

Roscommon Forest Management Unit Compartment Review Presentation

Compartment #155 Entry Year: 2014
Compartment Acreage: 1158 County: Roscommon

Revision Date: 1/3/2012

Stand Examiner: Dale Ekdom

Legal Description: T21N R04W Sections 21 and 28

Identified Planning Goals: Upper Muskegon Eco-Regional Management Area.

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Soil and Topography: Terrain in the north 2/3rds of the compartment is moderate to extremely rolling with a few very steep ridges. Terrain in the south 1/3rd of the compartment is generally flat to gently rolling. Soils in the upland areas of the compartment are Roselawn, Rubicon, and Grayling sands and Newton Loamy sand. Soils in the wetter portions of the compartment are Tawas-Lupton muck and Croswell sands.

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Archeological, Historical, and Cultural Features: Houghton Lake CCC campsite within compartment

Special Management Designations or Considerations: None

Watershed and Fisheries Considerations: None

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Mineral Resource and Development Concerns and/or Restrictions: Surface sediments consist of glacial outwash sand and gravel and postglacial alluvium and dune sand. The glacial drift thickness varies between 400 and 600 feet. Beneath the glacial drift are the Jurassic Ionia Formation and the Pennsylvanian Grand River and Saginaw Formations. The Saginaw is quarried for brick making clay elsewhere in the State. The nearest gravel pit is located one mile to the southeast, but potential is thought to be limited. Headquarters Field is located three miles to the east. The field has produced over 11.3 million BO and 4.2 Bcf gas primarily from the Devonian Richfield Formation. It is in secondary recovery operations currently. All of the State land in the compartment is currently leased

Vehicle Access: Vehicle access is good via seasonal county roads and forest two-tracks. Terrain may make truck traffic difficult on some of the forest two-tracks and seasonal county roads due to the steepness of the ridges.

Survey Needs: None necessary at this time.

Recreational Facilities and Opportunities: Compartment contains portions of the Houghton Lake snowmobile and ORV trail systems.

Fire Protection: A large portion of the compartment contains high hazard fuel types, especially immature jack pine. Compartment has no recent history of major fires. There is a fairly low incidence of wildland-urban interface except for US 127 and the Canoe Camp Road bridge and the numerous recreational trails. There are numerous man-made barriers to fire spread and the compartment is also in fairly close proximity to fire suppression forces.

Additional Compartment Information: Proposed treatments include 81 acres of thinning in red pine and 18 acres of regeneration cuts in jack pine.

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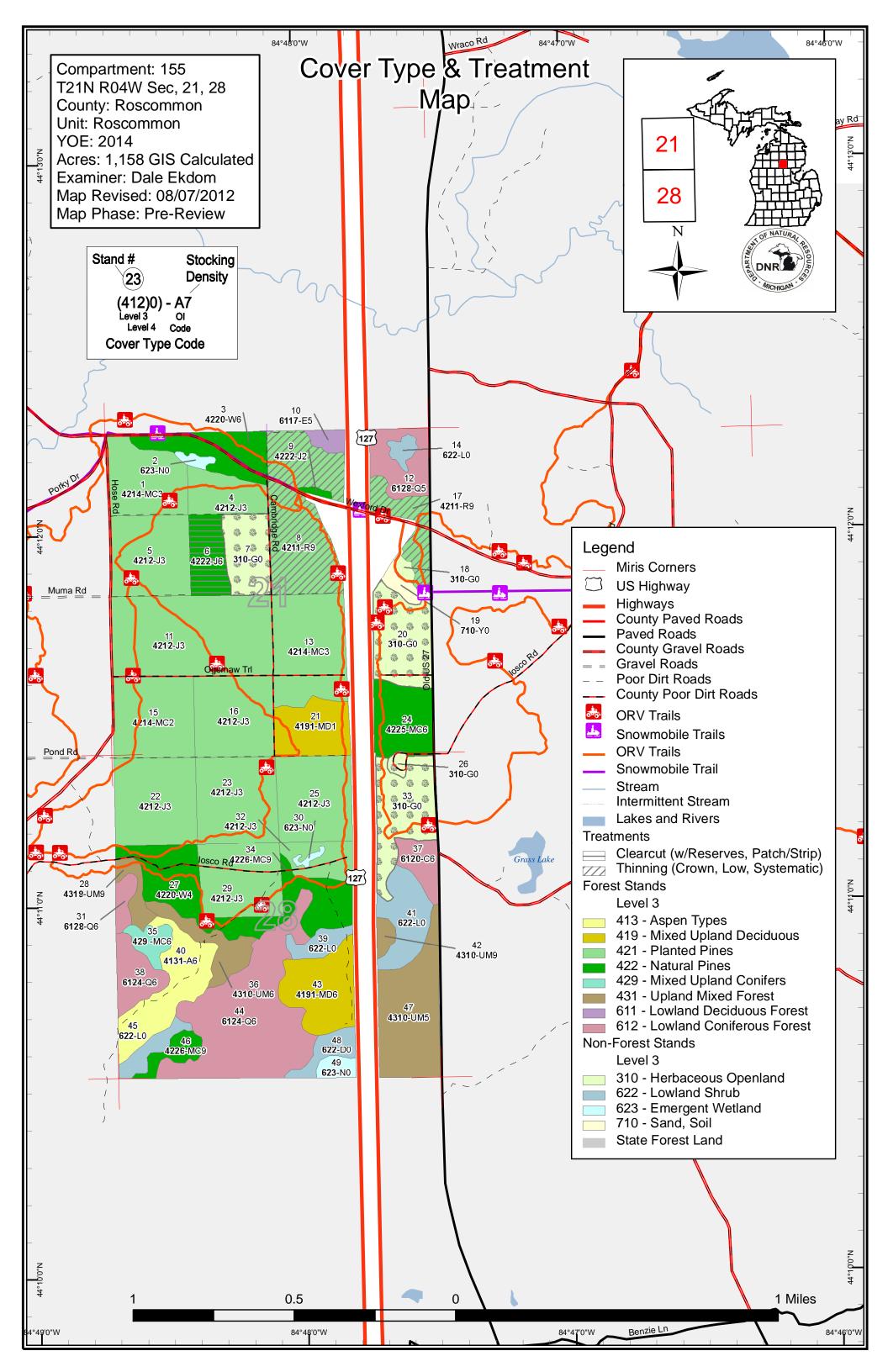
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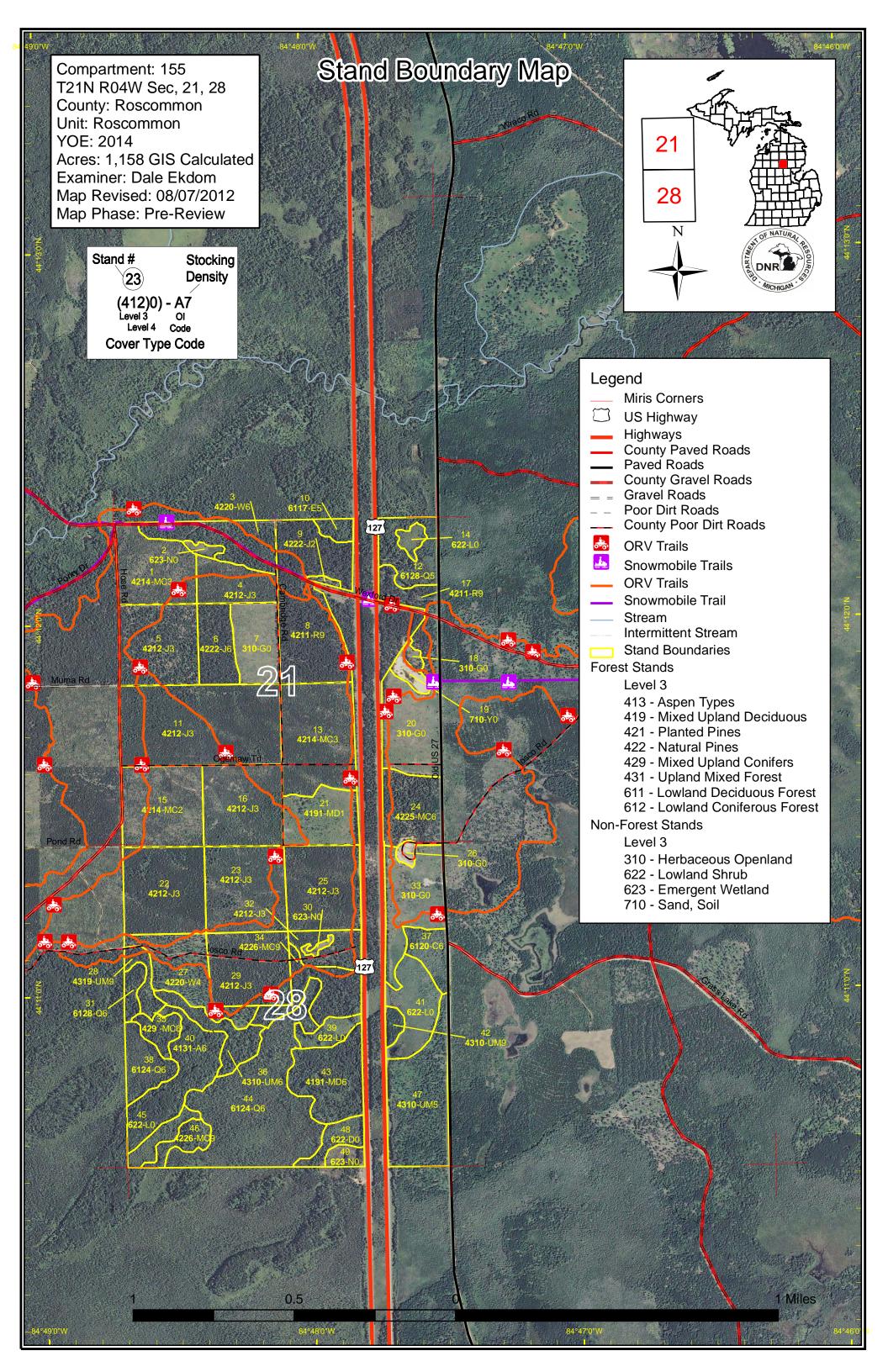
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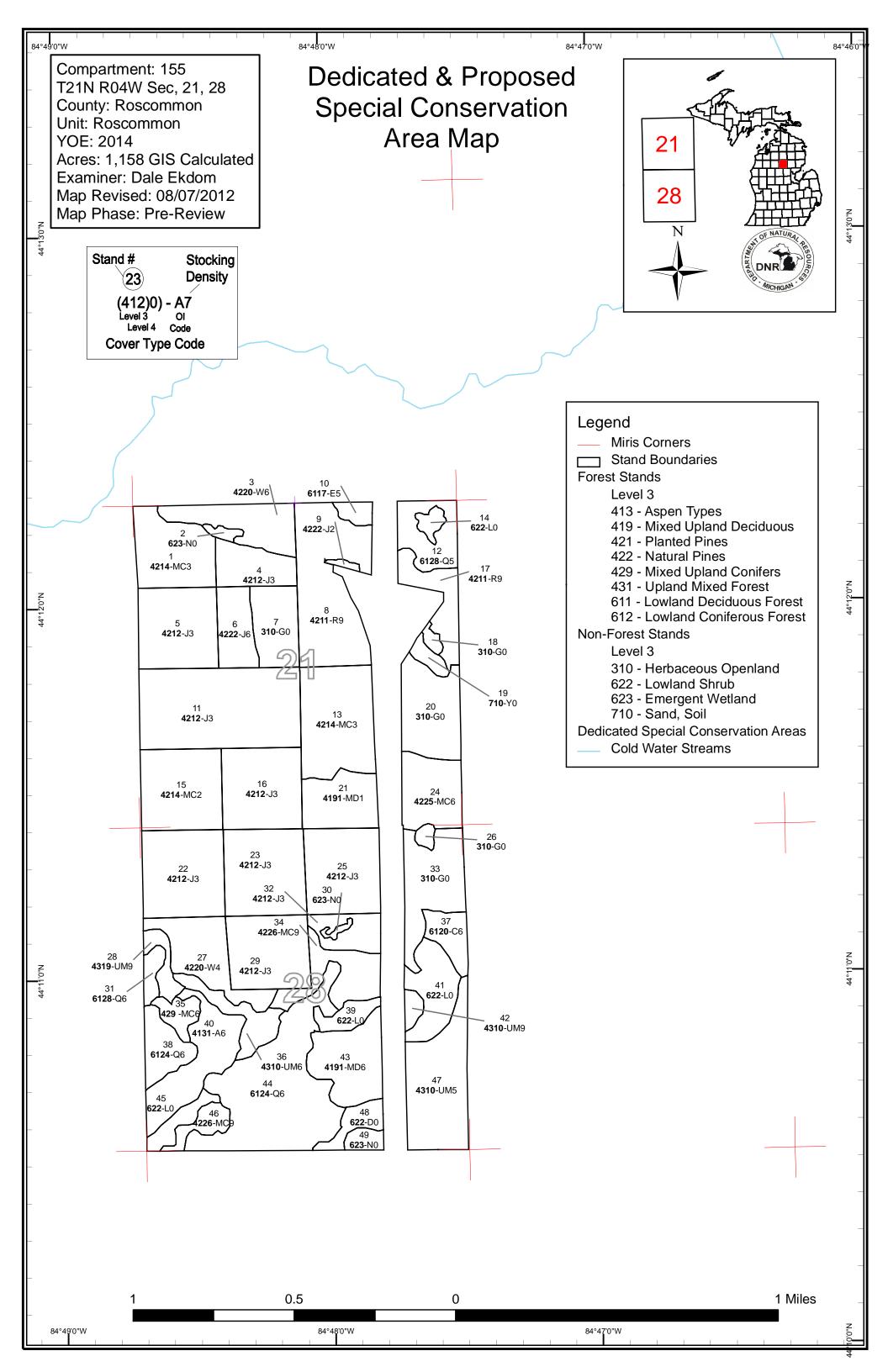
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Herbaceous Openland	94	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	94	
Jack Pine	0	236	120	0	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	373	
Lowland Conifers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	98	0	0	0	25	123	
Lowland Deciduous	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	5	
Lowland Shrub	43	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	43	
Marsh	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	
Mixed Upland Deciduous	25	0	0	0	31	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	56	
Natural Mixed Pines	0	0	26	0	0	0	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	57	
Planted Mixed Pines	0	123	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	123	
Red Pine	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	80	0	0	0	0	80	
Sand, Soil	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	
Treed Bog	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	1
Upland Conifers	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	1
Upland Mixed Forest	0	0	0	0	0	0	23	0	0	4	0	0	0	47	73	1
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Table 2 – Proposed Treatment Summaries

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Total Compartment Acres: 1158

Acres by Treatment Type

Commercial Harvest - 98 Site Prep - 0 Tree Planting - 0 Prescribed Burn - 0 Other - 0

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



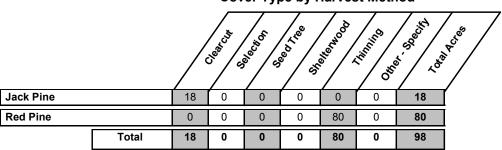


Table 3 -- Treatments Prescribed with No Limiting Factor

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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
6	71155006-Cut	18.0	42220 - Natural Jack Pine	High Density Pole	42		Harvest	Clearcut	42111 - Planted Red Pine, Mixed Deciduous	Cmpt. Review Proposal

Prescription final harvest and manage for RP/Oak mix, no retention of scots pine, mark some oak to leave for mast

Specs:

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Other_ Comments:

Rx burn to reduce scots pine seed source, trench/plant RP

<u>Next</u> Steps:

Proposed

10/01/2013 Start Date:

Low Thinning 71155008-Cut 42110 - Planted 200+ 42111 - Planted Cmpt. Review 8 61.7 High 94 Harvest Red Pine, Mixed Red Pine **Density Log** Proposal

Deciduous

Prescription. Thin to 120-140 SF to improve quality of the stand, remove suppressed, defect, doubles, etc. first and then concentrate on marking to final

desired density Specs:

<u>Other</u> remove portions of stand relating to historical site from sale and keep equipment out of these areas, add ORV/SMT protection specs to the sale

Comments:

<u>Next</u> Steps:

Proposed

10/01/2013 Start Date:

42110 - Planted 42111 - Planted 71155017-Cut 18.5 High 96 141-170 Harvest Low Thinning Cmpt. Review Red Pine Density Log Red Pine, Mixed Proposal Deciduous

Prescription Thin to 120 SF to improve the quality of the stand, remove suppressed, defect, doubles, etc. first and then concentrate on marking to final

Specs: desired density

Other thin MDOT RP with this stand?, add ORV/SMT protection specs to the sale

Comments:

Next Steps: Proposed

10/01/2013 Start Date:

Total Treatment

98.2 **Acreage Proposed:**

Roscommon Mgt. Unit Table 4 -- Treatments Prescribed with Compartment: 155 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

0

Out of YOE -- Treatments Prescribed with No Limiting Factor

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Approval Status CoverType **Treatment Treatment Cover Type** Treatment Acres Size Stand BA Name Density Range Type Method Objective Age

Prescription Specs:

Other Comments:

Next Steps:

<u>Proposed</u>

Start Date: #Error

Total Treatment Acreage Proposed:

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s t	Roscommon Mgt. Unit			5 – For	ested Sta	Compartment: 155 Year of Entry: 2014
a n d	Level 4 Cover Type	Size Density	Acres	Stand Age	BA Range	General Comments:
1	42141 - Planted Mixed Pine, Mixed Deciduous	High Density Sapling	33.7	15		cut 1996, planted 1997, mix of planted RP and natural JP/Oak regeneration
3	42200 - Natural White Pine	High Density Pole	25.9	32	81-110	WP released in 1994, possible thin next YOE
4	42120 - Planted Jack Pine	High Density Sapling	19.0	15		cut 1996, planted 1997
5	42121 - Planted Jack Pine, Mixed Deciduous	High Density Sapling	39.4	19		J3 planted 1993, scattered areas heavy to WP poles, some areas have planted RP
6	42220 - Natural Jack Pine	High Density Pole	18.0	42		mix of planted and natural JP/Scots P and natural RP/Oak, JP and SP declining but oak and RP doing OK but poor quality, heavy u.s. of scots pine in spots with moderate to heavy stocking of u.s. oak thru-out stand, stand is part of a 1997 sale which was never cut due to producer going bankrupt, KOTAR type is PArVHa/PVCd transition, plant to RP after sale is cut and manage for a mix of RP and oak,
8	42110 - Planted Red Pine	High Density Log	61.7	94	200+	planted RP in N-S rows, thinned at least once already in late 1990's, stand growing well but needs to be thinned again, recommend thinning to 120-140 SF/Acre to improve the quality of the stand, retain WP and Oak where possible for diversity
9	42220 - Natural Jack Pine	Medium Density	1.3	18		mix of natural J/A regeneration and RP poles/SL, growing very slow possibly due to soil compaction
10	6117 - Lowland Deciduous, Mixed Coniferous	Medium Density Pole	4.5	107		RM with Balsam Fir, wet/soft soils, leave for visuals on US-127
11	42120 - Planted Jack Pine	High Density Sapling	79.5	19		JP planted in 1993, parts (esp. NW corner) have planted RP, parts heavy to J/R poles & Oak poles left from a 4" cut
12	6128 - Lowland Coniferous, Mixed Deciduous	Medium Density Pole	19.2	Uneven Age		mishmash of upland and lowland, access is poor thru-out due to wet terrain and soft soils, stand is swamp conifers with a few higher islands of hardwoods, leave for visuals on old 27/US-127
13	42140 - Planted Mixed Pine	High Density Sapling	48.8	17		planted RP with natural J/O regeneration from cut in 1995, narrow 1/2 chain buffer or R/J/Oak poles between cut and freeway fence
15	42141 - Planted Mixed Pine, Mixed Deciduous	Medium Density	40.4	16		planted RP with natural J/O regeneration
16	42121 - Planted Jack Pine, Mixed Deciduous	High Density Sapling	39.8	15		cut 1994, planted to JP 1995
17	42110 - Planted Red Pine	High Density Log	18.5	96	141-170	R9 stand which was thinned by removing approx. every 3rd row in 2007, hold 10- years B4 thinning again or thin now with stand on thewest side of US-127

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a n d	Level 4 Cover Type	Size Density	Acres	Stand Age	BA Range	General Comments:
21	4191 - Mixed Upland Deciduous with Conifer	Low Density Sapling	24.8	5		cut 2007, looks to have been trenched and or planted, further research indicates it was mistakenly trenched but not planted, middle is O3 with some pole-size trees, rest is PC/Oak stumps sprouts with nat. JP /RP regen, 1/2 chain of pole-size J/R/Oak between edge of cut and freeway fence which was left as a buffer
22	42121 - Planted Jack Pine, Mixed Deciduous	High Density Sapling	43.8	22		cut 1987 and JP planted 1990, scattered R/W pine poles
23	42120 - Planted Jack Pine	High Density Sapling	42.8	15		planted to JP in 1997 after 1995 cut
24	42250 - Pine, Oak	High Density Pole	26.1	23	51-80	appears to have been cut to 4" and regenerated in 1989 - no planting FTP found, youngest JP is 22 years old with older J/R/W pine and black oak approx. 10-20 years older, oldest trees are merchantable but still small, evaluate next YOE for possible treatment with some sort of intermediate cut or hold 20-30 years and final harvest & plant RP
25	42120 - Planted Jack Pine	High Density Sapling	39.2	22		JP lanted 1990, some JP almost pole-size, narrow 1/2 chain buffer of R/J/Oak poles between cut and freeway fence
27	42200 - Natural White Pine	Low Density Pole	29.9	Uneven Age	1-50	removed everything but WO and R/W pine in 2006 via shortwood operation, now stand is WO SL, WP poles, and O/A saplings
28	4319 - Mixed Upland Forest	High Density Log	7.3	68	141-170	stand is marginally operable transition zone between swamp to the south/west and upland to the north/east, access is limited by initially steep terrain on the north side and then wet/soft soils scattered thru-out stand - winter cut when frozen if treatred
29	42120 - Planted Jack Pine	High Density Sapling	36.7	22		cut 1987, planted 1990 to JP
31	6128 - Lowland Coniferous, Mixed Deciduous	High Density Pole	5.5	Uneven Age		soft/spongy soils with standing water in spots, lots of blowdown in spots
32	42120 - Planted Jack Pine	High Density Sapling	13.7	15		JP planted 1997 after 1995 cut, left narrow 1/2 chain buffer of R/J/Oak poles and SL between cut and freeway fence
34	42260 - Natural Pine, Mixed Deciduous	High Density Log	23.3	67	111-140	JP/Oak SL's and poles with nice WP u.s. of saps/poles, evaluate next YOE for possible thinning
35	429 - Mixed Upland Conifers	High Density Pole	7.8	68	111-140	WP poles with some overtopping HW/JP SL, also scattered WP XL, stand is cut by several drainages and there are numerous small potholes of "L" on the interior and edges of the stand, west end has 1 acre inclusion of R/W pine SL/XL, NW part has inclusion of RM & WB with WP u.s.
36	4310 - Pine, Oak Mix	High Density Pole	15.2	67		mix of JP/O SL and WP poles, WP/RM u.s. almost polesize, spots are heavy to oak u.s. also,hold for 10 years until RM/WP u.s. is merchantable and then fianl harvest and plant RP which should do good because of the high water table - treat with adjacent A6 and W6 stands in 2024

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37	6120 - Lowland Cedar	High Density Pole	11.5	Uneven Age		NWC/BS/BF swamp, soft/wet soils with some standing water in spots
38	6124 - Lowland Spruce- Fir	High Density Pole	15.3	92		spruce-fir swamp with black sprucde falling apart and BF coming in underneath
40	4131 - Aspen, Oak	High Density Pole	33.2	49		BTA clones separated by and interspersed with areas heavy to Oak and WP poles/saps, some spots are heavy to oak poles, should hold at least 10 more years with no problem
42	4310 - Pine, Oak Mix	High Density Log	3.6	92	1-50	island of dry upland ground with oaks and RM going towards WP, no access due to US-127 on west and lowland brush/marsh on east
43	4191 - Mixed Upland Deciduous with Conifer	High Density Pole	31.3	40		RM/BTA just reaching pole-size, R/W pine is SL & XL size, habitat cut in 1972 but left R/W pine, u.s. has scattered areas of W3, middle and west part of stand is wetter with lots of wet runs and potholes, good stand to let grow for now as volumes will increase and it will function as visual buffer on freeway
44	6124 - Lowland Spruce- Fir	High Density Pole	82.9	92		large black spruce/cedar swamp which extends to the south into adjacent compartment
46	42260 - Natural Pine, Mixed Deciduous	High Density Log	8.1	Uneven Age		

Medium Density Pole

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Uneven Age

51-80

4310 - Pine, Oak Mix

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removed everything but WO & WP in 2006, now has at least 3 age classes, possibly thin out WP/WO next YOE, some intermediate cuts done in this stand in the early 1960's

6 - Nonforested Stands

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Stand	Cover Type	Acres	Managed Site	Management Priority (Objective)	General Comments:
2	6233 - Wet Meadow	2.4	No	Unspecified	
7	3105 - Mixed Upland Herbaceous	22.3	Planted	Jack Pine	planted to jack pine 5/09, lots of natural oak regeneration from stump sprouts and from seed, will be forested next YOE
14	622 - Lowland Shrub	3.9	N\A	Unspecified	
18	310 - Herbaceous Openland	2.3	N\A	Unspecified	
19	710 - Sand, Soil	4.5	N\A	Unspecified	
20	3102 - Grass	32.9	Planted	Jack Pine	planted to jack pine 5/09lots of natural oak regen thru0out stand also - both stump sprout and seedling, will be forested next YOE
26	3105 - Mixed Upland Herbaceous	2.4	Planted	Jack Pine	sandy area planted to JP in 5/09 to keep ORV 's out of bulk of the stand, mixed success with lots of ORV activity still, possible liability as public is starting to use this area as a shooting range adn it immediately adjacent to US-127 highway
30	6233 - Wet Meadow	1.4	N\A	Unspecified	
33	3105 - Mixed Upland Herbaceous	34.3	Planted	Jack Pine	planted to jack pine 5/09, lots of natural oak regen also, will be forested next YOE
39	622 - Lowland Shrub	8.0	N\A	Unspecified	
41	622 - Lowland Shrub	22.7	N\A	Unspecified	
45	622 - Lowland Shrub	8.2	N\A	Unspecified	
48	6224 - Treed Bog	9.0	No	Unspecified	treed Bog - slowly filling in with swamp conifers and swamp hardwoods
49	6233 - Wet Meadow	4.8	No	Unspecified	Old barrow pit for US-127, wet meadow with rim of planted JP
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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.

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	HCVA = Ecological Reference Area HCVA = High Conservation Value Area SCA = Special Conservation Area					
SCA	Cold Water Stream	stocked trout populations and those of other co year to year. Coldwater streams in Michigan type	lived oxygen conditions that allow naturally-reproduced or oldwater fish species (e.g., slimy sculpin) to persist from pically provide these conditions due to substantial ws. Such streams are established by Director's action and ler 210.					

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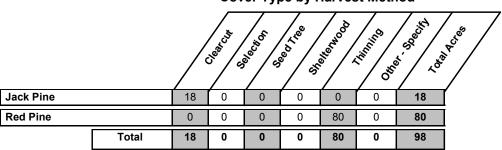


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Proposed

10/01/2013 Start Date:

Low Thinning 71155008-Cut 42110 - Planted 200+ 42111 - Planted Cmpt. Review 8 61.7 High 94 Harvest Red Pine, Mixed Red Pine **Density Log** Proposal

Deciduous

Prescription. Thin to 120-140 SF to improve quality of the stand, remove suppressed, defect, doubles, etc. first and then concentrate on marking to final

desired density Specs:

<u>Other</u> remove portions of stand relating to historical site from sale and keep equipment out of these areas, add ORV/SMT protection specs to the sale

Comments:

<u>Next</u> Steps:

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10/01/2013 Start Date:

42110 - Planted 42111 - Planted 71155017-Cut 18.5 High 96 141-170 Harvest Low Thinning Cmpt. Review Red Pine Density Log Red Pine, Mixed Proposal Deciduous

Prescription Thin to 120 SF to improve the quality of the stand, remove suppressed, defect, doubles, etc. first and then concentrate on marking to final

Specs: desired density

Other thin MDOT RP with this stand?, add ORV/SMT protection specs to the sale

Comments:

Next Steps: Proposed

10/01/2013 Start Date:

Total Treatment

98.2 **Acreage Proposed:**

Roscommon Mgt. Unit Table 4 -- Treatments Prescribed with Compartment: 155 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

0

Out of YOE -- Treatments Prescribed with No Limiting Factor

Year of Entry: 2014

Approval Status CoverType **Treatment Treatment Cover Type** Treatment Acres Size Stand BA Name Density Range Type Method Objective Age

Prescription Specs:

Other Comments:

Next Steps:

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Start Date: #Error

Total Treatment Acreage Proposed:

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s t	Roscommon Mgt. Unit			5 – For	ested Sta	Compartment: 155 Year of Entry: 2014
a n d	Level 4 Cover Type	Size Density	Acres	Stand Age	BA Range	General Comments:
1	42141 - Planted Mixed Pine, Mixed Deciduous	High Density Sapling	33.7	15		cut 1996, planted 1997, mix of planted RP and natural JP/Oak regeneration
3	42200 - Natural White Pine	High Density Pole	25.9	32	81-110	WP released in 1994, possible thin next YOE
4	42120 - Planted Jack Pine	High Density Sapling	19.0	15		cut 1996, planted 1997
5	42121 - Planted Jack Pine, Mixed Deciduous	High Density Sapling	39.4	19		J3 planted 1993, scattered areas heavy to WP poles, some areas have planted RP
6	42220 - Natural Jack Pine	High Density Pole	18.0	42		mix of planted and natural JP/Scots P and natural RP/Oak, JP and SP declining but oak and RP doing OK but poor quality, heavy u.s. of scots pine in spots with moderate to heavy stocking of u.s. oak thru-out stand, stand is part of a 1997 sale which was never cut due to producer going bankrupt, KOTAR type is PArVHa/PVCd transition, plant to RP after sale is cut and manage for a mix of RP and oak,
8	42110 - Planted Red Pine	High Density Log	61.7	94	200+	planted RP in N-S rows, thinned at least once already in late 1990's, stand growing well but needs to be thinned again, recommend thinning to 120-140 SF/Acre to improve the quality of the stand, retain WP and Oak where possible for diversity
9	42220 - Natural Jack Pine	Medium Density	1.3	18		mix of natural J/A regeneration and RP poles/SL, growing very slow possibly due to soil compaction
10	6117 - Lowland Deciduous, Mixed Coniferous	Medium Density Pole	4.5	107		RM with Balsam Fir, wet/soft soils, leave for visuals on US-127
11	42120 - Planted Jack Pine	High Density Sapling	79.5	19		JP planted in 1993, parts (esp. NW corner) have planted RP, parts heavy to J/R poles & Oak poles left from a 4" cut
12	6128 - Lowland Coniferous, Mixed Deciduous	Medium Density Pole	19.2	Uneven Age		mishmash of upland and lowland, access is poor thru-out due to wet terrain and soft soils, stand is swamp conifers with a few higher islands of hardwoods, leave for visuals on old 27/US-127
13	42140 - Planted Mixed Pine	High Density Sapling	48.8	17		planted RP with natural J/O regeneration from cut in 1995, narrow 1/2 chain buffer or R/J/Oak poles between cut and freeway fence
15	42141 - Planted Mixed Pine, Mixed Deciduous	Medium Density	40.4	16		planted RP with natural J/O regeneration
16	42121 - Planted Jack Pine, Mixed Deciduous	High Density Sapling	39.8	15		cut 1994, planted to JP 1995
17	42110 - Planted Red Pine	High Density Log	18.5	96	141-170	R9 stand which was thinned by removing approx. every 3rd row in 2007, hold 10- years B4 thinning again or thin now with stand on thewest side of US-127

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a n d	Level 4 Cover Type	Size Density	Acres	Stand Age	BA Range	General Comments:
21	4191 - Mixed Upland Deciduous with Conifer	Low Density Sapling	24.8	5		cut 2007, looks to have been trenched and or planted, further research indicates it was mistakenly trenched but not planted, middle is O3 with some pole-size trees, rest is PC/Oak stumps sprouts with nat. JP /RP regen, 1/2 chain of pole-size J/R/Oak between edge of cut and freeway fence which was left as a buffer
22	42121 - Planted Jack Pine, Mixed Deciduous	High Density Sapling	43.8	22		cut 1987 and JP planted 1990, scattered R/W pine poles
23	42120 - Planted Jack Pine	High Density Sapling	42.8	15		planted to JP in 1997 after 1995 cut
24	42250 - Pine, Oak	High Density Pole	26.1	23	51-80	appears to have been cut to 4" and regenerated in 1989 - no planting FTP found, youngest JP is 22 years old with older J/R/W pine and black oak approx. 10-20 years older, oldest trees are merchantable but still small, evaluate next YOE for possible treatment with some sort of intermediate cut or hold 20-30 years and final harvest & plant RP
25	42120 - Planted Jack Pine	High Density Sapling	39.2	22		JP lanted 1990, some JP almost pole-size, narrow 1/2 chain buffer of R/J/Oak poles between cut and freeway fence
27	42200 - Natural White Pine	Low Density Pole	29.9	Uneven Age	1-50	removed everything but WO and R/W pine in 2006 via shortwood operation, now stand is WO SL, WP poles, and O/A saplings
28	4319 - Mixed Upland Forest	High Density Log	7.3	68	141-170	stand is marginally operable transition zone between swamp to the south/west and upland to the north/east, access is limited by initially steep terrain on the north side and then wet/soft soils scattered thru-out stand - winter cut when frozen if treatred
29	42120 - Planted Jack Pine	High Density Sapling	36.7	22		cut 1987, planted 1990 to JP
31	6128 - Lowland Coniferous, Mixed Deciduous	High Density Pole	5.5	Uneven Age		soft/spongy soils with standing water in spots, lots of blowdown in spots
32	42120 - Planted Jack Pine	High Density Sapling	13.7	15		JP planted 1997 after 1995 cut, left narrow 1/2 chain buffer of R/J/Oak poles and SL between cut and freeway fence
34	42260 - Natural Pine, Mixed Deciduous	High Density Log	23.3	67	111-140	JP/Oak SL's and poles with nice WP u.s. of saps/poles, evaluate next YOE for possible thinning
35	429 - Mixed Upland Conifers	High Density Pole	7.8	68	111-140	WP poles with some overtopping HW/JP SL, also scattered WP XL, stand is cut by several drainages and there are numerous small potholes of "L" on the interior and edges of the stand, west end has 1 acre inclusion of R/W pine SL/XL, NW part has inclusion of RM & WB with WP u.s.
36	4310 - Pine, Oak Mix	High Density Pole	15.2	67		mix of JP/O SL and WP poles, WP/RM u.s. almost polesize, spots are heavy to oak u.s. also,hold for 10 years until RM/WP u.s. is merchantable and then fianl harvest and plant RP which should do good because of the high water table - treat with adjacent A6 and W6 stands in 2024

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a n d	Level 4 Cover Type	Size Density	Acres	Stand Age	BA Range	General Comments:
37	6120 - Lowland Cedar	High Density Pole	11.5	Uneven Age		NWC/BS/BF swamp, soft/wet soils with some standing water in spots
38	6124 - Lowland Spruce- Fir	High Density Pole	15.3	92		spruce-fir swamp with black sprucde falling apart and BF coming in underneath
40	4131 - Aspen, Oak	High Density Pole	33.2	49		BTA clones separated by and interspersed with areas heavy to Oak and WP poles/saps, some spots are heavy to oak poles, should hold at least 10 more years with no problem
42	4310 - Pine, Oak Mix	High Density Log	3.6	92	1-50	island of dry upland ground with oaks and RM going towards WP, no access due to US-127 on west and lowland brush/marsh on east
43	4191 - Mixed Upland Deciduous with Conifer	High Density Pole	31.3	40		RM/BTA just reaching pole-size, R/W pine is SL & XL size, habitat cut in 1972 but left R/W pine, u.s. has scattered areas of W3, middle and west part of stand is wetter with lots of wet runs and potholes, good stand to let grow for now as volumes will increase and it will function as visual buffer on freeway
44	6124 - Lowland Spruce- Fir	High Density Pole	82.9	92		large black spruce/cedar swamp which extends to the south into adjacent compartment
46	42260 - Natural Pine, Mixed Deciduous	High Density Log	8.1	Uneven Age		

Medium Density Pole

47.1

Uneven Age

51-80

4310 - Pine, Oak Mix

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removed everything but WO & WP in 2006, now has at least 3 age classes, possibly thin out WP/WO next YOE, some intermediate cuts done in this stand in the early 1960's

6 - Nonforested Stands

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Stand	Cover Type	Acres	Managed Site	Management Priority (Objective)	General Comments:
2	6233 - Wet Meadow	2.4	No	Unspecified	
7	3105 - Mixed Upland Herbaceous	22.3	Planted	Jack Pine	planted to jack pine 5/09, lots of natural oak regeneration from stump sprouts and from seed, will be forested next YOE
14	622 - Lowland Shrub	3.9	N\A	Unspecified	
18	310 - Herbaceous Openland	2.3	N\A	Unspecified	
19	710 - Sand, Soil	4.5	N\A	Unspecified	
20	3102 - Grass	32.9	Planted	Jack Pine	planted to jack pine 5/09lots of natural oak regen thru0out stand also - both stump sprout and seedling, will be forested next YOE
26	3105 - Mixed Upland Herbaceous	2.4	Planted	Jack Pine	sandy area planted to JP in 5/09 to keep ORV 's out of bulk of the stand, mixed success with lots of ORV activity still, possible liability as public is starting to use this area as a shooting range adn it immediately adjacent to US-127 highway
30	6233 - Wet Meadow	1.4	N\A	Unspecified	
33	3105 - Mixed Upland Herbaceous	34.3	Planted	Jack Pine	planted to jack pine 5/09, lots of natural oak regen also, will be forested next YOE
39	622 - Lowland Shrub	8.0	N\A	Unspecified	
41	622 - Lowland Shrub	22.7	N\A	Unspecified	
45	622 - Lowland Shrub	8.2	N\A	Unspecified	
48	6224 - Treed Bog	9.0	No	Unspecified	treed Bog - slowly filling in with swamp conifers and swamp hardwoods
49	6233 - Wet Meadow	4.8	No	Unspecified	Old barrow pit for US-127, wet meadow with rim of planted JP
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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.

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	ERA = Ecological Reference Area HCVA = High Conservation Value Area SCA = Special Conservation Area
SCA	SCA Cold Water Stream	stocked trout populations and those of other of year to year. Coldwater streams in Michigan to	colved oxygen conditions that allow naturally-reproduced or coldwater fish species (e.g., slimy sculpin) to persist from ypically provide these conditions due to substantial ows. Such streams are established by Director's action and order 210.