

#### ATLANTA FOREST MANAGEMENT UNIT

### COMPARTMENT REVIEW PRESENTATION

**COMPARTMENT 7 ENTRY YEAR: 2014** 

Compartment Acreage: 1730 County: Montmorency

**Revision Date:** July 3, 2012

**Stand Examiner:** Darrick Coy

**Legal Description:** T29N R2E Sections 4, 5, and 6

Management Area: Avery Hills

**Management Goals:** To provide for the protection, integrated management and responsible use of a healthy, productive, and undiminished forest resource base for the social, recreational, environmental, and economic benefit of the State of Michigan. Timber harvests prescribed will reserve and regenerate the older aspen age classes, improve vigor in oak stands through thinning, and be designed to minimize impacts on recreational users.

**Soil and Topography:** Soils are mostly well to excessively drained sands, specifically, Rubicon and Roselawn in uplands. Lowlands are fairly sparse in the compartment and mostly occur in small narrow areas. Overall, the topography is rolling to steep. The compartment forest habitat types are mostly PArVHa & PArVVb.

Ownership Patterns, Development, and Land Use in and Around the Compartment: Mostly state owned land, a private ski club converted into a hunting club juts into the compartment within section 6. State land boarders to the adjacent north and south of the compartment. Land use within the compartment is primarily, antrim oil and gas, ORV recreation, and various hunting activities. Some year-round dwellings occur to the east of the compartment along Avery Lake to the northeast.

**Unique**, **Natural Features:** Contains potential occurrences of grizzled zipper, sloe plum, and common loon. See MNFI records.

Archeological, Historical, and Cultural Features: Potential old farm sites and prehistoric use.

**Special Management Designations or Considerations:** Portions of state forestland located within section 4 were previously designated as Special Conservation Areas (SCAs) for potential old growth. All previously designated SCA old growth stands that were non-forest or recently clearcut have been undesignated. Other forested stands had potential SCA old growth designations removed due to not meeting criteria or having characteristics of an old growth forest. Management activities within all SCA stands are restricted and must follow Work Instruction 1.4 guidelines. Also, all management activities must follow Best Management Practice (BMP) guidelines when conducted within the areas that are significantly wet and adjacent to Avery Lake.

Watershed and Fisheries Considerations: Sheridan Creek, tributaries to Crooked Creek, and Avery Lake.

Wildlife Habitat Considerations: Compartment 7 is part of a larger complex of State Forest dominated by oak and aspen on steep hilly ridges. There is a diverse mix of aspen age classes. In the previous review period it was recommended that no cutting occur to allow some aspen to mature and be cut during this review period to maintain these diverse age classes. Current prescriptions will allow this to occur as intended. The young aspen created by harvest will benefit several featured wildlife species including American woodcock and ruffed grouse. Oak thinning will allow the remaining oak to retain vigor and benefit species such as wood duck and white-tailed deer. Several openings within this compartment are in need of being reclaimed or maintained to enhance their value to wildlife such as wild turkey and deer.

Mineral Resource and Development Concerns and/or Restrictions: Surface sediments consist of coarse-textured glacial till and glacial outwash sand and gravel and postglacial alluvium. The glacial drift thickness varies between 600 and 800 feet. Beneath the glacial drift is the Mississippian Coldwater Shale. There is no known economic use for the Coldwater Shale. The nearest gravel pit is located two miles to the south. There should be gravel potential on the upland areas. This area has been drilled and is producing gas from the Antrim Shale.

**Vehicle Access:** Access to the compartment is almost too good. There are quite a few of access two-tracks were created from oil and gas easements. Trash dumping within the compartment was surprisingly minimal.

**Survey Needs:** Section 6 private parcels

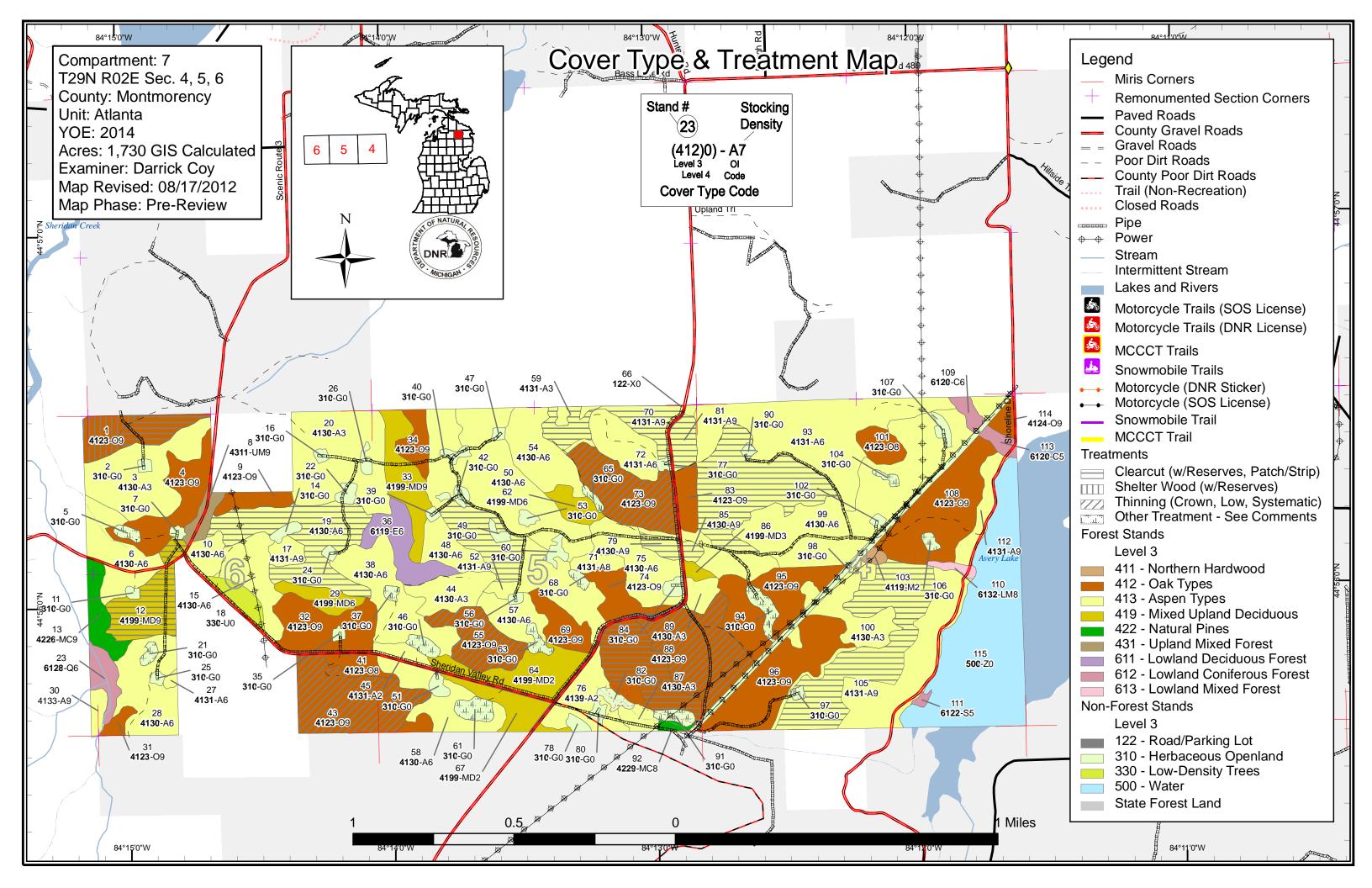
**Recreational Facilities and Opportunities:** The area is primarily used for ORVs, hunting, and fishing. Some existing illegal ORV route locations will be blocked off through timber sale specifications. Any means of blocking access for ORVs using the existing powerline to the east will most-likely fail or prove to be extremely difficult due to heavy use.

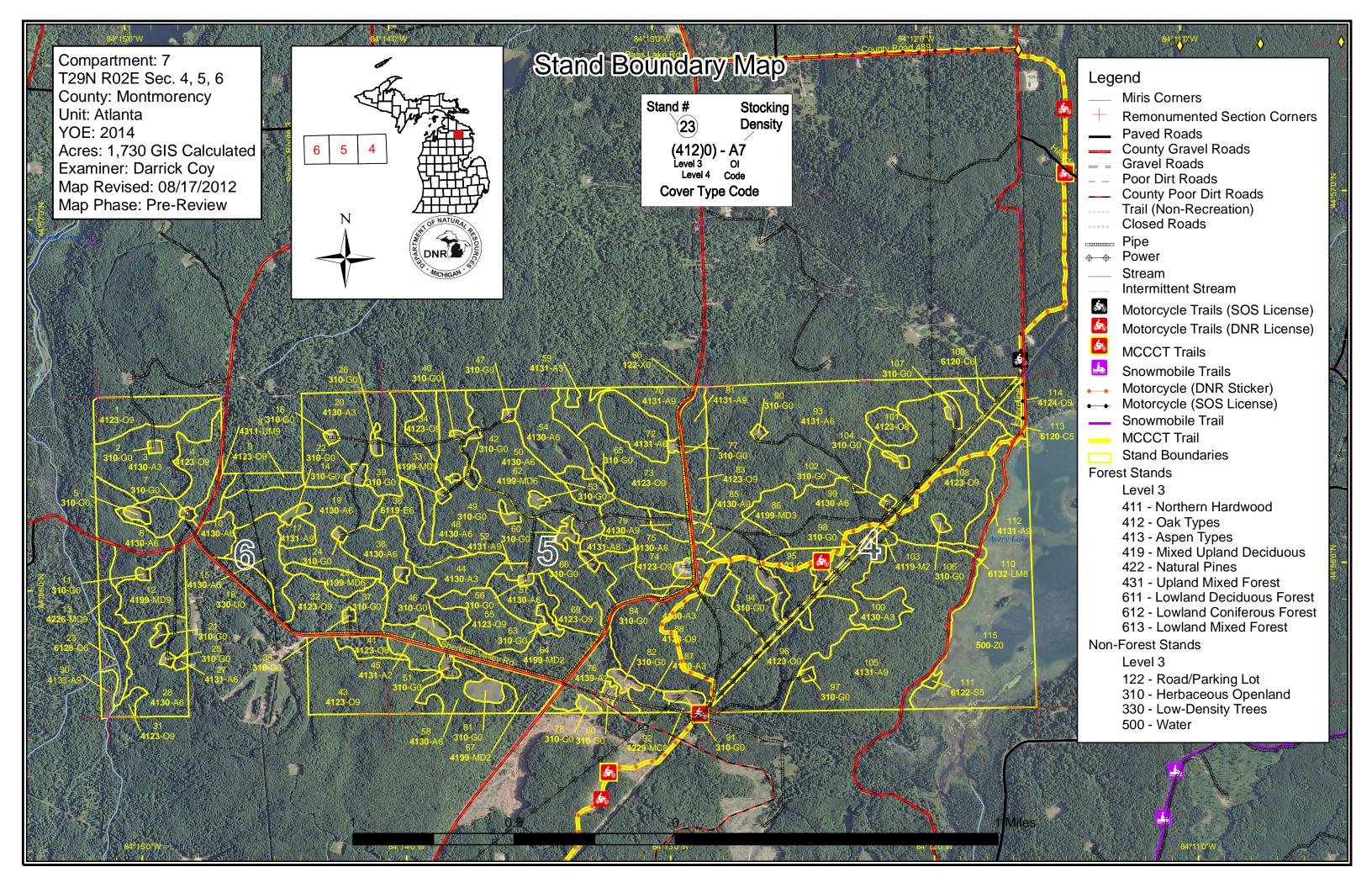
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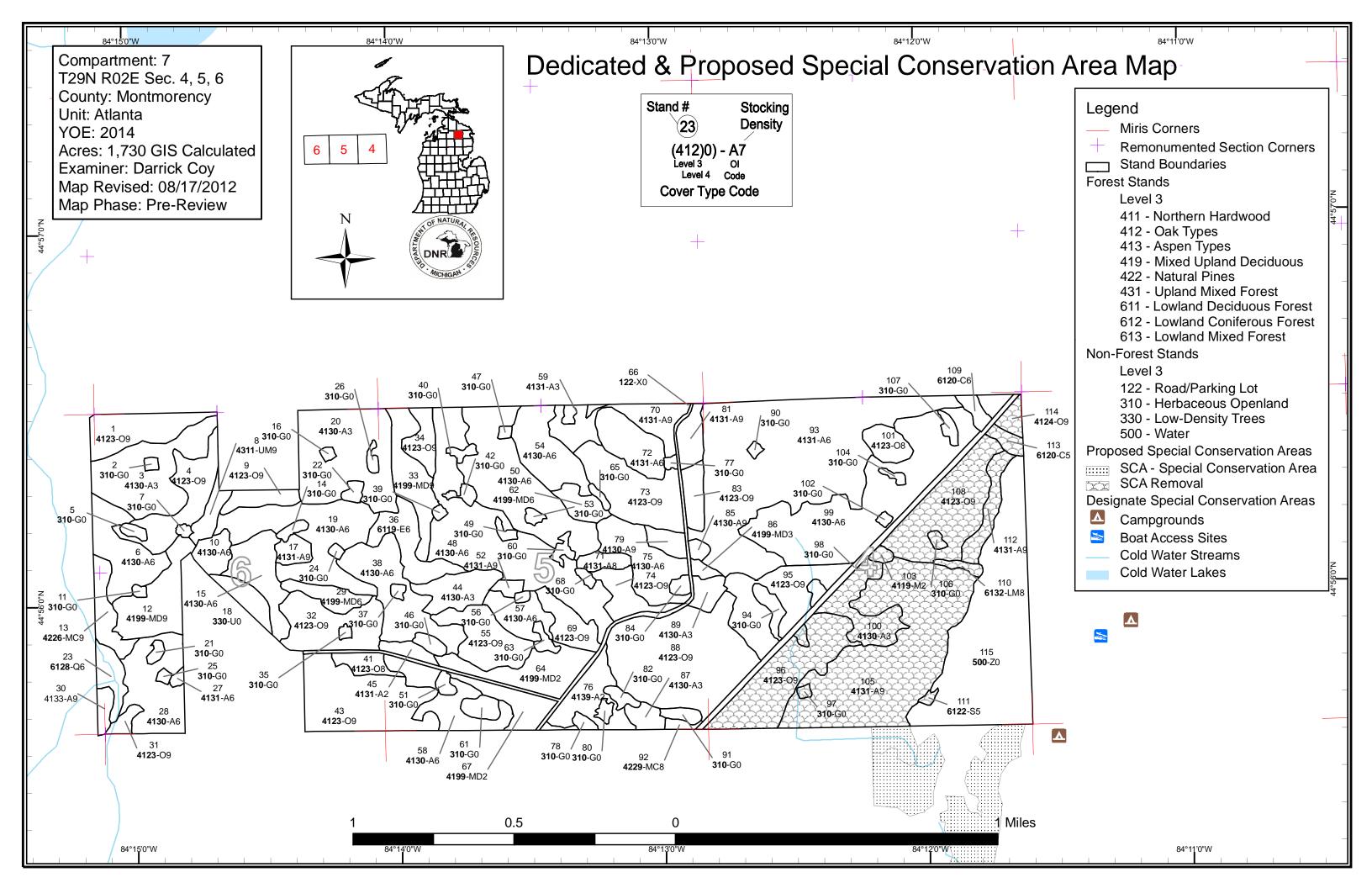
### **Additional Compartment Information:**

- > The following 5 reports from the Operations Inventory System (OIPC) are attached:
  - **♦** Cover Type by Age Class

- **♦** Cover Type by Management Objective
- **♦** Compartment Volume Summary
- **♦** Proposed Treatments No Limiting Factors
- **♦** Proposed Treatments With Limiting Factors
- ➤ The following information is displayed, where pertinent, on the attached compartment maps:
  - ♦ Base feature information, stand numbers, cover types
  - **♦** Proposed treatments
  - **♦** Proposed road access system
  - ♦ Suggested potential old growth







Compartment 007 Year of Entry 2014

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Derek Coy: Examiner



#### Age Class

Age Class																
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Herbaceous Openland	85	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	85	ı
Low-Density Trees	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	ĺ
Lowland Conifers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	9	ĺ
Lowland Deciduous	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	0	0	0	0	18	ĺ
Lowland Mixed Forest	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	ĺ
Lowland Spruce/Fir	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	ĺ
Mixed Upland Deciduous	36	0	2	8	0	0	0	0	25	29	0	0	0	0	100	ĺ
Natural Mixed Pines	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	2	0	13	
Northern Hardwood	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	ĺ
Oak	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	87	345	0	0	0	0	432	ĺ
Upland Mixed Forest	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	7	ĺ
Urban	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	
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### **Table 2 – Proposed Treatment Summaries**

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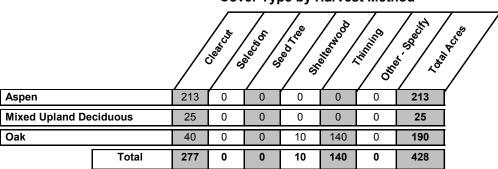
Compartment 007 Year of Entry 2014 **Total Compartment Acres: 1730** 

### **Acres by Treatment Type**

Commercial Harvest - 428 Site Prep - 0 Tree Planting - 0 Prescribed Burn - 0 Other - 0

Habitat Cut - 0 Tree Seeding - 0 Pesticide - 0 Opening Maintenance - 29

### **Cover Type by Harvest Method**



### Table 3 -- Treatments Prescribed with No Limiting Factor

Compartment: 007
Year of Entry 2014

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n d	Treatment Name	Acres	CoverType	Size Density	Stand Age	BA Range	Treatment Type	Treatment Method	Cover Type Objective	Approval Status
1	54007001-Cut	10.4	4123 - Red Oak	High Density Loc	87	51-80	Harvest	Shelter Wood with Reserves	4122 - Oak, Pine	Cmpt. Review Proposal

Prescription -shelterwood- leave 30-40 BA of oak and pine (partial stand treatment -see treatment layer)

-select mast oak to leave to help protect wp during felling and bucking operations

-no other retention needed, all species represented

-require shortwood only and protect sapling pine in sale specs

Other Comments:

Next -regen survey 3-5 years

Steps: -oak, pine, and red maple regeneration of medium to well stocking is expected

Proposed

Start Date: 10/01/2013

1 54007001- 10.7 4123 - Red Oak High 87 51-80 Harvest Clearcut with 4121 - Oak, Aspen Cmpt. Review Cut1 Density Log Reserves Proposal

Prescription -clearcut (partial stand treatment -see treatment layer)

Specs: -leave 3-7% in retention as multiple scattered clumps of all representative tree species

Other Comments:

Next -regen survey 3-5 years

Steps: -oak, aspen, and red maple regeneration of medium to well stocking is expected

**Proposed** 

Start Date: 10/01/2013

1254007012-Cut24.64199 - Other MixedHigh84HarvestClearcut with4131 - Aspen, OakCmpt. ReviewUpland DeciduousDensity LogReservesProposal

Prescription -clearcut

Specs: -leave all pine and white oak

-mark an additional 1-2 oak/acre (mast red oak)

-shortwood only in specs -protect wp saps in specs -leave 3-7% in retention pocket(s)

Other Comments:

Next -regen survey 3-5 years

Steps: -aspen, oak, and red maple regeneration of medium to well stocking is expected

<u>Proposed</u>

Start Date: 10/01/2013

1954007019-Cut44.84130 - AspenHigh46HarvestClearcut with4139 - Aspen,Cmpt. ReviewDensityReservesMixed DeciduousProposal

Pole

<u>Prescription</u> -clearcut

<u>Specs:</u> -protect wet areas with buffering 2-3 chains

-leave all pine (mostly to the NE)

-retain 1-2 mast oak/acre (oak that were not removed from previous clearcut)

-leave 3-7% in retention pockets

Other Comments:

Next -aspen, red maple, and oak regeneration of medium to well stocking is expected

Steps:

<u>Proposed</u>

Start Date: 10/01/2013

### Table 3 -- Treatments Prescribed with No Limiting Factor

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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
43	54007043-Cut	43.9	4123 - Red Oak	High Density Loc	95 1	81-110	Harvest	Crown Thinning	4123 - Red Oak	Cmpt. Review Proposal

Prescription -thin stand to 80-90ba

Specs: -partial stand treatment for steep area to southeast being excluded (see treatment layer)

- -mark all trees (use boundary line if desired) to cut in dominant large aspen pockets (primarily in center of treatment area)
- -some areas will be unmarked to south and northwest
- -mark unthrifty/small crowned trees
- -do not cut all rm and aspen, mark-to-cut as needed
- -suggest mark to cut/cruise during leaf off for best visibility
- -avoid cutting white oak when other trees are available
- -shortwood only in specs

-require protecting skid trails/slopes with slash, waterbars, and berms per sale administrators request upon exiting sale for slopes and potential

new illegal ORV use

Other\_ Comments:

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<u>Next</u> Steps:

**Proposed** 

Start Date: 10/01/2013

54007048-Cut 21.2 4130 - Aspen High 36 Harvest Clearcut with 4130 - Aspen Cmpt. Review Reserves Proposal Density

Pole

Prescription -clearcut (partial stand treatment, see treatment layer)

-retention pockets 3-10% treatment acreage Specs:

Other\_ Comments:

<u>Next</u> -aspen regeneration of medium to well stocking is expected

Steps:

Specs:

**Proposed** 

10/01/2013 Start Date:

54007055-Cut 21.9 4123 - Red Oak 81-110 Harvest Crown Thinning 4123 - Red Oak Cmpt. Review 55 High 92 Density Log Proposal

Prescription -thin stand to 80-90ba -mark unthrifty/small crowned trees

-do not cut all rm and aspen, mark-to-cut as needed

- -avoid cutting white oak when other trees are available
- -shortwood only in specs
- -put redline along hilltop towards NW portion of stand giving forwarding equipment room to operate
- -avoid marking to cut on slopes >35% with no equipment access
- -require protecting skid trails/slopes with slash, waterbars, and berms per sale administrators request upon exiting sale for slopes and potential

new illegal ORV use

Other\_ Comments:

<u>Next</u> Steps:

**Proposed** 

10/01/2013 Start Date:

### Table 3 -- Treatments Prescribed with No Limiting Factor

Compartment: 007 Year of Entry 2014

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t а **Treatment** Acres CoverType Size Stand BA **Treatment Treatment Cover Type Approval** n Density Method Objective **Status** Name Range d Age Type 54007070-Cut 19.9 4131 - Aspen, Oak High 92 Harvest Clearcut with 4131 - Aspen, Oak Cmpt. Review Reserves Proposal Density Log

Prescription -clearcut

Specs: -leave 3-7% in retention pockets

-maintain 66ft buffer between higher quality oak stand to south (reduce epicormic branching) (advise lumping with thinned treatment and leaving

unmarked)

-buffer will serve as 3-7% acreage retention

-leave all pine and white oak -leave 1-2 red oak/acre -protect subcanopy pine in specs -shortwood only for slopes in specs

Other\_ -timber trespass within adjacent stand to NW

-survey corners are in and bases of trees along PVT/State already painted with blue from trespass Comments:

<u>Next</u> -aspen and oak regeneration of medium to well stocking is expected

Steps:

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**Proposed** 

Start Date: 10/01/2013

54007073-Cut 4123 - Red Oak 81-110 Cmpt. Review 32.3 High Harvest Crown Thinning 4123 - Red Oak Proposal

**Density Log** 

Prescription -thin stand to 80-90ba

-mark unthrifty/small crowned trees Specs:

-do not cut all rm and aspen, mark-to-cut as needed -avoid cutting white oak when other trees are available

-shortwood only in specs

Other\_ Comments:

<u>Next</u> Steps:

**Proposed** 

10/01/2013 Start Date:

79 54007079-Cut 4.5 4130 - Aspen High 88 Harvest Clearcut 4130 - Aspen Cmpt. Review **Density Log** Proposal

Prescription -clearcut

-maintain 66ft buffer between higher quality oak stand to north (reduce epicormic branching) (advise lumping with thinned treatment and leaving <u>Specs:</u>

unmarked)

-buffer will serve as 3-7% acreage retention

Other . Comments:

Next -aspen regeneration of medium to well stocking is expected

Steps:

Proposed

10/01/2013 Start Date:

54007081-Cut 7.5 4131 - Aspen, Oak High 87 51-80 Harvest Clearcut with 4131 - Aspen, Oak Cmpt. Review **Density Log** Reserves Proposal

<u>Prescription</u> -clearcut

-leave 1-2 oak/acre (red oak only) and all pine and white oak Specs:

-require shortwood for visual concerns and potential erosion from hills

-no other retention necessary (already excluded to north by curve/steep terrain

-protect subcanopy pine in specs

Other Comments:

-aspen, oak, and red maple regeneration of medium to well stocking is expected Next

Steps:

**Proposed** 

10/01/2013 Start Date:

# Table 3 -- Treatments Prescribed with No Limiting Factor

Compartment: 007 Year of Entry 2014 DNR DNR

a n d	Treatment Name	Acres	CoverType	Size Density	Stand Age	BA Range	Treatment Type	Treatment Method	Cover Type Objective	Approval Status
85	54007085-Cut	2.2	4130 - Aspen	High Density Log	88		Harvest	Clearcut	4130 - Aspen	Cmpt. Review Proposal

Prescription -clearcut

Specs: -no retention due to size

Other Comments:

Next -aspen regeneration of medium to well stocking is expected

Steps:

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<u>Proposed</u>

Start Date: 10/01/2013

88 54007088-cc- 28.9 4123 - Red Oak High 93 111-140 Harvest Clearcut with 4121 - Oak, Aspen Cmpt. Review Cut Density Log Reserves Proposal

Prescription -clearcut (partial stand treatment, see treatment layer)

Specs: -leave 1 clump of 2-3 oak per acre -leave 3-10% in retention pocket(s)

-leave 3-10% in retention pocket(s)-protect ORV trail in specs

-require logger to place some berms, logging slash, and drop a few designated trees at scramble area OFS locations to the west to help prevent further erosion and illegal ORV use in sale specs (see OFS layer)

-shortwood only in specs for slopes

-require protecting skid trails/slopes with slash, waterbars, and berms per sale administrators request upon exiting sale for slopes and potential

new illegal ORV use

Other Comments:

Next -regen survey 3-5 years

-oak, aspen, and red maple regeneration of medium to well stocking is expected

<u>Proposed</u>

Steps:

Start Date: 10/01/2013

88 54007088-Cut 42.2 4123 - Red Oak High 93 111-140 Harvest Crown Thinning 4123 - Red Oak Cmpt. Review Density Log Proposal

Prescription -thin stand to 80-90ba (partial stand treatment, see treatment layer)

Specs: -mark unthrifty/small crowned trees

-do not cut all rm and aspen, mark-to-cut as needed
 -suggest mark to cut/cruise during leaf off for best visibility
 -avoid cutting white oak when other trees are available

-protect ORV trail in specs-shortwood only in specs

-require protecting skid trails/slopes with slash, waterbars, and berms per sale administrators request upon exiting sale for slopes and potential

new illegal ORV use

-avoid damaging illegal burial site (see OFS)

Other Comments:

Next Steps:

<u>Proposed</u>

Start Date: 10/01/2013

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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
93	54007093-Cut	54.7	4131 - Aspen, Oak	High Density	36		Harvest	Clearcut with Reserves	4130 - Aspen	Cmpt. Review Proposal

Prescription -clearcut

<u>Specs:</u> -leave 1 clump of 2-3 oak per acre -leave 3-10% in retention pocket(s)

-use two-tracks for N, E, and S treatment boundaries

Other Comments:

-medium to well stocking of aspen, red maple, and oak regeneration is expected

Next Steps:

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Start Date: 10/01/2013

10554007105-Cut58.54131 - Aspen, OakHigh Density Log9381-110Harvest ReservesClearcut with Reserves4131 - Aspen, Oak ProposalCmpt. Review

<u>Prescription</u> -clearcut (partial stand treatment, see treatment layer)

<u>Specs:</u> -keep sale boundary to the NW side of the ridgeline heading to the NE-SW

-leave the delineated uncut ~400ft buffer along lake for areas of difficult terrian (slope over 35%) and to alleviate visual concerns for lakeside users

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-maintain 66ft aspen buffer between higher quality oak stand to west (reduce epicormic branching)

-leave all pine and white oak -leave 1-2 oak acre (red oak)

-leave 7-10% in retention pockets, inside RX area only for slopes over 35%

-shortwood only in specs

-require protecting skid trails/slopes with slash, waterbars, and berms per sale administrators request upon exiting sale for slopes and potential

new illegal ORV use

Other Comments:

Next -aspen, oak, and red maple regeneration of medium to well stocking is expected

Steps:

Proposed Start Data:

Start Date: 10/01/2013

5 NF\_54007005- 1.9 310 - Herbaceous Non-Forest Other - Specify 3102 - Grass Cmpt. Review NonFor Openland Management Proposal

Prescription Maintain as opening through mowing and/or planting to food and cover crops for wildlife

Specs:

Other Steep slope on south side. plant high ground.

Comments:

Next Monitor for cover type and perform opening maintenance on 5-10 year rotation

Steps:

Proposed

Start Date: Unspecified

21NF\_54007021-1.7310 - HerbaceousNon-ForestOther - Specify3102 - GrassCmpt. ReviewNonForOpenlandManagementProposal

Prescription Maintain as opening through mowing and/or planting to food and cover crops for wildlife

Specs:

Other Comments:

Next Monitor for cover type and perform opening maintenance on 5-10 year rotation

Steps:

**Proposed** 

Start Date: Unspecified

### Table 3 -- Treatments Prescribed

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37	NF_54007037- NonFor	1.2	310 - Herbaceous Openland				Non-Forest Management	Other - Specify	3102 - Grass	Cmpt. Review Proposal
Pres Spec		as openii	ng through mowing and	or planting	to food a	and cover	•			·
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46	NF_54007046- NonFor	2.9	310 - Herbaceous Openland				Non-Forest Management	Other - Specify	3102 - Grass	Cmpt. Review Proposal
Pres Spec		as openii	ng through mowing and	or planting	to food a	and cover	crops for wildlife			
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<u>Next</u> Step		for cover t	type and perform openii	ng maintena	ance on s	5-10 year r	rotation			
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61	NF_54007061- NonFor	4.6	310 - Herbaceous Openland				Non-Forest Management	Other - Specify	3102 - Grass	Cmpt. Review Proposal
Pres Spec		as openi	ng through mowing and	or planting	to food a	and cover	crops for wildlife			
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<u>Next</u> Step		for cover t	type and perform opening	ng mainten	ance on s	5-10 year r	rotation			
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63	NF_54007063- NonFor	2.5	310 - Herbaceous Openland				Non-Forest Management	Other - Specify	3102 - Grass	Cmpt. Review Proposal
Pres Spec		as openi	ng through mowing and	or planting/	to food a	and cover	crops for wildlife			
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<u>Next</u> Step		for cover t	type and perform openii	ng maintena	ance on (	5-10 year r	otation			
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65	NF_54007065- NonFor	1.3	310 - Herbaceous Openland				Non-Forest Management	Other - Specify	3102 - Grass	Cmpt. Review Proposal
Pres Spec		as openi	ng through mowing and	or planting	to food a	and cover	crops for wildlife			
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68	NF_54007068- NonFor	1.4	310 - Herbaceous Openland				Non-Forest Management	Other - Specify	3102 - Grass	Cmpt. Review Proposal
Preso Spec		n as openi	ng through mowing and	or planting	to food	and cover	crops for wildlife			
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<u>Next</u> Steps		for cover	type and perform openi	ng maintena	ance on	5-10 year ı	rotation			
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91	NF_54007091- NonFor	3.0	310 - Herbaceous Openland				Non-Forest Management	Other - Specify	3102 - Grass	Cmpt. Review Proposal
Preso Spec		n as openi	ng through mowing and	or planting	to food a	and cover	crops for wildlife			
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Next Steps		for cover	type and perform openi	ng maintena	ance on	5-10 year ı	rotation			
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94	NF_54007094- NonFor	4.5	310 - Herbaceous Openland				Non-Forest Management	Other - Specify	3102 - Grass	Cmpt. Review Proposal
Preso Spec		n as openi	ng through mowing and	or planting	to food a	and cover	crops for wildlife			
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Next Steps		for cover	type and perform openi	ng maintena	ance on	5-10 year ı	rotation			
Propo Start I		ïed								
97	NF_54007097- NonFor	0.9	310 - Herbaceous Openland				Non-Forest Management	Other - Specify	3102 - Grass	Cmpt. Review Proposal
Preso Spec		n as openi	ng through mowing and	or planting/	to food a	and cover	crops for wildlife			
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Next Steps		for cover	type and perform openi	ng mainten	ance on	5-10 year ı	rotation			
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104	NF_54007104- NonFor	1.3	310 - Herbaceous Openland				Non-Forest Management	Other - Specify	3102 - Grass	Cmpt. Review Proposal
Preso Spec		n as openi	ng through mowing and	or planting	to food a	and cover	crops for wildlife			
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# Table 3 -- Treatments Prescribed with No Limiting Factor

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t а Treatment Acres CoverType Size Stand BA **Treatment Treatment Cover Type Approval** n Method Objective Status Name Density Age Range Type d NF 54007106-1.4 Non-Forest Other - Specify 3102 - Grass Cmpt. Review

 $\underline{\underline{Prescription}} \ \ \text{Maintain as opening through mowing and/or planting to food and cover crops for wildlife}$ 

Specs:

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Other Comments:

Next Monitor for cover type and perform opening maintenance on 5-10 year rotation

Steps:

**Proposed** 

Start Date: Unspecified

Total Treatment

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Acreage Proposed: 456.6

Atlanta Mgt. Unit Table 4 -- Treatments Prescribed with Compartment: 007 a Limiting Factor s Year of Entry 2014 n Treatment **Acres** CoverType Size Stand BA **Treatment Treatment Cover Type Approval** Name Method Objective Status Density Age Range Type d #Error Prescription Specs: <u>Other</u> Comment: <u>Next</u> Steps: <u>Proposed</u> Start Date: #Error

Total Treatment Acreage Proposed:

Limiting Factor and No Treatment Reason

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#### Out of YOE -- Treatments **Prescribed with No Limiting Factor**

Year of Entry: 2014

Treatmer Name	nt Acres	CoverType	Size Density	Stand Age	BA Range	Treatment Type	Treatment Method	Cover Type Objective	Approval Status
54002031- CCR Burn/Scar		42220 - Natural Jack Pine	High Density Pole	69		Harvest	Clearcut with Reserves	42121 - Planted Jack Pine, Mixed Deciduous	Cmpt. Review Proposal - Incomplete

Specs:

Prescription Do not cut red pine, white pine, oak. Acceptable regeneration is any combination of aspen, oak, jack pine, red pine, or white pine resulting in a medium or well stocked stand. Retain 3 to 10 percent of stand area in one or more patches. Location(s) will be determined during sale prep and will be representative of the stand's species mix as a whole.

Other\_

Comments:

Next Post harvest: if this treatment falls inside of a BSA, then burn or scarify before planting jack pine. When planting, attempt to avoid the use of trenching. If the treatment is not inside a BSA, plant jack pine. Steps:

Proposed

10/01/2010 Start Date:

> 2.9 54002031-N-42220 - Natural 69 42121 - Planted Cmpt. Review High Harvest Clearcut with CCR Jack Pine Density Reserves Jack Pine, Mixed Proposal -Pole Deciduous Incomplete **Burn/Scarify**

Specs:

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will be representative of the stand's species mix as a whole.

Other\_

Comments:

Post harvest: if this treatment falls inside of a BSA, then burn or scarify before planting jack pine. When planting, attempt to avoid the use of Next Steps:

trenching. If the treatment is not inside a BSA, plant jack pine.

**Proposed** 

Start Date: 10/01/2010

**Total Treatment** 

5.8 Acreage Proposed:

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Level 4 Cover Type	Size Density	Acres	Stand Age	BA Range	General Comments:
4123 - Red Oak	High Density Log	21.2	87	51-80	-rolling terrain
4130 - Aspen	High Density Sapling	39.2	15		
4123 - Red Oak	High Density Log	23.2	83	51-80	
4130 - Aspen	High Density Pole	24.3	26		-some larger oak patches to SE treated as inclusion
4311 - Pine, Aspen Mix	High Density Log	6.5	86		-heavier to pine to north and aspen to south
4123 - Red Oak	High Density Log	7.5	87	51-80	-some old unharvested portion to the eastern 1/3rd of stand
4130 - Aspen	High Density Pole	7.7	25		
4199 - Other Mixed Upland Deciduous	High Density Log	24.6	84		
42260 - Natural Pine, Mixed Deciduous	High Density Log	11.6	116	1-50	
4130 - Aspen	High Density Pole	19.5	42		-stand seems to be slightly younger than adjacent aspen to the east -texture on imagery appears to be finer and more rm and less oak in this stand well
4131 - Aspen, Oak	High Density Log	5.3	46		-same age as aspen to south, just more oak left from previous clearcut
4130 - Aspen	High Density Pole	44.8	46		-wet areas, especially on road -North and SE corner- small wet areas to north end by road (see OFS) and to SE tip
4130 - Aspen	High Density Sapling	50.2	25		-ponds and drainages to the SE portion of stand (SEE OFS)
6128 - Lowland Coniferous, Mixed Deciduous	High Density Pole	8.7	116		-conifer corridor along upper main branch of Sheridan creek -from e-w species dominate quadrants as follows- aspen, wp/cedar/rp, and cedar to west -woodpeckers using a fair amount of cedar -smaller pole cedar west of creek and more log-sized cedar east of creek
4131 - Aspen, Oak	High Density Pole	1.1	91		
4130 - Aspen	High Density Pole	29.4	32		-fence along east edge -rolling to hilly terrain
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a n d	Level 4 Cover Type	Size Density	Acres	Stand Age	BA Range	General Comments:
29	4199 - Other Mixed Upland Deciduous	High Density Pole	8.6	94		-very similar to small stand to the north, larger oak in this stand though, huge mast oak
30	4133 - Aspen, Mixed Pine	High Density Log	3.9	85		
31	4123 - Red Oak	High Density Log	3.3	89	51-80	-on side of a steep hill (40-60%) and adjacent to strem/ripairian area below
32	4123 - Red Oak	High Density Log	27.4	93	51-80	-good quality oak -most oak are around 13-14 average dbh
33	4199 - Other Mixed Upland Deciduous	High Density Log	20.6	94	51-80	-very diverse stand with scattered pools/small ponds -hemlock and cedar pockets
34	4123 - Red Oak	High Density Log	8.6	94	81-110	-excellent oak, fair amount of veneer in stand -high quality site, best quality oak in compartment -some beech and sugar maple
36	6119 - Mixed Lowland Deciduous Forest	High Density Pole	17.9	94		-many ponds and seeps -wettest in center of stand -wp mostly within south portion of stand boot -wear rubber boots!!
38	4130 - Aspen	High Density Pole	33.0	37		
41	4123 - Red Oak	Medium Density Log	6.5	97	1-50	
43	4123 - Red Oak	High Density Log	46.6	95	81-110	-average quality oak
44	4130 - Aspen	High Density Sapling	15.0	16		-bottom and side of a steep north slope
45	4131 - Aspen, Oak	Medium Density	10.8	6		
48	4130 - Aspen	High Density Pole	71.2	36		-recommend breaking up this stand now due to high amount of 36 year old aspen within the compartment
50	4130 - Aspen	High Density Pole	52.0	26		-more open and qa to northern 1/3rd
52	4131 - Aspen, Oak	High Density Log	2.5	99		-small old pocket
54	4130 - Aspen	High Density Pole	23.8	37		
55	4123 - Red Oak	High Density Log	21.9	92	81-110	

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a n d	Level 4 Cover Type	Size Density	Acres	Stand Age	BA Range	General Comments:
57	4130 - Aspen	High Density Pole	12.7	37		
58	4130 - Aspen	High Density Pole	14.1	37		
59	4131 - Aspen, Oak	High Density Sapling	2.0	1		
62	4199 - Other Mixed Upland Deciduous	High Density Pole	7.6	37	1-50	
64	4199 - Other Mixed Upland Deciduous	Medium Density	22.9	6		-very mixed stand
67	4199 - Other Mixed Upland Deciduous	Medium Density	13.1	6		-very mixed stand
69	4123 - Red Oak	High Density Log	11.9	86	81-110	-heavier to mature aspen to northern 1/3rd
70	4131 - Aspen, Oak	High Density Log	20.7	92		
71	4131 - Aspen, Oak	Medium Density Log	5.1	98		-rm subcanopy well established and starting to reach the canopy in declining aspen gaps -contains some of the largest aspen and oak in the compartment
72	4131 - Aspen, Oak	High Density Pole	18.0	37		- MAST WHITE OAK IN SE
73	4123 - Red Oak	High Density Log	32.3	92	81-110	
74	4123 - Red Oak	High Density Log	11.6	83	81-110	-heavier to aspen in northern 1/3rd
75	4130 - Aspen	High Density Pole	24.6	37		
76	4139 - Aspen, Mixed Deciduous	Medium Density	17.4	5		
79	4130 - Aspen	High Density Log	5.5	88		
81	4131 - Aspen, Oak	High Density Log	8.1	87	51-80	
83	4123 - Red Oak	High Density Log	8.0	87	51-80	-more mast oak and white oak in this stand due to lower density -traces of aspen
85	4130 - Aspen	High Density Log	2.2	88		

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a n d	Level 4 Cover Type	Size Density	Acres	Stand Age	BA Range	General Comments:
86	4199 - Other Mixed Upland Deciduous	High Density Sapling	2.3	25		
87	4130 - Aspen	High Density Sapling	5.1	13		
88	4123 - Red Oak	High Density Log	74.6	93	111-140	
89	4130 - Aspen	High Density Sapling	5.8	25		
92	42290 - Natural Mixed Pine	Medium Density Log	1.8	166	1-50	-old growth rp with younger wp and aspen
93	4131 - Aspen, Oak	High Density Pole	139.6	36		-broke out stand to the adjacent south due to it being on slightly better site for aspen and primarily aspen -this stand has more hills and has more pole oak and rm
95	4123 - Red Oak	High Density Log	32.3	93	81-110	-most oak are healthy -approx. 25-35% coverage of rm in subcanopy -more of a poor site to the northern 1/3rd of stand with increasingly better site quality as one goes south -fairly broken-up canopy to southern 1/2, more mast oak and declining aspen, all average site for this portion
96	4123 - Red Oak	High Density Log	40.3	94	51-80	
99	4130 - Aspen	High Density Pole	82.0	36	51-80	
100	4130 - Aspen	High Density Sapling	22.4	15		
101	4123 - Red Oak	Medium Density Log	8.2	95	51-80	-oak on a hill
103	4119 - Mixed Northern Hardwoods	Medium Density	1.8	15	1-50	-scattered log oak with mod. stocked rm subcanopy -will be limby/poor quality rm
105	4131 - Aspen, Oak	High Density Log	103.6	93	81-110	-high density log aspen -not much underneath aspen besides rm and witch hazel -heavier to oak to sw and nw of stand -aspen still fairly sound for age
108	4123 - Red Oak	High Density Log	42.5	92	51-80	-two-aged -appears that rm and aspen were cut in the 70s releasing oak crowns
109	6120 - Lowland Cedar	High Density Pole	3.7	102	81-110	-small 2ft stream bisects stand -larger log cidar to outter edges with smaller pole cedar towards the interior where soil saturation is high -heavy to balsam fir closer to the stream and smaller cedar

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a n d	Level 4 Cover Type	Size Density	Acres	Stand Age	BA Range	General Comments:
110	6132 - Mixed Lowland Forest with Cedar	Medium Density Log	2.4	115		-low ground drainageway to avery lake with a fair amount of cedar
111	6122 - Black Spruce	Medium Density Pole	1.0	38		
112	4131 - Aspen, Oak	High Density Log	10.6	93		-it is a relatively pure vigorous stand of aspen and oak
113	6120 - Lowland Cedar	Medium Density Pole	3.8	102	81-110	-small 2 ft stream bisects stand -larger log cedar to outter edges with smaller pole cedar towards interior where soil saturation is high -high amount of blowdown to east of powerline due to tight crowns
114	4124 - Red with White Oak	High Density Log	4.1	99	51-80	-small oak stand -mast oak with fair wp development below -large crown mast white oak especially

### 6 - Nonforested Stands

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Stand	Cover Type	Acres	Managed Site	Management Priority (Objective)	General Comments:	MICHIGAN
2	310 - Herbaceous Openland	1.0	No	Unspecified		
5	310 - Herbaceous Openland	1.9	No	Unspecified		
7	310 - Herbaceous Openland	1.0	No	Unspecified		
11	310 - Herbaceous Openland	1.0	No	Unspecified		
14	310 - Herbaceous Openland	2.0	No	Unspecified		
16	310 - Herbaceous Openland	1.0	No	Unspecified		
18	3301 - Low Density Deciduous Tree	8.0	No	Unspecified		
21	310 - Herbaceous Openland	1.7	No	Unspecified		
22	310 - Herbaceous Openland	2.2	No	Unspecified		
24	310 - Herbaceous Openland	1.0	No	Unspecified		
25	310 - Herbaceous Openland	1.0	No	Unspecified		
26	310 - Herbaceous Openland	1.6	No	Unspecified		
35	310 - Herbaceous Openland	1.0	No	Unspecified		
37	310 - Herbaceous Openland	1.2	No	Unspecified		
39	310 - Herbaceous Openland	1.0	No	Unspecified		
40	310 - Herbaceous Openland	1.8	No	Unspecified		
42	310 - Herbaceous Openland	2.2	No	Unspecified		
46	310 - Herbaceous Openland	2.9	No	Unspecified		

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Stand	Cover Type	Acres	Managed Site	Management Priority (Objective)	General Comments:
47	310 - Herbaceous Openland	1.0	No	Unspecified	
49	310 - Herbaceous Openland	1.6	No	Unspecified	
51	310 - Herbaceous Openland	2.1	No	Unspecified	
53	310 - Herbaceous Openland	1.5	No	Unspecified	
56	310 - Herbaceous Openland	1.0	No	Unspecified	
60	310 - Herbaceous Openland	2.4	No	Unspecified	
61	310 - Herbaceous Openland	4.6	No	Unspecified	
63	310 - Herbaceous Openland	2.5	No	Unspecified	
65	310 - Herbaceous Openland	1.3	No	Unspecified	
66	122 - Road/Parking Lot	13.1	No	Unspecified	
68	310 - Herbaceous Openland	1.4	No	Unspecified	
77	310 - Herbaceous Openland	1.0	No	Unspecified	
78	310 - Herbaceous Openland	1.8	No	Unspecified	
80	310 - Herbaceous Openland	1.7	No	Unspecified	
82	310 - Herbaceous Openland	2.7	No	Unspecified	
84	310 - Herbaceous Openland	2.1	No	Unspecified	
90	310 - Herbaceous Openland	1.0	No	Unspecified	
91	310 - Herbaceous Openland	3.0	No	Unspecified	

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Stand	Cover Type	Acres	Managed Site	Management Priority (Objective)	General Comments:
94	310 - Herbaceous Openland	4.5	No	Unspecified	
97	310 - Herbaceous Openland	1.0	No	Unspecified	
98	310 - Herbaceous Openland	15.3	No	Unspecified	
102	310 - Herbaceous Openland	1.0	No	Unspecified	
104	310 - Herbaceous Openland	1.3	No	Unspecified	
106	310 - Herbaceous Openland	1.4	No	Unspecified	
107	310 - Herbaceous Openland	2.3	No	Unspecified	
115	50 - Water	100.2	No	Unspecified	

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### 7 - PROPOSED SPECIAL CONSERVATION AREA\* (SCA) DETAILS

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Stand	SCA Type	SCA Name	Acres	Comments
105	SCA Removal	SCA Old Growth Removal- Aspen, Oak_1	114.2	Landscape/Multipoly AOI (Actual AOI is larger than parent stand listed)  Records & Observations:  -No past cutting documented for area -No occurrences but potential occurrences for rare, threatened, and endangered species on file for stands included -Stand is high density aspen and oak (sub-canopy is moderately occupied with red maple, white pine, and witch hazel) -Aspen is not considered as an old growth forest community using WI 1.4 old growth type 1 and 2 classifications  Suggested Management: -Remove SCA designation as potential old growth forest -Manage stand for future timber harvest (W of NE-SW ridgeline only). Protect any rare, threatened, and endangered species located during inventory or timber sale preparationLeave E of NE-SW ridgeline unharvested due to extreme slopes, visual impact, lake buffering, and wp development/recruiting as aspen decline (see stand mgmt notes).
100	SCA Removal	SCA Old Growth Removal- Aspen_1	20.6	Landscape/Multipoly AOI (Actual AOI is smaller than parent stand listed)  Records & Observations: -Stand was clearcut in 1996 -No occurrences but potential occurrences for rare, threatened, and endangered species on file for stand included  Suggested Management: -Remove SCA designation as potential old growth forest -Manage forested area for future timber harvest
111	SCA Removal	SCA Old Growth Removal- Black Spruce	1.0	Records & Observations: -No past cutting documented for area -No occurrences but potential occurrences for rare, threatened, and endangered species on file for stand included -Stand is primarily black spruce (sub-canopy is not occupied) -Stand does not meet minimum acreage, size, or age criteria of an old growth forest community according to WI 1.4 old growth type 1 and 2 classifications  Suggested Management: -Remove SCA designation as potential old growth forest -Leave untreated
97	SCA Removal	SCA Old Growth Removal- Herbaceous Openland	2.4	Records & Observations: -non-forested -no other observed or documented unique features exist  Suggested Management: -remove SCA old growth designation -maintain openings

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Stand	SCA Type	SCA Name	Acres	Comments
113	SCA Removal	SCA Old Growth Removal- Lowland Cedar_1	3.8	Records & Observations: -No past cutting documented for area -No occurrences but potential occurrences for rare, threatened, and endangered species on file for stand included -Stand is primarily lowland cedar (sub-canopy is moderately occupied with mixed lowland conifer) -Stand not meet minimum size or age criteria as an old growth forest community according to WI 1.4 old growth type 1 and 2 classifications  Suggested Management: -Remove SCA designation as potential old growth forest -Leave untreated, too wet
110	SCA Removal	SCA Old Growth Removal- Mixed Lowland Forest With Cedar_1	2.4	Records & Observations: -No past cutting documented for area -No occurrences but potential occurrences for rare, threatened, and endangered species on file for stands included -Stand is primarily mixed lowland forest (sub-canopy is moderately occupied with mixed lowland conifer) -Stand does not meet minimum acreage, size, or age criteria as old growth forest community according to WI 1.4 old growth type 1 and 2 classifications  Suggested Management: -Remove SCA designation as potential old growth forest -Leave untreated
103	SCA Removal	SCA Old Growth Removal- Mixed Northern Hardwoods	1.8	Records & Observations: -Stand was clearcut in 1996 -No occurrences but potential occurrences for rare, threatened, and endangered species on file for stand included  Suggested Management: -Remove SCA designation as potential old growth forest -Manage stand for future timber harvest
96	SCA Removal	SCA Old Growth Removal- Red Oak	40.3	Records & Observations:  -No past cutting documented for area -No occurrences but potential occurrences for rare, threatened, and endangered species on file for stand included -Stand is primarily red oak (sub-canopy is moderately occupied with red maple and witch hazel) -Stand does not meet the age or size criteria for an old growth forest community using WI 1.4 old growth type 1 and 2 classifications  Suggested Management: -Remove SCA designation as potential old growth forest -Manage stand for future timber harvest

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Stand	SCA Type	SCA Name	Acres	Comments
108	SCA Removal	SCA Old Growth Removal- Red Oak_1	42.5	Records & Observations:  -No past cutting documented for area but it was observed that all red maple and aspen were cut out in 1970s  -No occurrences but potential occurrences for rare, threatened, and endangered species on file for stands included  -Stand is primarily red oak (sub-canopy is moderately occupied with red maple and witch hazel)  -Stand does not meet the age or size criteria for an old growth forest community using WI 1.4 old growth type 1 and 2 classifications  Suggested Management:  -Remove SCA designation as potential old growth forest  -Manage forested area for future timber harvest
114	SCA Removal	SCA Old Growth Removal- Red with White Oak	4.1	Records & Observations:  -No past cutting documented for area -No occurrences but potential occurrences for rare, threatened, and endangered species on file for stand included -Stand is primarily red and white oak (sub-canopy is moderately occupied with mixed upland conifers) -Stand not meet minimum size or age criteria as an old growth forest community according to WI 1.4 old growth type 1 and 2 classifications  Suggested Management: -Remove SCA designation as potential old growth forest -Leave untreated and let wp develop/recruit as oak decline

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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	n Type	Description	ERA = Ecological Reference Area HCVA = High Conservation Value Area SCA = Special Conservation Area
SCA	Cold Water Stream	stocked trout populations and those of other coldw year to year. Coldwater streams in Michigan typica	Such streams are established by Director's action and
SCA	Concentrated Recreation Area	Facilities that are designed and maintained for rous State Forest campgrounds, motorized and non-mo access sites.	tine or heavy recreational use, including State Parks, storized trails, trailheads, staging areas and public