest. So we will hold this portion of the stand until it is mature. WLD: This SCA is part of what is historically the Banat-De Haas-Shakey Lakes Deer Wintering Complex. A tagging study done by wildlife division determined that deer migrate an average of 4 miles to timber harvest sites within this area. This SCA is a valuable deer wintering yard. Also, this SCA provides a travel corridor. Deer, coyote, bear, and other game species use the south edge, due to the large impassible bog to the south. WLD recommends keeping the SCA and preserving the connectivity of the travel corridor to other habitat types. |
| 20 | 4110 - Sugar Maple Association | High Density Pole | 7.5 | 89 | 81-110 | Stand was thinned in 2006 on contract 034-03-01. Decent quality hardwood stand. |
| 21 | 6118 - Lowland Deciduous with Cedar | High Density Pole | 4.1 | 74 | | |
| 22 | 4130 - Aspen | Medium Density | 3.3 | 5 | | Stand was final harvested in 2006 on contract 034-03-01. |
| 23 | 4139 - Aspen, Mixed Deciduous | Low Density Sapling | 12.9 | 5 | | Stand was final harvested in 2006 on contract 034-03-01. The deer have heavily browsed the hardwood regeneration. |
| 25 | 4134 - Aspen, Spruce/Fir | High Density Sapling | 20.7 | 26 | | |
| 26 | 4110 - Sugar Maple Association | High Density Pole | 24.7 | 83 | | Stand was thinned in 2006 on contract 034-03-01. |
| 28 | 4130 - Aspen | High Density Pole | 43.7 | 61 | | Overmature aspen. |
| 29 | 4191 - Mixed Upland Deciduous with Conifer | High Density Pole | 29.8 | 26 | | This stand has a couple of different age classes within it, harvest it next rotation. |
| 30 | 4130 - Aspen | High Density Pole | 20.6 | 40 | | |
| 31 | 4110 - Sugar Maple Association | High Density Pole | 26.3 | 83 | 111-140 | Decent quality hardwood stand, that was thinned last in 1994. |
| 32 | 4130 - Aspen | High Density Sapling | 40.2 | 7 | | Stand was final harvested in 2004 on contract 031-03-01. |
| 33 | 4110 - Sugar Maple Association | High Density Log | 16.5 | 83 | 111-140 | Good quality hardwood stand that was thinned in 1991-92 on contract 052-88-01. |
| 34 | 6117 - Lowland Deciduous, Mixed Coniferous | Medium Density Pole | 6.5 | 91 | | Poor quality ash swamp/drain. |

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| a n d | Level 4 Cover Type | Size Density | Acres | Stand Age | BA Range | General Comments: |
| 35 | 4130 - Aspen | High Density Sapling | 31.4 | 6 | | Stand was final harvested in 2005 on contract 031-03-01. |
| 36 | 4130 - Aspen | High Density Pole | 2.2 | 40 | | |
| 37 | 6120 - Lowland Cedar | High Density Pole | 64.9 | 103 | | Overall poor quality cedar stand. |
| 38 | 4110 - Sugar Maple Association | High Density Pole | 4.3 | 89 | 81-110 | Stand was thinned in 2005 on contract 031-03-01. |
| 39 | 4130 - Aspen | High Density Pole | 3.6 | 26 | | |
| 40 | 4110 - Sugar Maple Association | High Density Pole | 2.6 | 89 | 81-110 | Stand was thinned in 2007-08 on contract 033-03-01. Good quality hardwood stand. |
| 41 | 4110 - Sugar Maple Association | High Density Pole | 16.2 | 89 | 81-110 | Stand was thinned in 2005 on contract 031-03-01. Decent quality hardwood stand. |
| 42 | 6111 - Lowland Balsam Poplar | High Density Sapling | 7.0 | 3 | | Stand was final harvested in 2007-08 on contract 033-03-01. |
| 43 | 6120 - Lowland Cedar | High Density Pole | 28.3 | 121 | | Remove the SCA status from this stand. This stand has no particular benefit to protect or enhance and there is a large representation of this same covertype in the Carney Fen BSA, which is just a little over a mile to the south. This stand contains poor quality cedar and some younger tamarack, spruce, ash, and balm. A large portion of this stand was cut about 40 years |
| | | | | | | ago. WLD: This SCA is part of what is historically the Banat-De Haas- Shakey Lakes Deer Wintering Complex. There is connectivity to other SCA stands within the adjacent compartment. Recommend keeping this stand in SCA status. |
| 44 | 4130 - Aspen | Medium Density | 46.3 | 5 | | This stand was final harvested in 2005-06 in 031-03-01. |
| 45 | 4199 - Other Mixed Upland Deciduous | Low Density Pole | 15.0 | 89 | | This stand was final harvested in 2006-07 on contract 033-03- 01. This is a two-aged stand, currently there is 10 to 20 BA of hardwood overstory and aspen, spruce, and fir regenerating. |
| 46 | 6117 - Lowland Deciduous, Mixed Coniferous | Medium Density | 45.5 | 17 | | This stand was final harvested in 1993-94 on contract 009-86- 01. The majority of the stand is regenerating to balm, but the south half has more of a mix including some of the area that was cut in 1967. |
| 47 | 6117 - Lowland Deciduous, Mixed Coniferous | High Density Pole | 32.2 | 89 | | This stand meets criteria for harvesting, but due to poor access wait ten years until stand 52 is ready to thin and do them both at that time. The Bog Brook flows through the center of the stand. |

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| a n d | Level 4 Cover Type | Size Density | Acres | Stand Age | BA Range | General Comments: |
| 48 | 6115 - Lowland Ash | Low Density Sapling | 18.8 | 26 | | Poor quality stand overall that could be called a lowland brush stand. The south end of the stand is thicker with more merchantable stems. There is a fair amount of cedar regeneration within some of the stand. The regen is 1 to 8 feet tall. |
| 49 | 6120 - Lowland Cedar | High Density Pole | 48.0 | 121 | | Very poor quality cedar stand, that is almost pure cedar, especially on the north end. There some areas of the stand that are open and cedar is regenerating within them. A portion of this stand could be harvested to regenerate cedar, which appears to be succeding adjacent to this stand and within it. |
| 51 | 6115 - Lowland Ash | High Density Pole | 8.5 | 81 | | This stand is ready to be harvested, but due to the access we should wait 10 years and harvest it when stand 52 is ready to be thinned. The only good access into the stand is through private, so it would be better to wait until all of the stands east of Bog Brook are ready to be treated and treat them all together. |
| 52 | 4110 - Sugar Maple Association | High Density Pole | 29.5 | 89 | 111-140 | Stand was thinned in 1995-96 on contract 028-94-01. |

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| Stand | Cover Type | Acres | Managed Site | Management Priority (Objective) | General Comments: |
|-------|--------------------------------|-------|-----------------|------------------------------------|---|
| 4 | 3205 - Mixed Upland Shrub | 2.8 | No | Unspecified | |
| 9 | 6233 - Wet Meadow | 20.7 | No | Unspecified | |
| 16 | 3205 - Mixed Upland Shrub | 4.2 | No | Unspecified | |
| 24 | 6224 - Treed Bog | 159.7 | No | Unspecified | |
| 27 | 6233 - Wet Meadow | 5.0 | No | Unspecified | |
| 50 | 3303 - Mixed Low Density Trees | 11.2 | Natural Regen | Tamarack | This stand was harvested in 1994 on contract 009-86-01. There is a 3 to 5 acre higher area in the center of the stand, but most of the stand is low and wet. Tamarack is beginning to fill the stand in, so maybe next decade the stand will have enough stems to classify it forested. |



7 – PROPOSED SPECIAL CONSERVATION AREA* (SCA) DETAILS

* This is a partial list of SCAs for this compartment. Not included are those areas identified under other Department initiatives (Natural Rivers, Deer Wintering Areas, etc.). Those will be identified in separate, future map and report products.

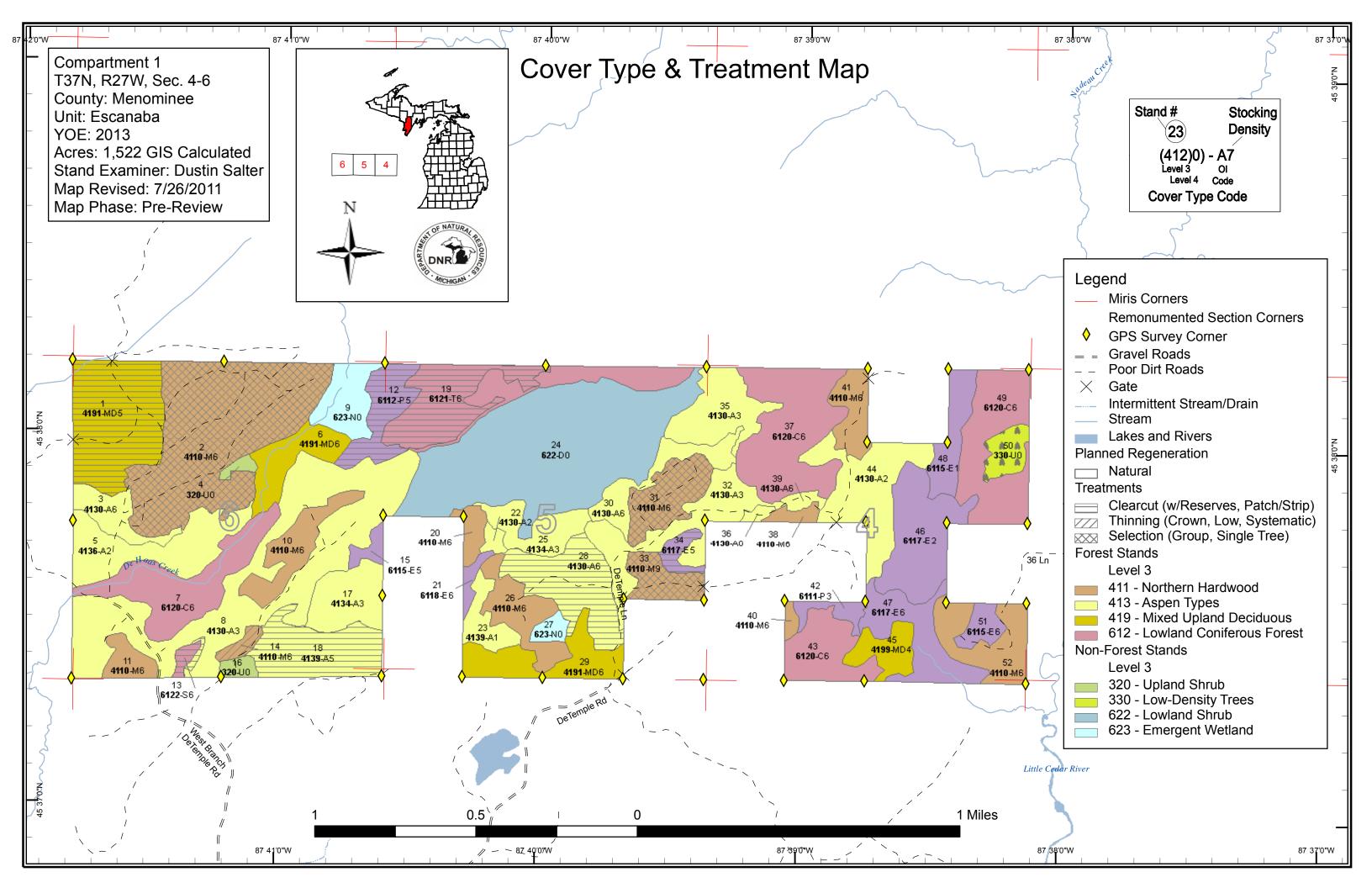
| Stand | SCA Type | SCA Name | Acres | Comments |
|-------|-------------------|-------------|-------|--|
| 6 | Unique Site - SCA | 33001006 | 23.0 | SCA - DeHaas Creek Riparian Corridor. Mature forest conditions will be maintained to promote large diameter trees, cavities, snags, and dead woody debris for wildlife habitat. The DeHaas Creek flows through this stand and provides a Riparian Corridor. |
| 7 | Unique Site - SCA | 33001007 | 49.0 | The DeHaas Creek flows through this stand along the north part of the stand. |
| 19 | SCA Removal | 33001019 | 67.2 | Remove this stand from SCA. This stand was in SCA, but there are no specific reasons to keep it in SCA. Also the tamarack is mature and some of the tops are starting to die back. The Eastern Larch Beetle is present within the stand and pockets of the tamarack are dying out. |
| 43 | Unique Site - SCA | 33001043 | 28.3 | SCA - Mature forest conditions will be maintained to promote large diameter trees, cavities, snags, and dead woody debris for wildlife habitat. |
| 9 | Unique Site - SCA | NF_33001009 | 20.7 | SCA - DeHaas Creek Riparian Corridor. Mature forest conditions will be maintained to promote large diameter trees, cavities, snags, and dead woody debris for wildlife habitat. |
| 24 | Unique Site - SCA | NF_33001024 | 159.7 | SCA - Mature forest conditions will be maintained to promote large diameter trees, cavities, snags, and dead woody debris for wildlife habitat. |

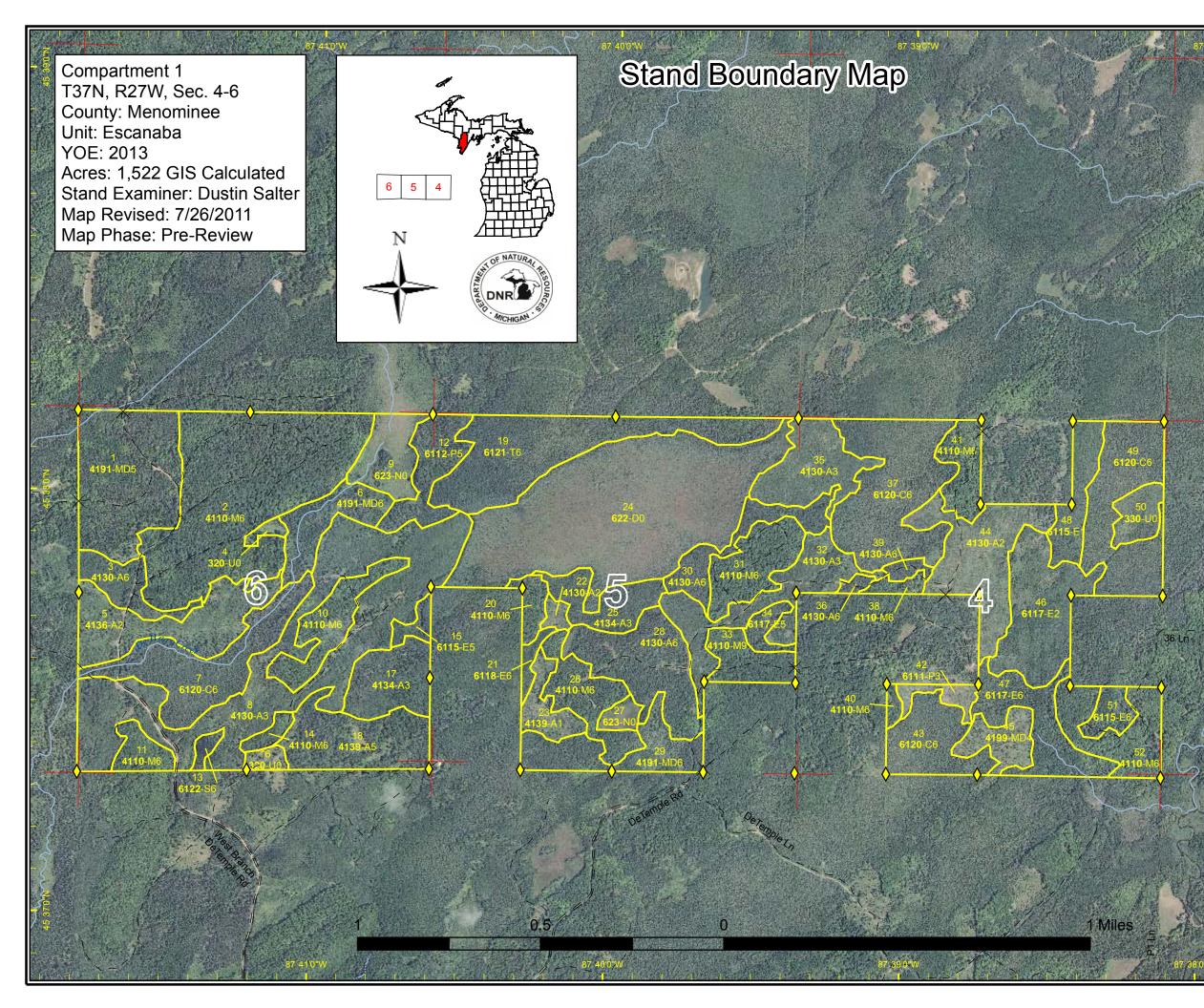


8 – DEDICATED CONSERVATION AREA DETAILS

* This is a list of Dedicated Biodiversity Areas for this compartment along with a 1/4 mile buffer surrounding the compartment. Refer to Dedicated Conservation Area Map for areas that the below listed Conservation Areas are located.

| Conservation Area | Туре | Description | ERA = Ecological Reference Area HCVA = High Conservation Value Area SCA = Special Conservation Area |
|--|------|---|---|
| Stream stocked trout populations and those of other coldward year to year. Coldwater streams in Michigan typical contributions of groundwater to their stream flows. | | A coldwater stream has temperature and dissolved oxygen c stocked trout populations and those of other coldwater fish s year to year. Coldwater streams in Michigan typically provide contributions of groundwater to their stream flows. Such stread designated as trout resources by Fisheries Order 210. | pecies (e.g., slimy sculpin) to persist from these conditions due to substantial |





Stand # Stocking (23) Density (412)0) - A7 Level 3 OI Level 4 Code Cover Type Code

Legend

- Miris Corners
- Remonumented Section Corners
- \diamond **GPS Survey Corner**
- Gravel Roads =
- Poor Dirt Roads _
- \times Gate
- Intermittent Stream/Drain
- Stream
- Stand Boundaries

Forest Stands

Level 3

- 411 Northern Hardwood
- 413 Aspen Types 419 Mixed Upland Deciduous
- 611 Lowland Deciduous Forest
- 612 Lowland Coniferous Forest

Non-Forest Stands

Level 3

- 320 Upland Shrub 330 Low-Density Trees
- 622 Lowland Shrub
- 623 Emergent Wetland

