

Sault Forest Management Unit Compartment Review Presentation

Compartment #48 Entry Year: 2012 Compartment Acreage: 2,625 County: Chippewa

Revision Date: 06/22/2010

Stand Examiner: Jeff Wise

Legal Description: T45N R3W Secs11-14, 23, 24

Identified Planning Goals ('Management Area' or 'RMU', if applicable): North Rudyard

Management Goals: Management this entry will be the selective harvesting of the one large hardwood stand in the compartment. The transition zone from hardwood to cedar swamp consists of several aspen, red maple, birch types and those that are mature, will be managed for even age regeneration. See map for details. There are several stands to be treated bordering the hardwood, however, an old wildlife strip cut in the 1980's will provide a nice buffer/corridor between the hardwood and the new clear cuts.

Soil and Topography: Pickford Silty Clay in the north portion where no treatments will take place. Markey Carbondale Muck underlies the western and southern cedar swamps. Pense Loamy sand is under the northern hardwoods. The compartment in general is flat with some sloping in the transition stands bordering the hardwood.

Ownership Patterns, Development, and Land Use in and Around the Compartment: All State land to the north and north east. There is National Forest to the west called the Delirium Wilderness. There is private on the southeast and east. Rudyard Schools own 160 acres in the interior, as well as 240 acres bordering the southeast corner.

There are two other private landholdings in the interior with hunting camps. The ownership on the east side is a Sugar Bush operation. Land use is hunting, dispersed camping, trail riding on forest roads, and snowmobiling. There are no ORV trails.

Unique, **Natural Features:** None known at this time. Compartment adjoins the National Forest designated Delirium Wilderness.

Archeological, Historical, and Cultural Features: Four foundations and debris can be found within the compartment. There are no indications of homesteads or logging camps. MNFI has been referenced for any concerned species related to treatments.

Special Management Designations or Considerations: None at this time.

Watershed and Fisheries Considerations: Fisheries Values Minimal. There are no permanent streams in the compartment. There is, however, a small intermittent stream flowing west from Section 11 and also one flowing north from section 12. Those should be protected to ensure occasional invertebrate drift downstream into larger waters and to minimize erosion. This compartment contains an unnamed tributary to the North Branch Pine River, a cold-transitional trout stream. The prescribed treatments are appropriate for the protection of the stream.

Wildlife Habitat Considerations: Compartment 48 is located west of Tilson Road approximately 3 ½ miles north of Rudyard. It is influenced by a sandy ridge beginning near the center of the compartment and continuing east. Northern hardwoods dominate the ridge, while lowland conifers and other lowland types dominate west of it. The northeast contains a mix of lowland hardwoods and other wetland types. Wildlife management will include thinning northern hardwoods to enhance age class and structural diversity, harvesting lowland hardwoods and birch stands along the edge of the sand ridge to maintain young early successional habitat, and protecting lowland cedar stands as well as other marsh areas. Oak, yellow birch, any conifers, and most basswood will be left in hardwood stands. Some large wolfy trees will also be left for nesting and den trees, and a component of beech will be left if present. Wildlife species benefitting from this management include northern goshawk, ruffed grouse, American woodcock, snowshoe hare, white-tailed deer, and bobcat.

Mineral Resource and Development Concerns and/or Restrictions: Surface sediments consist of coarse textured glacial till, peat and muck and lacustrine (lake) clay and silt. There is insufficient data to determine the glacial drift thickness. The Ordovician Trenton and Black River Formations subcrop below the glacial drift. These formations are quarried for stone/dolomite elsewhere in the UP. Gravel pits are located to the east of the compartment. There should be good gravel potential on the upland areas. There is no economic oil and gas production in the UP, currently.

Vehicle Access: The east side has access on reasonably good forest roads mostly in the large hardwood stand. This is also the snowmobile trail. The north side is bounded by the Spile Dam Road and is also a snowmobile trial. There are no other interior roads and the south and west side are inaccessible, even from the Forest Service roads to the west.

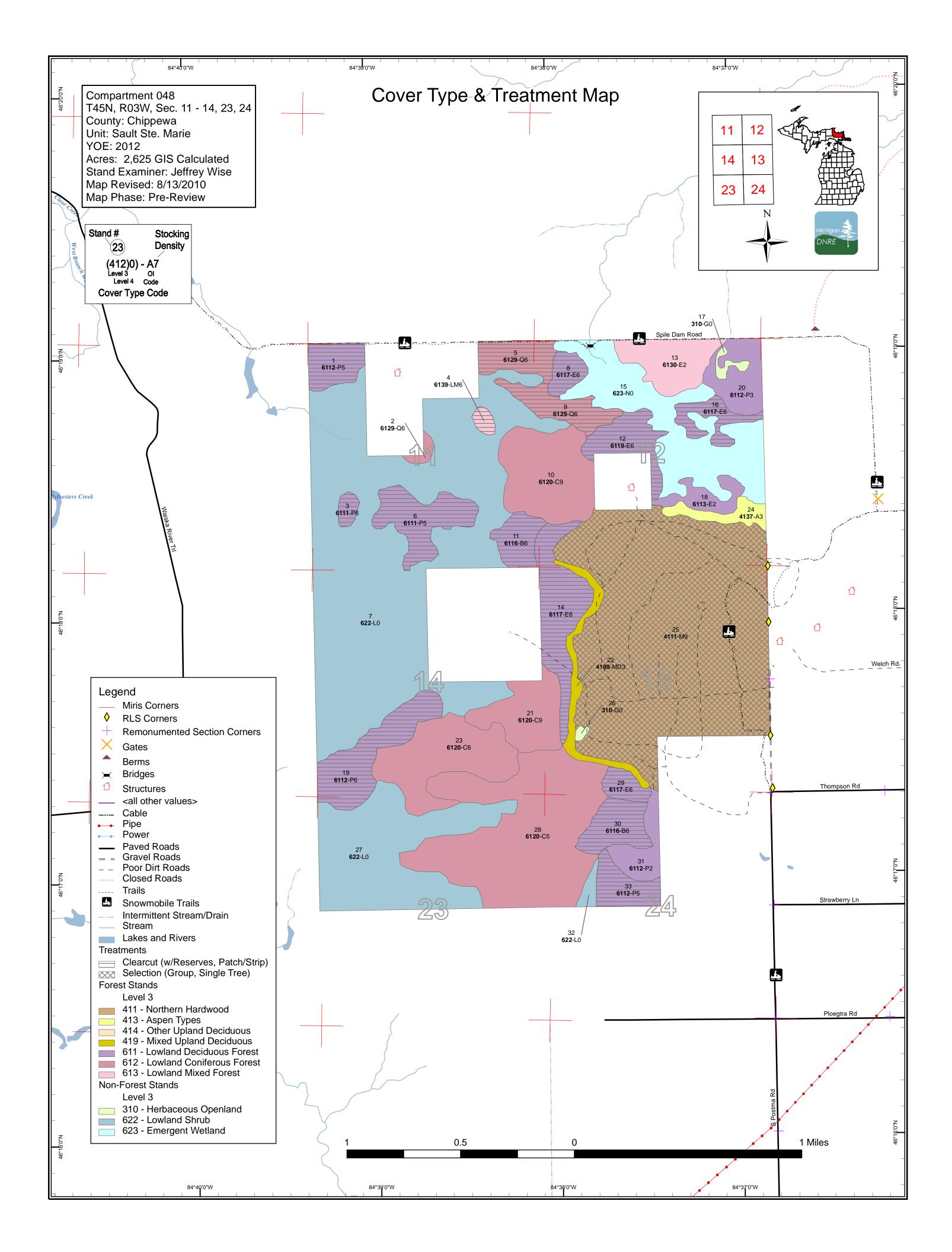
Survey Needs: Sec.'s 12, 13, and 14 all need some survey corners. See map for treatment details.

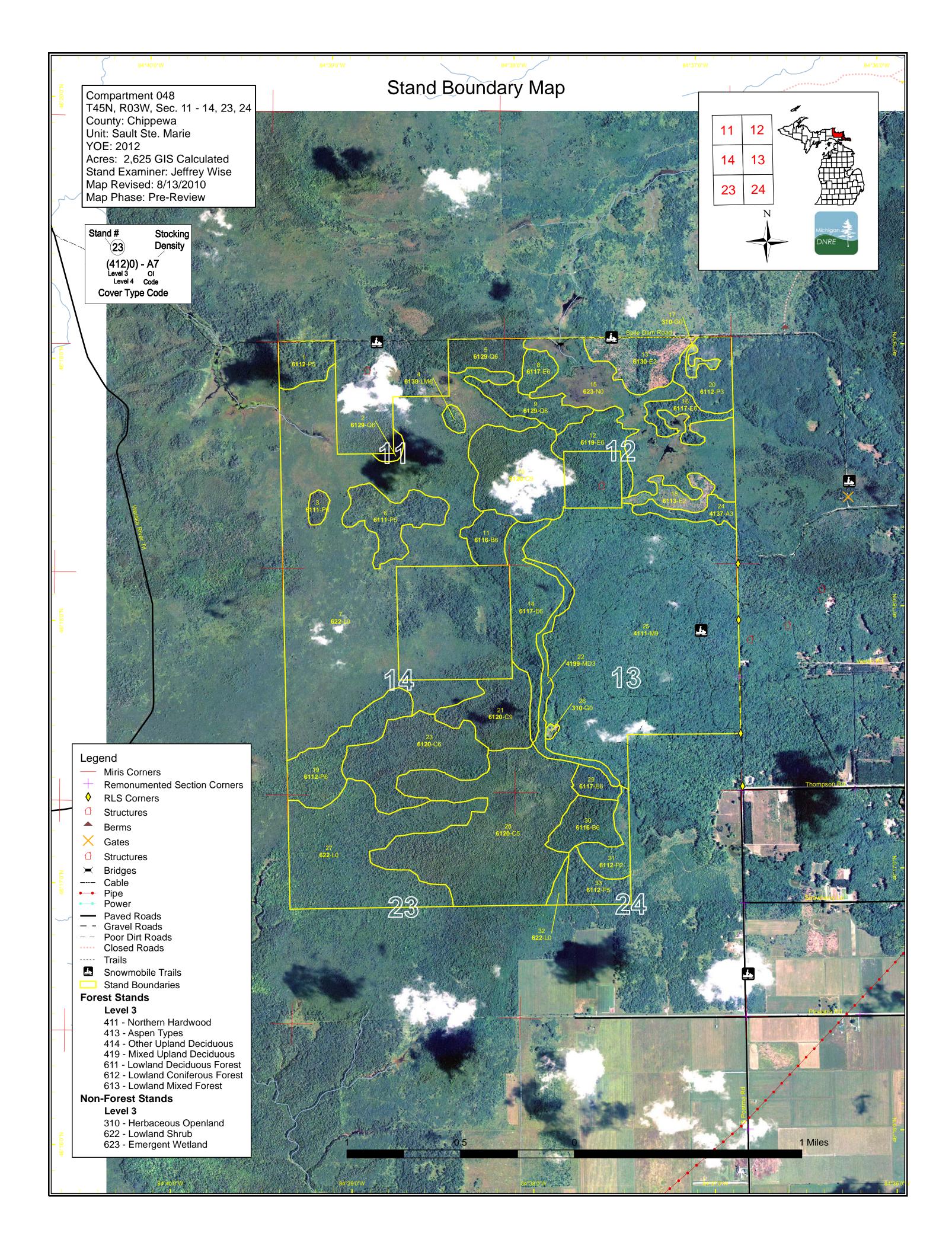
Recreational Facilities and Opportunities: The snowmobile trails are the only designated trails in the compartment. The extensive forest road system in the hardwood allows for ORV riding. Good hunting access to the west and north sides but walk in only into the cedar swamps for the interior. There is not much else to do here unless firewood cutting can be recreational.

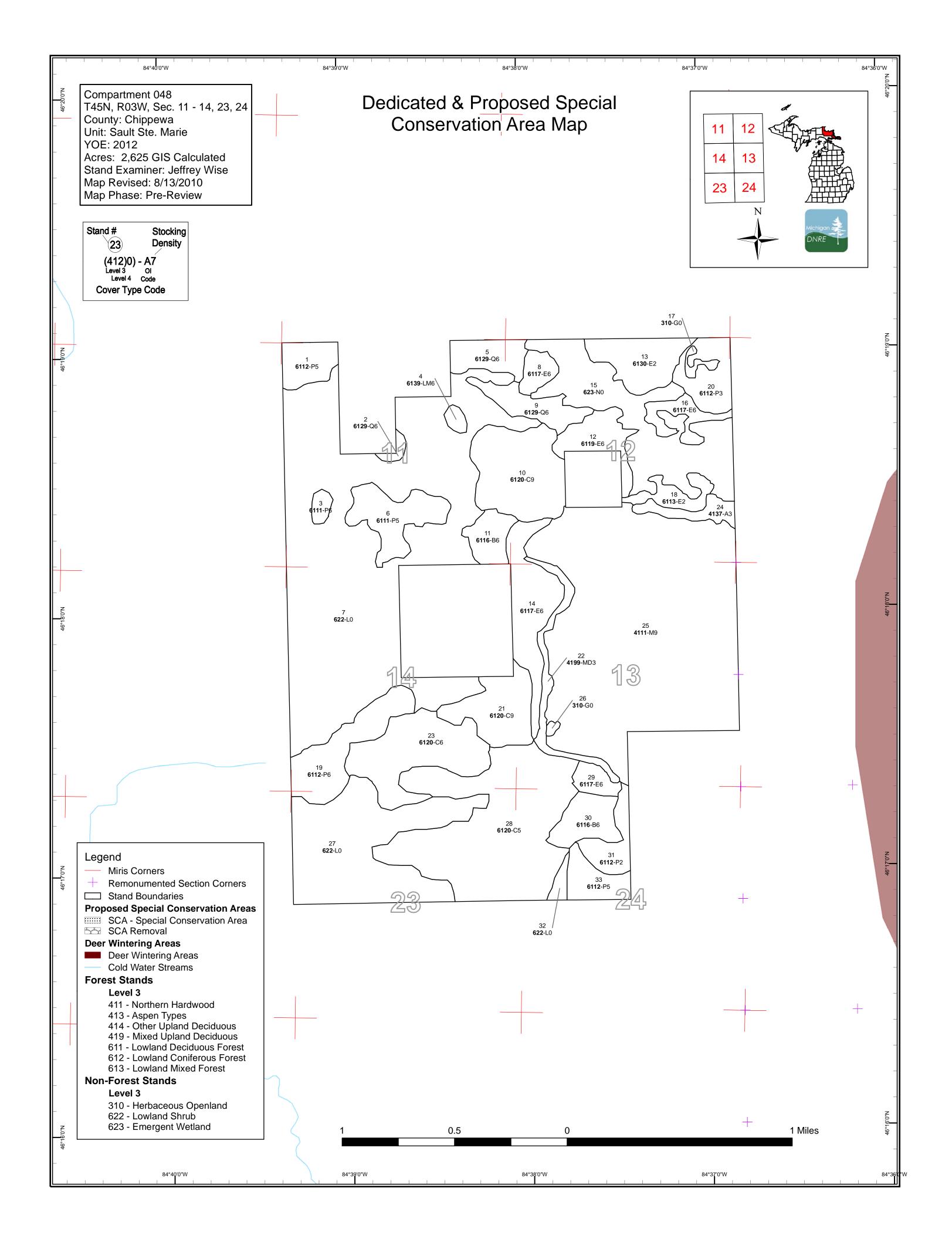
Fire Protection: Good roads in the hardwoods and along the north boundary, but the compartment is mostly swamp and lowland brush. There is no water nearby unless the swamps were full. Some ponds may be found here and there.

Additional Compartment Information: None.

- ➤ 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







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Cedar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	58	0	442	0	0	500	
Herbaceous Openland	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	
Lowland Aspen/Balsam Poplar	0	0	27	39	0	0	0	28	154	0	0	0	0	0	0	248	
Lowland Conifers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	64	0	0	5	0	0	69	j
Lowland Deciduous	0	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	143	0	0	0	0	0	178	
Lowland Mixed Forest	0	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	55	j
Lowland Shrub	770	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	770	j
Marsh	153	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	153	j
Mixed Upland Deciduous	0	0	0	0	27	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	27	
Northern Hardwood	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	540	0	0	0	540	
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Table 2 – Proposed Treatment Summaries

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Total Compartment Acres: 2625

Acres by Treatment Type

Commercial Harvest - 1009 Site Prep - 0 Tree Planting - 0 Prescribed Burn - 0 Other - 0

Habitat Cut - 0 Opening Maintenance - 0 Tree Seeding - 0 Pesticide - 0

Cover Type by Harvest Method

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Lowland Aspen/Balsam Poplar		182	0	0	0	0	0	182		
Lowland Conifers		64	0	0	0	0	0	64		
Lowland Deciduous		158	0	0	0	0	0	158		
Lowland Mixed Forest		6	0	0	0	0	0	6		
Northern Hardwo	0	540	0	0	0	0	540			
Paper Birch		59	0	0	0	0	0	59		
	Total	469	540	0	0	0	0	1009		

Compartment: 048 Sault Ste. Marie Mgt. Unit Table 3 -- Treatments Prescribed with No Limiting Factor Year of Entry 2012 s Data updated before 2:00 PM t а **Treatment** Acres Stage1 Size Stand **Treatment Treatment Cover Type** n **Approval** Method Name Objective **Status** d CoverType Density Age Type 11 45048011-Cut 24.9 4140 - Other High Density Pole 75 Harvest Clearcut with Other Mixed Upland Cmpt. Review **Upland Deciduous** Proposal Reserves Deciduous Prescription Harvest all species except oak, cedar, pine, hemlock, and yellow birch if present. Specs: <u>Other</u> survey needed. Comments: <u>Next</u> Follwo up treatment with regeneration survey as per work instructions. Regeneration of present species acceptable. Steps: 12 45048012-Cut 35.9 6119 - Mixed High Density Pole Harvest Clearcut with Mixed Lowland Cmpt. Review **Lowland Deciduous** Reserves **Deciduous Forest** Proposal Forest Prescription Harvest all species except cedar, oak, hemlock, pine, and yellow birch if present, buffer wetlands by 100 feet. Specs: <u>Other</u> Survey needed. Comments: Follow-up treatment with a regeneration survey as per the work instructions. Regeneration of present species acceptable. <u>Next</u> Steps: 45048014-Cut 70.3 6117 - Lowland High Density Pole Harvest Clearcut with Lowland Deciduous, Cmpt. Review Mixed Coniferous Deciduous, Mixed Reserves Proposal Coniferous Prescription Harvest all species except cedar, oak, hemlock, pine, and yellow birch if present. Specs: <u>Other</u> Survey needed.

Comments:

Follow-up treatment with a regeneration survey as per the work instructions. Regeneration of present species acceptable <u>Next</u>

Steps:

45048025-Cut 539.7 4111 - S.Maple, High Density Log Harvest Single Tree Selection S.Maple, Hard Mast Cmpt. Review Hard Mast Association Proposal Association

Prescription Mark half the stand to 80 BA, the other half to 100 BA, will determine where to split stand at time of slae prep. Do not mark yellow birch, oak, or Specs: basswood unless neccessary. Dead or dying hardwoods within 100 ft for any road should be marked/cut for firewood to prevent theft which has

been occuring in the area.

Survey needed, fence line on south side has always been used as the line?? maybe its good. <u>Other</u>

Comments:

Follow-up treatment with a regeneration survey as per the work instructions. Regeneration of present species acceptable.

Next Steps:

29 45048029-Cut 14.4 6117 - Lowland Clearcut with Lowland Deciduous, Cmpt. Review High Density Pole 80 Harvest Deciduous, Mixed Reserves Mixed Coniferous Proposal

Coniferous

Prescription Harvest all species except oak, cedar, pine, hemlock, and yellow birch if present.

Specs:

<u>Other</u> Comments:

Next Follow up treatment with regenreration survey as per work instructions. Regeneration of present species acceptable.

Steps:

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Table 3 -- Treatments Prescribed with No Limiting Factor

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t a n d	Treatment Name	Acres	Stage1 CoverType	Size Density	Stand Age	Treatment Type	Treatment Method	Cover Type Objective	Approval Status
30	45048030-Cut	34.5	6116 - Lowland Birch	High Density Pole	80	Harvest	Clearcut with Reserves	Lowland Deciduous, Mixed Coniferous	Cmpt. Review Proposal

<u>Prescription</u> Harvest all species except oak, cedar, pine, hemlock, and yellow birch if present.

Specs:

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Other Comments:

Next

Follow up treatment with regeneration survey as per work instructions. Regeneration of present species acceptable.

Steps:

Total Treatment

Acreage Proposed: 719.7

Sault Ste. Marie Mgt. Unit Table 4 -- Treatments Prescribed with Compartment: 048 a Limiting Factor s Data updated before 2:00 PM Year of Entry 2012 t а **Treatment** Acres Stage1 Size Stand **Treatment Treatment Cover Type Approval** n Method Name CoverType Density Objective **Status** d Age Type 45048001-Cut 28.3 6112 - Lowland Medium Density 68 Harvest Clearcut with Lowland Aspen Cmpt. Review Aspen Pole Reserves Proposal Prescription Harvest all species except oak, cedar, pine, hemlock, and yellow birch if present. Specs: Other needs survey Comment: <u>Next</u> Follow up treatment with regeneration survey as per work instructions. Regeneration of present species acceptable. Steps: Limiting Factor and No 2F: Too wet <u>Treatment Reason</u> needs survey also 45048003-Cut 7.0 6111 - Lowland Clearcut with Lowland Balsam Cmpt. Review 3 High Density Pole 75 Harvest Balsam Poplar Reserves Poplar Proposal Prescription Harvest all species except oak, cedar, pine, hemlock, and yellow birch if present. Specs: **Other** low priority Comment: Follow up treatment with regeneration survey as per work instructions. Regeneration of present species acceptable <u>Next</u> Steps: 2G: Blocked by physical obstacle Limiting Factor and No **Treatment Reason** Island in the marsh - no access 45048004-Cut 5.6 6139 - Mixed High Density Pole 117 Harvest Clearcut with Mixed Lowland Cmpt. Review Lowland Forest Reserves Forest Proposal Prescription Harvest all species except oak, pine, cedar, hemlock, and yellow birch if present. Specs: Other low priority Comment: Follow up treatment with regeneration survey as per work instructions. Regeneration of present species acceptable. <u>Next</u> Steps: Limiting Factor and No 2G: Blocked by physical obstacle **Treatment Reason** Island in the swamp - no access 45048005-Cut 30.9 6129 - Mixed High Density Pole Clearcut with Other Mixed Upland Cmpt. Review Harvest Coniferous Lowland Reserves Deciduous Proposal Forest Prescription Harvest all species except cedar, pine, oak, hemlock, and yellow birch if present.

Specs:

Survey needed. Hold ten years and manage with stand 8.

Other 4 2 2 Comment:

<u>Next</u> Follow-up treatment with a regeneration survey as per the work instructions. Regeneration of present species acceptable.

Steps:

Limiting Factor and No 5E: Age / size class diversity **Treatment Reason** hold ten years, manage with 8

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Prescription Harvest all species except oak, pine, cedar, hemlock, and yellow birch if present

Specs:

Low priority, hard to access, would need to feeze a road across the swamp, very dry or very frozen conditions.

Other 4 2 2 Comment:

Follow up treatment with regeneration survey as per work instructions. Regeneration of present species acceptable.

Next Steps:

Limiting Factor and No 2F: Too wet

Treatment Reason hard to access- low priority

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 $\underline{\underline{Prescription}} \hspace{0.2cm} \textbf{Harvest all species except oak, pine, cedar, hemlock, and yellow birch if present.}$

Specs:

Other Low priority, blocked by cedar swamp, too far to freeze a road into, probably too wet also.

Comment:

Follow up treatment with regeneration survey as per work instructions. Regeneration of present species acceptable.

Next Steps:

<u>Limiting Factor and No</u> 2G: Blocked by physical obstacle

<u>Treatment Reason</u> Low priority, blocked by a half a mile of cedar swamp, probably too wet also.

33 45048033-Cut 28.2 6112 - Lowland Medium Density 77 Harvest Clearcut with Lowland Aspen Cmpt. Review Aspen Pole Reserves Proposal

<u>Prescription</u> Harvest all species except oak, cedar, pine, hemlock, and yellow birch if present.

Specs:

Other Very wet and survey needed but meets criteria. Consider optional unit for sales to the north, harvest in very dry or very frozen weather.

Comment:

Next Follow up treatment with regeneration survey as per work instructions. Regeneration of present species acceptable.

Steps:

<u>Limiting Factor and No</u>
<u>Treatment Reason</u>

2F: Too wet
Survey needed also

Total Treatment

Acreage Proposed: 289.1

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6112 - Lowland Aspen	Medium Density Pole	28.3	68		Low quality and wet, borders Spile Dam Rd- snow trail in winter.
6129 - Mixed Coniferous Lowland Forest	High Density Pole	4.7	117		Small stand of conifer type surrounded by marsh and private
6111 - Lowland Balsam Poplar	High Density Pole	7.0	75		Island in the marsh
6139 - Mixed Lowland Forest	High Density Pole	5.6	117		Island in the marsh
6129 - Mixed Coniferous Lowland Forest	High Density Pole	30.9	80		Snowmobile trail/Spile Dam Rd
6111 - Lowland Balsam Poplar	Medium Density Pole	52.4	75		Larger island of timber in the marsh, no access, OI shows 50 BA of balm, aspen, and fir.
6117 - Lowland Deciduous, Mixed Coniferous	High Density Pole	15.0	78		Wet in places, but trees are in good shape
6129 - Mixed Coniferous Lowland Forest	High Density Pole	33.1	80		Wet and boggy low land conifers, with tag alder and other ground brush, north part is in better shape to manage than the south.
6120 - Lowland Cedar	High Density Log	96.2	117		Almost all cedar, many sawlog size, cedar regen on the north along the wetland border. Found some of the old strip cuts and they are pure balsam fir regen.
6116 - Lowland Birch	High Density Pole	24.9	75		Very nice stand, open and "park like" toward the western edge more of a mix toward the east, its not really "lowland" but not high and dry either. Found four log/earth foundations can't tell if its a logging camp or an old settlement, Lat N46' 18.317, Long W084' 38.109.
6119 - Mixed Lowland Deciduous Forest	High Density Pole	35.9	80		Stand is in good shape, looks as if it would convert to red maple and fir, if the aspen and birch die off.
6130 - Fir, Aspen, Maple	Medium Density	49.7	5		Cut in 2005
6117 - Lowland Deciduous, Mixed Coniferous	High Density Pole	70.3	84		Typical mix of the "E" type, lots of red maple and birch, north end has more aspen. Illegal quad trail through stand.
6117 - Lowland Deciduous, Mixed Coniferous	High Density Pole	22.0	86		No access, island in the lowland brush.
6113 - Lowland Maple	Medium Density	20.6	6		Cut in 2004
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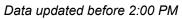
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19	6112 - Lowland Aspen	High Density Pole	66.6	75		No access and wet
20	6112 - Lowland Aspen	High Density Sapling	39.2	25		Cut in 1984, has meadows and grassy areas, but wet.
21	6120 - Lowland Cedar	High Density Log	58.0	93		Huge cedar
22	4199 - Other Mixed Upland Deciduous	High Density Sapling	27.2	30		Wildlife cut strip (2-4 chains) between hardwood and cedar, looks good but not quite pulp stand yet, actually has some BI Cherry regen.
23	6120 - Lowland Cedar	High Density Pole	99.3	117		No access, maybe combine with 28, old notes say thick and brushy.
24	4137 - Aspen, Birch	High Density Sapling	18.2	30		Cut in 1978, approaching pole size but avg DBH is around 4"
25	4111 - S.Maple, Hard Mast Association	High Density Log	539.7	100	111-140	Very nice stand for "east end", approaching regulation, but missing 2-4 inch class in places, good regen in places, lots of crop trees and big trees. Some big oaks are dieing and locals are cutting them down and stealing them so we issued wood permits in 2010.
28	6120 - Lowland Cedar	Medium Density Pole	246.4	117		Largest stand in the south part
29	6117 - Lowland Deciduous, Mixed Coniferous	High Density Pole	14.4	80		Softwood is falling out, lots of blowdown.
30	6116 - Lowland Birch	High Density Pole	34.5	80		Nice birch, get it while its good.
31	6112 - Lowland Aspen	Medium Density	26.5	18		May look non forested because there are ponds in the middle.
33	6112 - Lowland Aspen	Medium Density Pole	28.2	77		Low and wet, a lot like stand 2, much of the stand is already regenerating thus canopy call on aspen, Rudyard school has done some cutting so lines are OK, south line will need a survey.

6 - Nonforested Stands





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Stand	Cover Type	Acres	Gen Cmts:
7	6229 - Mixed lowland shrub	578.5	
15	6239 - Mixed Emergent Wetland	153.4	
17	310 - Herbaceous Openland	4.8	
26	3105 - Mixed Upland Herbaceous	1.8	little opening that was 13 acres at one time, probably an ole landing or sugar bush, filling in with aspen, maple, cherry. Could use some set-back, still big enough to camp or "party", or dump trash.
27	6229 - Mixed lowland shrub	184.8	
32	6229 - Mixed lowland shrub	6.7	

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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.

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Stand	SCA Type	SCA Name	Acres	Comments

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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	Data updated before 2:00 PM	ERA = Ecological Reference Area HCVA = High Conservation Value Area SCA = Special Conservation Area
SCA	Cold Water Stream	stocked trout popul year to year. Coldw contributions of gro	lations and those of other coldwater fish vater streams in Michigan typically provid	conditions that allow naturally-reproduced or species (e.g., slimy sculpin) to persist from the these conditions due to substantial eams are established by Director's action and