

**Revision Date:** 05/21/2012

Stand Examiner: Dustin Salter, FRD

Legal Description: T40N R26W Sections 23, 24, 25, 26, 35, and 36

**Management Goals:** This compartment is comprised primarily of three different cover types. The major cover type is Lowland Conifer; tamarack, cedar, and black spruce. There is a large percentage of the acreage in this cover type that has a very low site index and does not support timber growth. These areas have very stagnated trees with many of the stands being over 100 years of age and there is not much in the way of merchantable timber. This entry period we will be cutting 88 acres of tamarack. There are two small cedar stands that are currently on contract to be harvested.

The next major cover type is aspen/mixed upland deciduous. This cover type has been managed in the past so there is a mix of age classes. This entry period we will be cutting 122 acres. Northern hardwoods is the last major cover type. This area grows good quality sugar maple. This entry period we will be thinning 59 acres of hardwood with the intention of producing high quality sugar maple sawlog stands.

**Soil and Topography:** Topography is level with some gently rolling hills and some steep terrain. Soils include well-drained sandy loams and poorly drained black muck and peat over bedrock/limestone and sandy loam. Prominent soil series are Lupton-Cathro, Loxley-Dawson, Onaway sandy loam, Lupton-Tawas, and Summerville-Cunard.

**Ownership Patterns, Development, and Land Use in and Around the Compartment:** This compartment is located in the northern portion of Menominee County within a small block of state land. This block of state forest land is about four miles wide and three miles long. There are a number of private in-holdings within this block. A large percentage of the private forest land around this block of state land is owned by corporate forest landowners. The primary uses for the private land are timber production and recreation. The state forest lands primary use is recreation.

Unique, Natural Features: None Known

## Archeological, Historical, and Cultural Features: None Known

Special Management Designations or Considerations: None Known

Watershed and Fisheries Considerations:

**Wildlife Habitat Considerations:** Compartment 70 is part of the North Menominee Management Area. This management area is comprised of discontinuous state holdings in a matrix of largely corporate forest. Over half of the area is lowland conifer cover type (cedar, spruce, tamarack) interspersed with uplands of aspen and northern hardwoods. Historically this management area has been important deer winter range. Due to difficulties in regenerating cedar, most of this cover type will simply be protected, except for purposeful regeneration experiments. Aspen will be managed for age class diversity, and hardwoods for vegetative diversity and improved regeneration success. Featured wildlife species include the american marten and snowshoe hare.

*Aspen*: Two aspen stands will be clearcut. Wildlife will have any cedar, hemlock, and pine retained if present. These treatments have no other retention due to spruce bud worm. In the future Wildlife would like to see retention of species which do not act as a host to the spruce bud worm on similar treatments. *Hardwoods*: Most of the stands up for treatment this cycle have a cedar/hemlock/pine component. These occurrences are important as they provide patches of cover and micro habitats used by many species including bears and deer. This is of particular importance when upland hardwood stands border cedar stands. Having a conifer/hardwood gradient allows deer to move from cover to food even in deep snow conditions. All of these stands will have these features preserved.

*Lowland*: One lowland conifer stand has been nominated for final harvest. Due to the high value of these types for wildlife and difficulty in reliably regenerating these stands to a similar species composition, specifically the cedar component, this stand and issue will be further reviewed prior to a treatment being agreed upon.

**Mineral Resource and Development Concerns and/or Restrictions:** Surface sediments consist of medium textured glacial till and glacial outwash sand and gravel and postglacial alluvium. There is insufficient data to determine the glacial drift thickness. The Ordovician Prairie du Chien Group underlies the glacial drift. The PdC could be used for stone and may overlap Precambrian aged rocks, which may have metallic and nonmetallic mineral potential. The nearest gravel pit is located one mile to the northeast and potential appears to be good on the upland drumlins. No economic oil and gas production has been found in the UP.

**Vehicle Access:** The primary access into the compartment is from the 47 Mile Creek Road. The 47 Mile Creek Road runs through the western portion of the compartment and there are two-track roads that split off and head into different parts of the compartment. There is a limited amount of roads within the compartment due to the large amount of lowland stands throughout it.

Survey Needs: Some corners will need to be set in order to establish property lines for timber sales.

**Recreational Facilities and Opportunities:** There are no developed facilities within this compartment. The primary uses are hunting, four-wheeling, and snowmobiling. There is a designated snowmobile trail that runs to the north of the compartment and down through the far western portion of the compartment. The trail uses some of the two-track roads in the area.

**Fire Protection:** This area has a very low probability of supporting a large forest fire. The landscape is very broken up with low wet ground and ridges of northern hardwood. The 47 Mile Creek provides an adequate water source in a couple of locations within the compartment.

## **Additional Compartment Information:**

- > 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

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#### Compartment 070 Year of Entry 2014



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Cedar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	302	0	0	49	0	366	L
Low-Density Trees	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	22	1
Lowland Aspen/Balsam Poplar	33	34	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	66	L
Lowland Conifers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	174	0	0	0	188	1
Lowland Deciduous	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	L
Lowland Mixed Forest	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	91	0	0	0	0	91	L
Lowland Shrub	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	L
Lowland Spruce/Fir	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	69	0	0	0	0	0	69	1
Marsh	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1
Mixed Upland Deciduous	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	29	0	0	0	0	29	1
Northern Hardwood	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21	192	0	0	0	0	0	214	1
Tamarack	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	231	0	0	0	0	0	0	241	1
Upland Conifers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	8	1
Upland Mixed Forest	0	36	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	46	1
Upland Shrub	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1
Water	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
Total	174	122	219	76	29	83	0	261	276	447	182	0	49	0	1918	



# Table 2 – Proposed Treatment Summaries

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	Habitat Cut - 0	Oper	ning Maintenanc	e - 0	Tree S	eeding	- 0		Pesti	cide - 0		
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	Cec	dar		12 0	3	0	0	0	15			
	Mix	ked Upland De	eciduous	29 0	0	0	0	0	29			
	Nor	rthern Hardwo	bod	0 43	0	0	16	0	59			
	Tan	marack		0 0	88	0	0	0	88			
	Upl	land Mixed Fo	orest	0 0	10	0	0	0	10			
			Total 1	24 43	101	0	16	0	284			

Compartment: 070 Escanaba Mgt. Unit Table 3 -- Treatments Prescribed with No Limiting Factor Year of Entry 2014 s t а Treatment Acres CoverType Size Stand BA Treatment Treatment Cover Type Approval n Method Status Name Density Range Objective Age Type d 2 33070002-Cut 29.4 4191 - Mixed 98 Clearcut with 4191 - Mixed Cmpt. Review High Harvest Upland Deciduous Upland Deciduous Density Reserves Proposal with Conifer with Conifer Pole Prescription Clearcut with reserves - cut all species except leave all hemlock and some beech, white pine, and spruce seed trees. Specs: Other\_ Comments: <u>Next</u> Manage this stand for a mix of hemlock, aspen, and mixed upland conifer. Any combination mix is acceptable. Steps: Proposed 10/01/2013 Start Date: 33070008-Cut 88.3 72 Seed Tree with Cmpt. Review 8 6121 - Tamarack High Harvest 6121 - Tamarack Density Reserves Proposal Pole Prescription Seed Tree Harvest, cut a portion in the center of the stand. Cut all trees; except leave seed tree clumps scattered throughout the stand. Specs: Harvest some of the stand next entry period. Other Comments: Next Steps: Proposed 10/01/2013 Start Date: 13 33070013-Cut 43.1 4110 - Sugar Maple High 86 141-170 Harvest Single Tree 4110 - Sugar Maple Cmpt. Review Selection Association Density Association Proposal Pole Prescription Single tree selection harvest reducing the basal area down to 80 to 90. Leaving a mix of all species. Leave cedar, hemlock, and white pine if Specs: present. Other Comments: Next Steps: Proposed 10/01/2013 Start Date: 33070022-Cut 22 6.2 4110 - Sugar Maple High 86 111-140 Harvest Low Thinning 4110 - Sugar Maple Cmpt. Review Association Association Density Proposal Pole Prescription Low Thinning Harvest, reducing the basal area down to 80 to 90. This is the stands first thinning and I am not expecting regeneration. The primary purpose of this treatment is to improve growth and quality. Leave cedar, hemlock, and white pine if present. Specs: Other\_ Comments: <u>Next</u> Steps: Proposed 10/01/2013 Start Date:

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a n d	Treatment Name	Acres	CoverType	Size Density	Stand Age	BA Range	Treatment Type	Treatment Method	Cover Type Objective	Approval Status
24	33070024-Cut	45.8	4134 - Aspen, Spruce/Fir	High Density Pole	52		Harvest	Clearcut	4134 - Aspen, Spruce/Fir	Cmpt. Review Proposal
Pres Spec			rves, cut all species gre worm. Leave a 100' but				ar, hemlock, an	d white pine if prese	ent. No other retention	will be left due
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26	33070026-Cut	10.1	4110 - Sugar Maple Association	High Density Pole	86	111-140	Harvest	Low Thinning	4110 - Sugar Maple Association	Cmpt. Review Proposal
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38	33070038-Cut	37.0	4134 - Aspen, Spruce/Fir	High Density Pole	52		Harvest	Clearcut	4130 - Aspen	Cmpt. Review Proposal
Pres Spec		- cut all s udworm.	pecies greater than 3 ir	nches. Lea	ve all ce	dar, hemloo	k and white pine	e if present. No oth	er retention will be left	due to the
	ments:									
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41	33070041-Cut	2.9	6120 - Lowland Cedar	High Density Pole	85		Harvest	Seed Tree with Reserves	6128 - Lowland Coniferous, Mixed Deciduous	Cmpt. Review Proposal
Pres Spec			n contract 035-09-01 to	have a see	ed tree c	ut with rese	rves; except the	e white pine, elm, he	emlock, and seed trees	will be
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S t		Escanaba Mgt. Unit Table 3 Treatments Prescribed with No Limiting Factor								Compartment: 070 Year of Entry 2014	DR NATURE
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44	330700	)44-Cut	11.9	6120 - Lowland Cedar	High Density Pole	85		Harvest	Clearcut with Reserves	6128 - Lowland Coniferous, Mixed Deciduous	Cmpt. Review Proposal
	Prescription Stand is already on contract 035-09-01 to have a seed tree cut with reserves; except the white pine, elm, hemlock, and seed trees will be Specs: retained.										
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<u>Next</u> Steps											
<u>Propo</u> <u>Start [</u>		)1/25/20 <sup>-</sup>	10								
54	330700	)54-Cut	9.7	4319 - Mixed Upland Forest	High Density Pole	94		Harvest	Seed Tree with Reserves	4319 - Mixed Upland Forest	Cmpt. Review Proposal
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<u>Other</u> Com				ned on contract 022-9 p 71 when it comes up		larger sa	ale in comp	71. This stand	is ready to be harve	ested again. Treat this	stand with the
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Treatment Name	Acres	CoverType	Size Density	Stand Age	BA Range	Treatment Type	Treatment Method	Cover Type Objective	Approval Status
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<u>Other</u> Comments:									
<u>Next</u> <u>Steps:</u>									
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Total Treatment Acreage Proposed:

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a n d	Level 4 Cover Type	Size Density	Acres	Stand Age	BA Range	General Comments:
1	4130 - Aspen	Medium Density	33.2	5		Stand was c.c. in 2007 on contract 026-04-01. Regenerating very well.
2	4191 - Mixed Upland Deciduous with Conifer	High Density Pole	29.4	98		Stand is currently an SCA, remove from SCA and treat. This stand is adjacent to pvt land that has been managed on two sides. The majority of the stand is a poor hardwood type with pockets of dense hemlock. There is an abundance of poor quality hardwood stands throughout the landscape.
3	6120 - Lowland Cedar	Medium Density Pole	9.9	96		Currently SCA - Remove the SCA status, this is a poor quality cedar stand that is very similar to numerous other ones within this landscape. There are no unique qualities within this stand.
4	4110 - Sugar Maple Association	Medium Density Pole	3.7	76	51-80	Decent quality sugar maple poles, with an abundance of white pine regen in the understory.
5	4134 - Aspen, Spruce/Fir	High Density Sapling	80.9	26		
6	4130 - Aspen	High Density Sapling	30.4	17		
8	6121 - Tamarack	High Density Pole	231.4	72		Remove from SCA - this stand does not provide any unique conditions that are not available in many other stands throughout the landscape.
9	4115 - Y.Birch, Hemlock NH	High Density Pole	12.0	80	81-110	Currently SCA - Remove the SCA status, this is a poor quality hardwood stand that is very similar to numerous other ones within this landscape. There are no unique qualities within this stand.
10	4319 - Mixed Upland Forest	High Density Sapling	36.2	18		Currently SCA - Remove the SCA status, this is a mixed upland stand that was clear cut about 18 years ago that is very similar to numerous other ones within this landscape. There are no unique qualities within this stand.
11	6120 - Lowland Cedar	High Density Pole	24.9	98		Currently SCA - Remove the SCA status, this is a poor quality cedar stand that is very similar to numerous other ones within this landscape. There are no unique qualities within this stand.
12	42360 - Upland Cedar	Medium Density Log	18.4	98		This is an upland cedar stand that had the majority of the shorter lived species harvested in 2007. The more open areas within this stand will fill in with balsam fir, white spruce, and balm.
13	4110 - Sugar Maple Association	High Density Pole	43.1	86	141-170	Good quality hardwood stand.
14	4139 - Aspen, Mixed Deciduous	High Density Pole	29.1	40		Poor quality aspen/hardwood stand.
15	6129 - Mixed Coniferous Lowland Forest	Medium Density Pole	173.8	102		Currently SCA - Remove the SCA status, this is a poor quality lowland conifer stand that is very similar to numerous other ones within this landscape. There are no unique qualities within this stand.

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a n d	Level 4 Cover Type	Size Density	Acres	Stand Age	BA Range	General Comments:
16	4130 - Aspen	High Density Sapling	24.5	5		Stand was clear cut in 2007 on contract 026-04-01.
17	4110 - Sugar Maple Association	High Density Pole	17.6	76	81-110	Stand was thinned in 2009 on contract 026-04-01.
18	6122 - Black Spruce	Medium Density Pole	69.1	86		Currently SCA - Remove the SCA status, this is a poor quality spruce stand that is very similar to numerous other ones within this landscape. There are no unique qualities within this stand.
19	4130 - Aspen	High Density Sapling	16.5	24		
21	6121 - Tamarack	High Density Sapling	9.6	24		
22	4110 - Sugar Maple Association	High Density Pole	6.2	86	111-140	Good quality sugar maple stand.
23	4134 - Aspen, Spruce/Fir	High Density Pole	40.8	36		Poor growing aspen.
24	4134 - Aspen, Spruce/Fir	High Density Pole	45.8	52		Decent quality aspen with pockets of thick balsam fir interspersed.
26	4110 - Sugar Maple Association	High Density Pole	10.1	86	111-140	Decent quality sugar maple stand, that contains some rolling terrain.
27	6120 - Lowland Cedar	High Density Pole	129.2	96		
29	4134 - Aspen, Spruce/Fir	High Density Pole	35.2	34		
30	6115 - Lowland Ash	Medium Density Pole	8.1	79		
31	6120 - Lowland Cedar	High Density Pole	39.6	96		
34	6120 - Lowland Cedar	Medium Density Pole	15.1	127		This stand was cut in the winter of 2007-2008 on contract 022-04- 01. All species were cut except cedar and some seed trees. The cedar is thick through parts of the stand. The open areas should fill in with tamarack and spruce.
35	6128 - Lowland Coniferous, Mixed Deciduous	High Density Pole	14.6	94		This stand is in need of harvesting, but the 47 Mile Creek flows through this stand and it splits in a number of locations. It would be difficult to provide adequate creek buffers and still be enough volume to have a harvest.
36	4130 - Aspen	Medium Density	28.3	6		Stand was clearcut in 2006 and 2008 on contract 030-04-01. The deer browse has been heavy in this stand.

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a n d	Level 4 Cover Type	Size Density	Acres	Stand Age	BA Range	General Comments:
37	4110 - Sugar Maple Association	High Density Pole	95.4	82	81-110	Stand was thinned in 2005-06 on contract 030-04-01. The far south end was thinned in 2000 on contract 032-99-01.
38	4134 - Aspen, Spruce/Fir	High Density Pole	37.0	52		
39	6120 - Lowland Cedar	Low Density Pole	16.6	127		Stand was clearcut in the winter of 2006-07 on contract 022-04- 01. All of the cedar was retained along with some seed trees. Tamarack is regenerating very well in this stand.
40	6120 - Lowland Cedar	High Density Pole	66.5	94		
41	6120 - Lowland Cedar	High Density Pole	2.9	85		This stand is on contract 035-09-01 "47 Mile Redo" sale to be clearcut.
42	4130 - Aspen	Medium Density	9.6	7		This stand was clearcut in 2005 on contract 030-04-01, except for the ash, maple, and basswood.
43	4136 - Aspen, Mixed Conifer	High Density Sapling	111.8	21		
44	6120 - Lowland Cedar	High Density Pole	11.9	85		
45	4130 - Aspen	High Density Sapling	11.1	7		Stand was clearcut in 2005 on contract 030-04-01.
46	4134 - Aspen, Spruce/Fir	High Density Sapling	21.8	19		
47	6120 - Lowland Cedar	High Density Pole	13.7	94		
48	6120 - Lowland Cedar	Medium Density Pole	17.3	127		This stand was clearcut in the winter of 2006-07 on contract 022- 04-01. All species were cut except cedar and some seed trees. Where the stand is opened up there is quite a bit of tamarack regeneration. The shade from the residual cedar is limiting the amount of tamarack regeneration.
49	4112 - Maple, Beech, Cherry Association	High Density Pole	5.9	82	81-110	This stand was thinned in 2006 on contract 025-04-01. Lower quality hardwood, the long term MO for this stand should be white pine and spruce/balsam.
50	6112 - Lowland Aspen	Medium Density	32.5	6		Stand was clearcut in 2006 on contract 025-04-01. Heavy deer browse.
51	6132 - Mixed Lowland Forest with Cedar	High Density Pole	90.9	94		There is a creek that runs the length of the stand on the east side.
52	6112 - Lowland Aspen	Medium Density	33.9	13		

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a n d	Level 4 Cover Type	Size Density	Acres	Stand Age	BA Range	General Comments:	2
53	4110 - Sugar Maple Association	High Density Pole	19.7	82	81-110	This stand was thinned in 2006 on contract 025-04-01.	
54	4319 - Mixed Upland Forest	High Density Pole	9.7	94		This stand was thinned on contract 022-97-01 with a larger sale in comp 71. This stand is ready to be harvested again. Treat this stand with the larger stand in comp 71 when it comes up in 2017.	-
55	42390 - Mixed Non- Pine Upland Conifers	Medium Density Log	8.4	109		Stand was cut on contract 045-94-01.	•

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#### 6 – Nonforested Stands

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Stand	Cover Type	Acres	Managed Site	Management Priority (Objective)	General Comments:
7	6230 - Cattail	2.4	No	Unspecified	
20	50 - Water	1.3	No	Unspecified	North end of Oliver Lake, it was dry in 2011.
25	3205 - Mixed Upland Shrub	1.5	No	Unspecified	
28	6229 - Mixed lowland shrub	4.9	No	Unspecified	
32	3205 - Mixed Upland Shrub	2.9	No	Unspecified	
33	3302 - Low Density Conifer Trees	22.1	Yes	Unspecified	This stand was clearcut between 2006 and 2008 on contract 030-04-01. There are some thicker clumps of cedar that were not cut, along with some clumps of tamarack that were left for seed. There are some tamarack and spruce showing up, but too soon to determine if the stand will fully regenerate.



### 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.

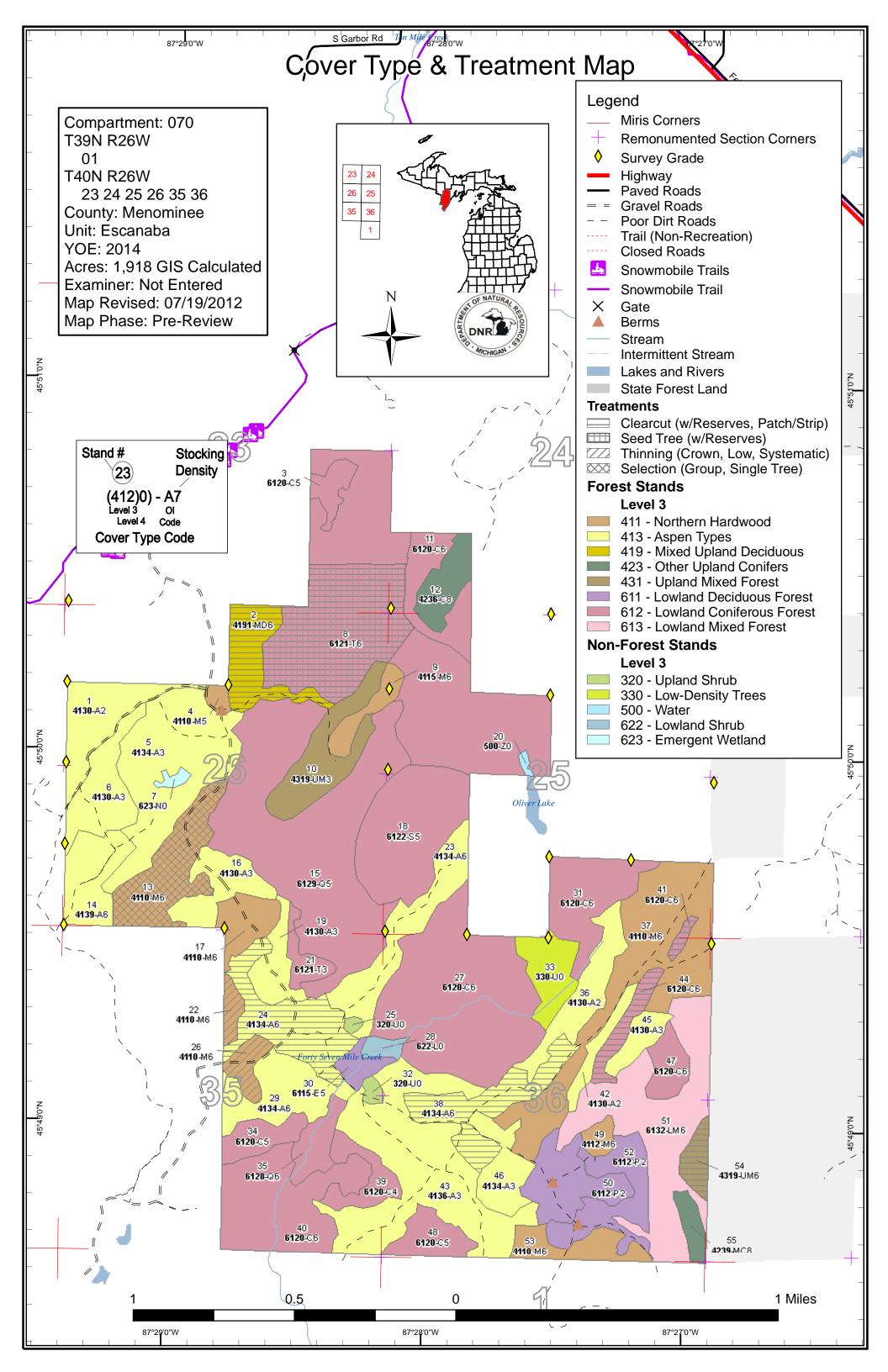
Stand	SCA Type	SCA Name	Acres	Comments
2	SCA Removal	33070002-SCAR	29.4	SCA-Removal this stand is a poor quality hardwood stand with short lived conifer species. There are also some clumps of hemlock within it. This stand is common within the landscape and it provides no unique values.
3	SCA Removal	33070003	9.9	SCA-Removal This stand is a poor quality cedar stand that provides no unique values. This covertype is very common throughout this landscape.
8	SCA Removal	33070008	231.4	SCA-Removal This stand is a tamarack stand that provides no unique values. This covertype is very common throughout this landscape.
9	SCA Removal	33070009	12.0	SCA-Removal This stand is a poorer quality mixed hardwood stand that provides no unique values. This covertype is very common throughout this landscape.
10	SCA Removal	33070010	36.2	SCA-Removal This stand was harvested 18 years ago with a management objective of aspen, balm, balsam fir, and spruce. This stand has successfully regenerated. This covertype is very common throughout this landscape and it does not provide any unique values.
11	SCA Removal	33070011	24.9	SCA-Removal This stand is a poor quality cedar stand that provides no unique values. This covertype is very common throughout this landscape.
15	SCA Removal	33070015	173.8	SCA-Removal This stand is a poor quality mixed lowland conifer stand that provides no unique values. This covertype is very common throughout this landscape.
18	SCA Removal	33070018	69.1	SCA-Removal This stand is a poor quality black spruce stand that provides no unique values. This covertype is very common throughout this landscape.



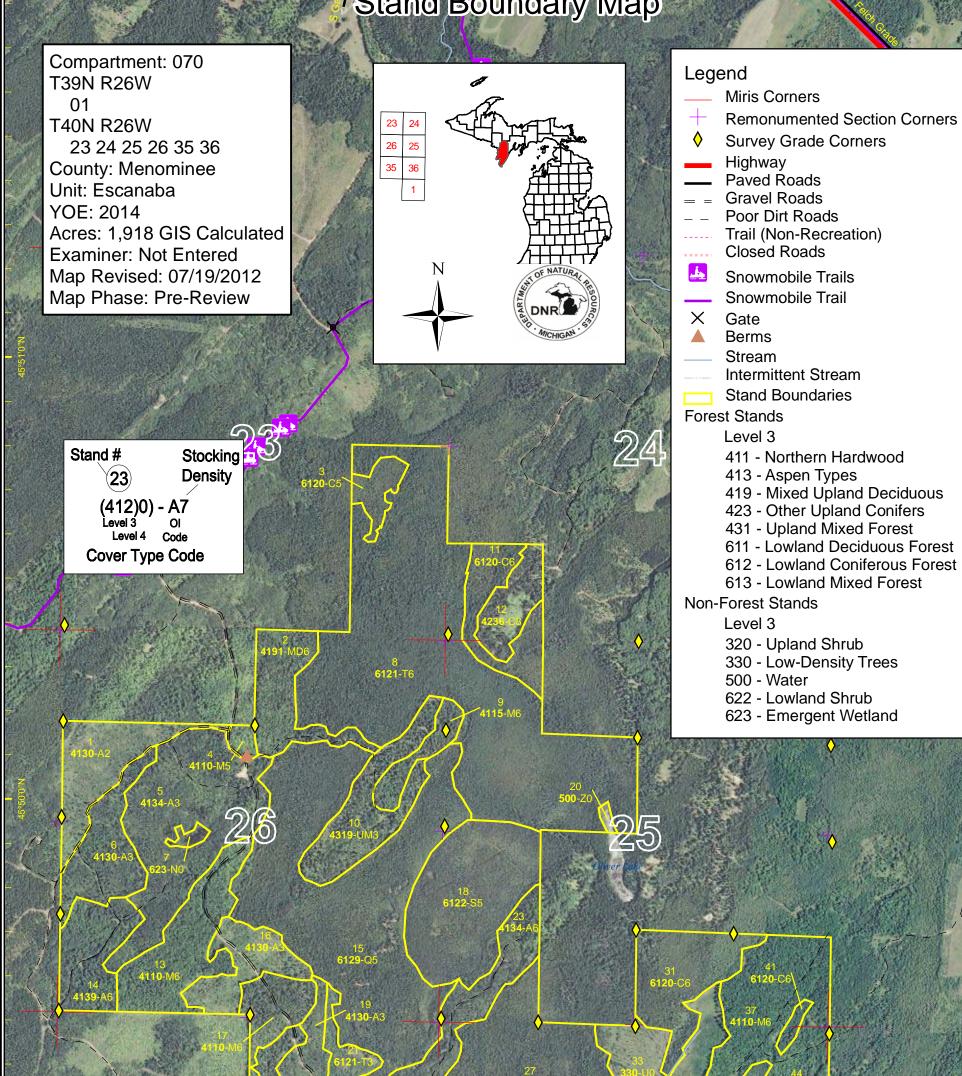
#### 8 – DEDICATED CONSERVATION AREA DETAILS

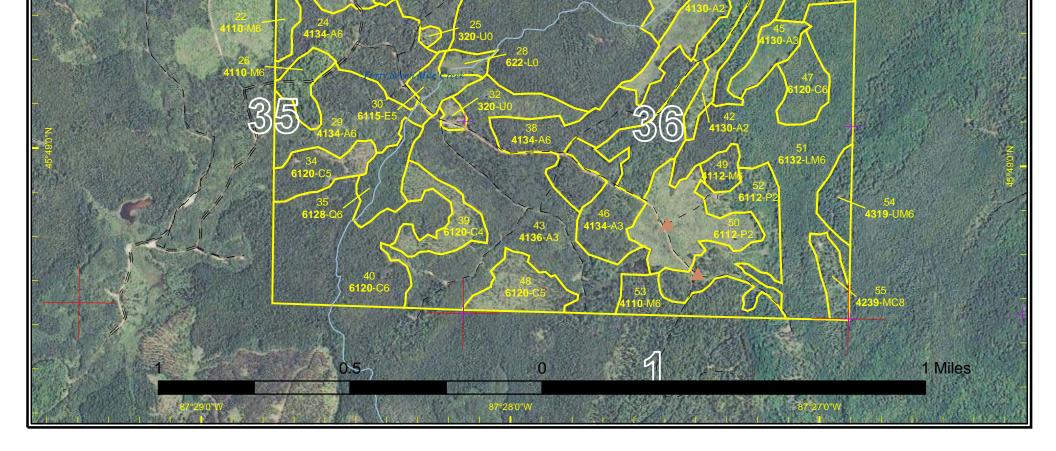
\* This is a list of Dedicated Biodiversity Areas for this compartment along with a 1/4 mile buffer surrounding the compartment. Refer to Dedicated Conservation Area Map for areas that the below listed Conservation Areas are located.

Conservation Area	п Туре	Description	ERA = Ecological Reference Area HCVA = High Conservation Value Area SCA = Special Conservation Area	
SCA	Habitat Area	and Waterfowl Production Areas, deer wintering complexes in openings and savannas. Habitat areas are distinct from critical endangered or threatened species (such as Kirtland's warbler general in nature, are not primarily associated with threatened	t provide some specific need for the life cycle of wildlife species, including State Wildlife Areas owl Production Areas, deer wintering complexes in lowland conifer communities, grassland nd savannas. Habitat areas are distinct from critical habitat designated for recovery of d or threatened species (such as Kirtland's warbler or piping plover areas) in that they are more lature, are not primarily associated with threatened or endangered species, and are not species recovery plans that are developed in cooperation with Federal agencies.	



# **Stand Boundary Map**





### 87°29'0"W

### 87°28'0"W

# **Dedicated & Proposed Special Conservation Area Map**

