# Compartment Review Presentation 

Cadillac Forest Management Unit<br>Compartment 63148<br>Entry Year 2017<br>Acreage: 1,946<br>County Wexford<br>Management Area: Manistee River Valley

Revision Date: 2015-06-12
Stand Examiner: Joe Ventimiglia

## Legal Description:

T24N, R9W, Sections 17-20, 29, 30

## Identified Planning Goals:

Manage compartment for a mix of timber, wildlife, recreational and ecological concerns. Management plan and practiced silviculture methods will be implemented with all management activities.

## Soil and topography:

This compartment falls within landtype association (LTA) 1111 of sub-subsection VII. 2.1 and 5211 of sub-subsection VII.2.2. LTA 1111, which occurs in the southern half of section 30, is characterized by steep, broken moraine ridges, few kettle lakes, and excessively drained sand. LTA 5211, which occurs in the remainder of the compartment, is a pitted outwash plain with excessively drained sand.

## Ownership Patterns, Development, and Land Use in and Around the Compartment:

All sections contain some private land with the exception of section 19. Desireable acquisitions would be the NW qtr and the East half of the NE qtr of section 18, the NWand the NE and the SE of the NE of section 30 and the South half of the SE qtr of section 20. No lands are identified for disposal.

## Unique Natural Features:

This compartment contains a few mixed hemlock/ cedar/ white pine stands that are representative of pre-settlement conditions in this general area along the Manistee River. Manton Creek in Section 20. Potential for red-shouldered hawk, northern goshawk, eastern massasauga, wood turtle, spotted turtle. The bog habitat harbors potential for Blanding's turtle, ebony boghaunter, spotted turtle, and secretive locust. Eastern box turtle could occur throughout the compartment.

## Archeological, Historical, and Cultural Features:

None noted.

## Special Management Designations or Considerations:

Continue to create a variety of cover types and age classes. Several stands in this compartment are remnants of old strip (Red pine / Jack pine alternating strips) plantations. The Jack pine was either cut out last YOE or is being cut this YOE. Major cultivation and site prep will be needed to maintain red pine plantations within the compartment. Aspen will continue to be managed on a 50 to 60 year rotation, work should be done to break up large blocks of aspen into different age classes in future YOE. (Specifically stand 53 be broken up)

## Watershed and Fisheries Considerations:

Manton Creek flows northerly through the east portion of the compartment, while a branch of Buttermilk Creek flows north and west through the southwest (Section 30) portion of the compartment. While the state natural river designation ends at the Missaukee/Wexford County line, Fisheries, Forest Management, and Wildlife Divisions entered into an agreement to adopt and utilize the Upper Manistee River state natural river zoning ordinance. Manton Creek and Buttermilk Creeks, are both designated trout streams with excellent self-sustaining brown trout populations. On both of these streams, the vegetative buffer would be 100 feet on $0-10 \%$ slopes, 115 feet on $11-20 \%$ slopes, 135 feet on $21-32 \%$ slopes, and 155 feet on $33+\%$ slopes, unless the proposed treatment meets one of the eight exceptions (page 41 of the Upper Manistee River Natural River Plan).

## Wildlife Habitat Considerations:

This compartment is a large deer wintering complex. The habitat objectives are to continue to maintain species diversity and age-class diversity across the compartment. Featured species of special interest include deer, ruffed grouse, woodcock, golden-winged warbler, and bear. Timber sale specifications to benefit wildlife (where applicable) will include brush pile creation along lowland edges, protection of mast-bearing wildlife shrubs and ironwood, protection of standing dead snags, and creation of drumming logs (1-2 per acre) and woody debris (tops or whole trees) in aspen cuts. (E. Victory

## Mineral Resource and Development Concerns and/or Restrictions

Surface sediments consist of coarse-textured till and glacial outwash sand and gravel and postglacial alluvium. The glacial drift thickness varies between 200 and 400 feet. Beneath the glacial drift is the Mississippian Michigan Formation. The Michigan Formation is quarried for gypsum in other areas of the state. Gravel pits are located in Section 33 about two miles to the southeast, and potential is considered to be good. This area is located seven miles south of the prolific Silurian Niagaran reef trend. There appears to be limited potential for oil and gas development in the compartment, and none of the State lands are leased for oil and gas exploration and development. Active leases are located to the north and east.

## Vehicle Access:

A forest road access plan is detailed on the compartment map. Identified are state and county roads as well as forest roads and trails under the jurisdiction of the DNR.
Good road access through out compartment.

## Survey Needs:

None at this time.

## Recreational Facilities and Opportunities:

There are no designated trails within this compartment. Dispersed camping and hunting occur within this compartment. (T.M.N. 12/17/14).

## Fire Protection:

Limited potential for large fires, although potential for some urban interface concerns where homes and cabins exist along the perimeter of the compartment.

## Additional Compartment Information:

The following reports from the Inventory are attached:<br>Total Acres by Cover Type and Age Class<br>Cover Type by Harvest Method<br>Proposed Treatments - No Limiting Factors<br>Proposed Treatments - With Limiting Factors<br>Stand Details (Forested and Nonforested)<br>Dedicated and Proposed Special Conservation Areas<br>Site Condition Details

The following information is displayed, where pertinent, on the attached compartment maps:
Base feature information, stand boundaries, cover types, and numbers
Proposed treatments
Site condition boundaries
Details on the road access system

Cover Type \&



| Remonumented Section Corners $===$ Designated Hiking Pathways$\qquad$ Designated ATV |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| - Miris Corners | ==== Designated ORV Routes |
| Highway | - Designated S ${ }^{\text {Designated MCCT Trails }}$ |
| Paved Roads | Railroads |
| County Gravel Roads | - Rivers |
| Poor Dirt Roads | Lakes |
| County Poor Dirt Roads | $\square$ Pipeline |
| P Parking Lot | \$. Powerline |
| \%ito MCCCT Trails | I=-ITreatments with Site Conditions |
| (t) ORV Trails | $\Longrightarrow$ Clearcut (w/Reserves) |
|  | $\square$ Opening Maintenance |
| Snowmobile Trais | $\square /$ Thinning (Crown, Low, Systematic) |

Forest Covertype
211 - Cropland 411 - Northern Hardwood $\qquad$ 211 - Cropland
310 - Herbaceous Openland

| 411 - Northern Hardwood 412 - Oak Types |
| :---: |
| 413 - Aspen |
| 419 - Mixed Upland Deciduous |
| 421 - Planted Pines |
| 422 - Natural Pines |
| 429 - Mixed Upland Conifers |
| 430 - Upland Mixed Fores |
| 611 - Lowland Deciduous Forest <br> 612 - Lowland Coniferous Forest |
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|  |
| -Forest Covertype |
| 122 - Roads/Parking Lot |

Cover Type \& Treatments


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T24N, R09W Sec. 18-20, 29-30 County: Wexfor
 Unit: Cadillac

Cover Type \& Treatments

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Mgmt Area: Manistee River Valley
YOE:
YOE: 2017
Acres: 1946 GIS Calculated
Examiner: Joe Ventimiglia
Map Revised: 6/22/2015
Map Phase: Pre-Review Map Phase: Pre-Review






Age Class


Commercial Harvest - 0
Harvests with Site Condition - 24
Next Step Harvest - 0
Habitat Cut - 93

## Cover Type by Harvest Method




Prescription Thin stand one final time to maximize potential for larger logs and poles. Leave residual BA in 90 to 110 range. Mark for quality, leaving best Specs: quality stems to maximize potential of stand.

Next Step
Treatments:
Acceptable
Regen:
Other Thinning one final time will also allow the old jack pine strips another 10 years to mature at which time the both red and jack strips could be final Comment: harvested and planted back to all re Old next step comments:


## Habitat Cut: Yes Site Condition:

Prescription Maintain as an opening. May include mowing, disking, fertilizing, planting, cutting brush or trees, brush pile creation, planting shrubs or other Specs: mast/cover species.

Next Step
Treatments:
Acceptable
Regen:
Other Old next step comments:
Comment:
Proposed Start Date: $\quad$ 10/1/2016

| a <br> n <br> d | Treatment <br> Name | Acres | Stand <br> CoverType | Size <br> Density | Stand <br> Age | BA <br> Range | Treatment <br> Type | Treatment <br> Method | Cover Type <br> Objective | Age <br> Structure |
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| $\mathbf{1 8}$ | 63148018-NF | 2.5 | $3103-$ Rubus-Fern Nonstocked | Unspec <br> Approval <br> Status |  |  |  |  |  |  |


Other Old next step comments:

Comment:
Proposed Start Date: $\quad 10 / 1 / 2016$

| 51 63148051-Cut | 10.2 | 4130 - Aspen | Sawtimber Well |  | 81-110 | Harvest | Clearcut | 4130 - Aspen | Even-Aged | Proposal |
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| Habitat Cut: No Site Condition: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Prescription Final harvest leave all pine. Specs: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Next Step Treatments |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Acceptable Aspen and mixed pine. Will be mostly aspen. Regen: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Other No aspen retention due to smaller size. Old next step comments: Comment: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Proposed Start Date | 10/1 | 2016 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 59 63148059-NF | 4.2 | $\begin{aligned} & 31021-\mathrm{Cool} \\ & \text { Season Grass } \end{aligned}$ | Nonstocked |  | Unspec ified | NonForestMgt | Herbaceous/Crop /Grass Planting | $\begin{gathered} 310- \\ \text { Herbaceous } \\ \text { Openland } \end{gathered}$ |  | Proposal |

## Habitat Cut: Yes Site Condition:

| Prescription Specs: | Maintain as an opening. May include mowing, disking, fertilizing, planting, cutting brush or trees, brush pile creation, planting shrubs or other mast/cover species. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Next Step |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Treatments: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Acceptable |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Regen: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Other Old next step comments: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Comment: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Proposed Start Date | 10/1/2016 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 66 63148066-NF | 10.4 211-Cropland | Nonstocked | Unspec ified | NonForestMgt | Other - Specify | 310 Herbaceous Openland | Proposal |

## Habitat Cut: Yes <br> Site Condition:

Prescription Maintain as an opening. May include mowing, disking, fertilizing, planting, cutting brush or trees, brush pile creation, planting shrubs or other Specs: mast/cover species.

Next Step
Treatments:
Acceptable
Regen:
Other Old next step comments:
Comment:
Proposed Start Date: $\quad$ 10/1/2016

| $\begin{aligned} & n \\ & d \end{aligned}$ | Treatment Name | Acres | Stand CoverType | Size Density | Stand Age | BA Range | Treatment Type | Treatment Method | Cover Type Objective | Age Structure | Approval Status |
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| 69 | $\begin{aligned} & 63148069- \\ & \text { Prep } \end{aligned}$ | 44.4 | 4139 - Aspen, Mixed Deciduous | Sapling Poor | 5 | Immatu re | SitePrep | Roller Chopping | 4211 - Planted Red Pine | Even-Aged | Proposal |

## Habitat Cut: Yes Site Condition:

Prescription Roller chop and then trench and plant red pine. Herbicide to release if needed.
Specs:
Next Step SitePrep, Trenching; Planting, Initial Plant; Monitoring, Artificial Regen(1yr); Monitoring, Artificial Regen(3yr) Treatments:

Acceptable Red Pine.
Regen:
Other Old next step comments:
Comment:
Proposed Start Date: $\quad 10 / 1 / 2015$

| 70 | 63148070-Cut | 78.0 | 4130 - Aspen | Sawtimber Well |  | $51-80$ | Harvest | Clearcut with Retention | 413 - Aspen | Even-Aged | Proposal |
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| Habitat Cut: No Site Condition: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Prescription Final Harvest. Leave two green ringed islands in northeast. Islands should go around the two vernal ponds at this location. (Refer to 1998 imagery Specs: for exact location) As well leave all white pine, hemlock, cedar, and oak. Exclude stand 72 with red paint. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Next Step Treatments: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Acceptable Aspen with mixed conifer component wanted and accepted. Regen: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Other Recommend winter or drier condition cut. Old next step comments: Comment: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Proposed Start Date: 10/1/2016 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 79 | 63148079-NF | 6.0 | 13 - Forage Crops | Nonstocked |  | Unspec ified | NonForestMgt | Herbaceous/Crop /Grass Planting | 310 - <br> Herbaceous Openland |  | Proposal |

Habitat Cut: Yes
Site Condition:
Prescription Maintain as an opening. May include mowing, disking, fertilizing, planting, cutting brush or trees, brush pile creation, planting shrubs or other Specs: mast/cover species.

Next Step
Treatments:
Acceptable
Regen:
Other Old next step comments:
Comment:
Proposed Start Date: $\quad$ 10/1/2016

| 84 | 63148084-Cut | 32.1 | 4130 -Aspen | Sawtimber <br> Well | 55 | $81-110$ | Harvest | Clearcut with <br> Retention | 4130 -Aspen | Even-Aged Proposal |
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Habitat Cut: No Site Condition:
Prescription Final Harvest, leave all oak and conifer. As well leave one retention island 3 to 10 percent of acreage. Put vernal pond in north within retention Specs: island.

Next Step
Treatments:
Acceptable Aspen with hardwood and conifer. Will be mostly aspen.
Regen:
Other Old next step comments:
Comment:
Proposed Start Date: $\quad$ 10/1/2016

| $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{a} \\ & \mathrm{n} \\ & \mathrm{~d} \end{aligned}$ | Treatment Name | Acres | Stand CoverType | Size Density | Stand Age | BA Range | Treatment Type | Treatment Method | Cover Type Objective | Age Structure | Approval Status |
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| 90 | 63148090-Cut | 51.7 | 42110 - Planted Red Pine | Sawtimber Well | 61 | $\begin{aligned} & 111- \\ & 140 \end{aligned}$ | Harvest | Clearcut | 4211 - Planted Red Pine | Even-Aged | Proposal |
| Habitat Cut: No |  |  | Site Condition: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Prescription Final Harvest. No retention to facilitate planting. Specs:

Next Step SitePrep, Trenching; Pesticide, Aerial; Planting, Initial Plant; Monitoring, Artificial Regen(1yr); Monitoring, Artificial Regen(3yr) Treatments:

Acceptable Red Pine
Regen:
Other Stand was chosen as plan of work needed more red pine restart acres and it was thought a better time to attempt to avoid the strip plantation Comment: and create one age class. Berm road that goes through stand to "party spot". Evaluate at time of harvest best was to minimize road network. Maintain main road to east. Old next step comments:
Proposed Start Date: $\quad$ 10/1/2015

| 117 | 63148117-Cut | 34.7 | 4130 -Aspen | Sawtimber <br> Well | 52 | $81-110$ | Harvest | Clearcut with <br> Retention | 413 -Aspen | Even-Aged Proposal |
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## Habitat Cut: No Site Condition:

Prescription Final Harvest leave all pine and one retention island. To access off state a logging road would have to be built off 10 road, otherwise use private Specs: road to east if allowed.

Next Step
Treatments:
Acceptable Aspen, with mixed conifer and other hardwood accepted as well.
Regen:
Other Verbal permission off Private has been granted from landowner.(Jay Robbins 616302 0601) Cell \# Also avoid vernal pond in east end of stand Comment: with green paint. All corners are in and were flagged. Old next step comments:
Proposed Start Date: $\quad$ 10/1/2016

| 137 | 63148137-Cut | 24.4 | $42110-$ Planted <br> Red Pine | Poletimber <br> Well | 40 | $111-$ | Harvest | Low Thinning | $4211-$ Planted <br> Red Pine | Even-Aged Proposal |
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## Habitat Cut: No Site Condition: Unknown Access

Prescription Second thin pine planation. Take out poor form and suppressed stems. Take into account access to middle row by equipment. Unusual stand in Specs: that stand was 4th row thinned last time so there are three rows left, making the middle row difficult to access.

Next Step
Treatments:
Acceptable Not regeneration cut.
Regen:
Other Old next step comments:
Comment:
Proposed Start Date: $\quad$ 10/1/2016


Habitat Cut: No Site Condition:
Prescription Third thin stand. Again mark for quality opening up more space for best quality stems. Leave residual BA no lower then 120. Refer to red pine Specs: management guidelines if needed.

Next Step
Treatments:
Acceptable Not regeneration harvest
Regen:
Other Allow red pine to south to as least get going before last remaining mature red pine are final harvested in the portion of the compartment. Old
Comment: next step comments:
Proposed Start Date: 10/1/2016


Availability for Management

| Total | Acres | Acres |  | Dominant Site Conditions |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Acres | Available | Not Available |  | 2A | 2B | 2G | 2 H | 3J | 4A | 5C |
| 765 | 481 | 284 | Aspen | 7 |  |  | 10 |  | 3 | 265 |
| 1 | 1 | 0 | Bog |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 120 | 18 | 101 | Cedar |  |  | 61 |  | 41 |  |  |
| 22 | 22 | 0 | Cropland |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 101 | 101 | 0 | Herbaceous Openland |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 62 | 62 | 0 | Jack Pine |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 14 | 14 | 0 | Low-Density Trees |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 48 | 17 | 31 | Lowland Aspen/Balsam Poplar |  |  | 21 |  |  |  | 10 |
| 4 | 4 | 0 | Lowland Conifers |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 99 | 11 | 89 | Lowland Deciduous |  |  | 89 |  |  |  |  |
| 6 | 6 | 0 | Lowland Mixed Forest |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 187 | 187 | 0 | Lowland Shrub |  |  | 0 |  |  |  |  |
| 93 | 93 | 0 | Marsh |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 35 | 31 | 4 | Mixed Upland Deciduous |  |  | 4 |  |  |  |  |
| 4 | 4 | 0 | Natural Mixed Pines |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 39 | 13 | 26 | Northern Hardwood |  |  | 1 | 9 |  |  | 16 |
| 4 | 4 | 0 | Oak |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 148 | 124 | 24 | Red Pine |  | 24 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 22 | 1 | 21 | Tamarack |  |  | 21 |  |  |  |  |
| 8 | 8 | 0 | Upland Conifers |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 65 | 59 | 5 | Upland Mixed Forest |  |  |  |  |  |  | 5 |
| 18 | 18 | 0 | Urban |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 81 | 81 | 0 | White Pine |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1,946 | 1,361 | 585 | Total Forested Acres | 7 | 24 | 196 | 18 | 41 | 3 | 296 |
|  | 70\% | 30\% | Relative Percent |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

*Due to limitations in the current Site Conditions Analysis tool, all nonforested acres are considered available. Future development will enable analysis of nonforested types.

| Site <br> No. Cond Availability | Dominant Site Condition | Acres | Other Site Condition | Other Site Condition | Other Site Condition | Other Site Condition |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 1 | Unavailable | 2H: Blocked by physical <br> obstacle (e.g. upland <br> stand in a lowland area) | 10 | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |

## Comments:

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| 2 | Unavailable | 2H: Blocked by physical obstacle (e.g. upland stand in a lowland area) |  | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Similar to stand to north and west, major effort with temp bridge and crossing major stream will be needed. In my judgment not worth going to that length for less then 5 acres. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3 | Unavailable | 3J: Water quality / BMPs (stream, river, or lake) |  | 5A: Not able to obtain desirable regeneration | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| Comments: <br> Steams run through stand, as well as not being able to regenerate cedar with deer numbers. Not to mention need for temp bridge. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4 | Unavailable | 2A: Adjacent landowner denied access |  | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| Comments: <br> Stage 1 data adequate. Likely a final harvest will be proposed. Access is questionable due to Railroad access and Pvt. land. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5 | Unavailable | 2H: Blocked by physical obstacle (e.g. upland stand in a lowland area) | 4 | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| Comments: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 6 | Unavailable | 3J: Water quality / BMPs (stream, river, or lake) |  | 2G: Too wet (sensitive soils, does not include access issues) | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| Comments: <br> Cedar stand buffering Manton Creek. Too wet as well. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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| 7 | Unavailable | 2G: Too wet (sensitive soils, does not include access issues) | 7 | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Comments: <br> Standing water, plus no market. Mostly dead ash. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 8 | Available | 2B: Unknown if access through adjacent landowner(s) is possible | 24 | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| Comments: <br> Logger will need to secure access with landowner. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 9 | Unavailable | 2G: Too wet (sensitive soils, does not include access issues) | 65 | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| Comments: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 10 | Unavailable | 2G: Too wet (sensitive soils, does not include access issues) | 21 | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| Comments: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11 | Unavailable | 2A: Adjacent landowner denied access | 7 | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| Comments: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 12 | Unavailable | 2G: Too wet (sensitive soils, does not include access issues) | 6 | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| Comments: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |



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| 19 | Unavailable | 2G: Too wet (sensitive soils, does not include access issues) | 1 | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Comments: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 20 | Unavailable | 2G: Too wet (sensitive soils, does not include access issues) | 16 | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| Comments: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 21 | Available | 5C: Delay treatment for age/size class diversity or exceptional site quality | 19 | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| Comments: <br> Hold till next YOE will be log stand at that time. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 22 | Unavailable | 2G: Too wet (sensitive soils, does not include access issues) | 17 | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| Comments: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 23 | Available | 5C: Delay treatment for age/size class diversity or exceptional site quality | 10 | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| Comments: <br> Portions may be too wet as well. Evaluate next YOE. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 24 | Available | 5C: Delay treatment for age/size class diversity or exceptional site quality | 168 | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| Comments: <br> Leave large aspen complex and split in two sections next YOE. Break up age class over next 20 years. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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| 25 | Available | 5C: Delay treatment for age/size class diversity or exceptional site quality | 16 | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Comments: <br> Stand can go another 10 years before it is thinned again. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 26 | Available | 5C: Delay treatment for age/size class diversity or exceptional site quality | 31 | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| Comments: <br> Another 10 years and will be prime. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 27 | Available | 5C: Delay treatment for age/size class diversity or exceptional site quality | 36 | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| Comments: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

## Report 6 - 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.
SCA Name


## Comments

## Report 7 - EXISTING SPECIAL CONSERVATION AREA DETAILS

* This is a list of SCA's for this compartment along with a $1 / 4$ mile buffer surrounding the compartment. Refer to the Special Conservation Area Map for locations of the below listed Conservation Areas.

| Conservation Area | Type | Description | ERA = Ecological Reference Area <br> HCVA = High Conservation Value Area <br> SCA = Special Conservation Area |
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| SCA | Cold Water Stream | A coldwater stream has temperature and dissolved oxygen conditions that allow naturally-reproduced or stocked trout populations and those of other coldwater fish species (e.g., slimy sculpin) to persist from year to year. Coldwater streams in Michigan typically provide these conditions due to substantial contributions of groundwater to their stream flows. Such streams are established by Director's action and designated as trout resources by Fisheries Order 210. |  |
| SCA | Riparian Area | A transitional influences the streams and o communities as aesthetics, | which the terrestrial ecosystem unique conditions adjacent to lakes, liversity of plants and wildlife. Riparian cts on water quality and quantity, as well contribution to overall biodiversity. |



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| n | Level 4 Cover Type | Size Density | Acres | Stand Age | BA Range |  |  |  |
| 25 | 4130 - Aspen | Poletimber Well | 36.1 | 51 | 51-80 | Aspen border. fe | d , with pine concentrated access through most of wet areas as road goes | he west d, with a st. |
| 28 | 6119 - Mixed Lowland Deciduous Forest | Poletimber Medium | 3.6 | 50 | Unspecified |  |  |  |
| 31 | 6115 - Lowland Ash | Poletimber Well | 1.3 | 85 | Unspecified |  |  |  |
| 34 | 4190 - Mixed Upland Deciduous with Cedar | Poletimber Well | 8.7 | 77 | 51-80 | High sus | throw if residual (cedar) final harvest | ollowing a |
| 36 | 6118 - Lowland Deciduous with Cedar | Sawtimber Well | 5.0 | 65 | 51-80 | Smaller | cedar and aspen. Mostly ed with aspen and red ma | land with |
| 40 | 6121 - Tamarack | Sawtimber Medium | 20.9 | 116 | 1-50 | Isolated | ack, surrounded by lowlan | g alder. |
| 42 | 6120 - Lowland Cedar | Sawtimber Medium | 3.5 | 135 | 51-80 | Small w | int from possible wildlife er got completed? | lans that |
| 43 | 6132 - Mixed Lowland Forest with Cedar | Poletimber Well | 3.8 | 111 | Unspecified |  |  |  |
| 47 | 6127 - Lowland Pine | Poletimber Poor | 1.7 | 50 | 1-50 |  | ally filling in to a forested |  |
| 48 | 6117 - Lowland Deciduous, Mixed Coniferous | Sawtimber Well | 5.7 | 95 | 51-80 |  | cky but mostly lowland. |  |
| 51 | 4130 - Aspen | Sawtimber Well | 10.2 | 51 | 81-110 | Log ne | and a few red pine along a upland aspen stand. | edge, |
| 53 | 4136 - Aspen, Mixed Conifer | Poletimber Well | 168.3 | 48 | 51-80 | Very la and siz size with 10 <br> Scattere dark sh low are | with considerable variabi near the road are better much less to the west. A lowland, but non-contiguo unmappable. <br> vernal ponds throughout aking aspen is much poo ylon. Bigtooth exists on sor in the north part of the sta | in quality ality and oximately and <br> DOQ for quality in e higher |
| 54 | 4130 - Aspen | Sapling Well | 13.6 | 7 | Immature | Stand was were | in 2008, all oak, cherry a <br> t. Came back well to mo | white pine aspen. |
| 55 | 6121 - Tamarack | Poletimber Well | 1.2 | 60 | 51-80 |  |  |  |


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| $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{n} \\ & \mathrm{~d} \end{aligned}$ | Level 4 Cover Type | Size Density | Acres | Stand Age | BA Range |  | General Comments: |  |
| 56 | 6118 - Lowland Deciduous with Cedar | Sawtimber Well | 64.9 | 114 | 51-80 | Large aspen cedar with heavy in | x of cedar mixed with poc able stand with some po just flooded out aspen. me pockets of just flood tag alder. | of wet <br> of just down is mber and |
| 57 | 6112 - Lowland Aspen | Sawtimber Poor | 16.0 | 70 | 1-50 | Ve unde | with has full alder cove radually falling out of stand er in many spots. | in the tanding |
| 64 | 4134 - Aspen, Spruce/Fir | Poletimber Well | 2.6 | 55 | 51-80 | Island throu | -forested wetland with upland mix of aspen an | passing ce/fir. |
| 67 | 4130 - Aspen | Sapling Well | 5.7 | 13 | Immature | Stand manag and habi able to Baldwin mostly a | ted in 2002. Lowland har Mixed regeneration from thern portion of northern rcially so was completed rees dropped and left) R mixed hardwood and bals spots. | od was ber sale e was no 004 with nerated to fir. Wet in |
| 69 | 4139 - Aspen, Mixed Deciduous | Sapling Poor | 44.4 | 5 | Immature | Final har aspen a failure jack p | strips in 2010. Regen to has not been planted as ed pine seedlings comp small jack pine seedling nd hardwood in spots. | ix of pine sult of the old cut der the |
| 70 | 4130 - Aspen | Sawtimber Well | 78.0 | 55 | 51-80 | Mostly edge diameter | with pockets of more low al ponds as well. Some v stand. Slight rolling terr mmocky ground. | on the bility in with some |
| 71 | 42100 - Planted White Pine | Sawtimber Well | 5.0 | 64 | 51-80 | Pine wa Over sto longer | with all aspen and mapl pears more of a natural ad maple coverage in the | t as well. rows no derstory. |
| 72 | 6132 - Mixed Lowland Forest with Cedar | Poletimber Well | 1.7 | 43 | 1-50 |  | middle of mostly upland |  |
| 73 | 4130 - Aspen | Poletimber Well | 57.2 | 45 | 51-80 | Old pine aspen Trace | out. Lots of hypoxylon on aspen, not the best site <br> spen in transitions on we | or quality aspen. ges. |
| 76 | 4116 - Mixed N. Hardwood - Aspen | Poletimber Medium | 4.1 | 60 | 51-80 |  | din the middle of cattail |  |
| 81 | 429 - Mixed Upland Conifers | Sawtimber Well | 4.0 | 89 | 51-80 | two-aged Burn | py, cedar, and hemlock <br> t. Aspen benches cut ar | ame age. 1960. |
| 82 | 4130 - Aspen | Sapling Well | 26.6 | 7 | Immature | Stand was were left Mos | in 2008, all white pine, eas of lowland mixed in a white pine is scattered al | and cherry east line 10 rd. |


| $\begin{aligned} & \mathbf{S} \\ & \mathbf{t} \\ & \mathbf{a} \\ & \mathbf{n} \\ & \mathbf{d} \end{aligned}$ | Cadillac | Mgt. Unit | Report 8 - Forested Stands |  |  |  | Compartment: 148 <br> Year of Entry: 2017 <br> General Comments: |  |
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|  | Level 4 Cover Type | Size Density | Acres | Stand Age | BA Range |  |  |  |
| 84 | 4130 - Aspen | Sawtimber Well | 32.1 | 55 | 81-110 | Decent qu | nd, with some red maple pond in north end of stand | d in. One |
| 88 | 4113 - R.Maple, Conifer | Poletimber Well | 13.4 | 77 | 1-50 | Stand w Thick | 10, all cherry and white le regeneration following | were left. ning. |
| 89 | 42100 - Planted White Pine | Sawtimber Well | 2.3 | 66 | 81-110 | Stand | in 1996 and marked thin | in 2010. |
| 90 | 42110 - Planted Red Pine | Sawtimber Well | 51.7 | 61 | 111-140 | Stand | 1996 and marked seco Good quality stand. | inning in |
| 91 | 6112 - Lowland Aspen | Poletimber Well | 10.0 | 55 | 51-80 |  |  |  |
| 95 | 6112 - Lowland Aspen | Sapling Well | 1.4 | 15 | Immature | Habitat | - 2001. Came back to en. A few white pine mix | of alder |
| 96 | 6112 - Lowland Aspen | Poletimber Poor | 4.6 | 62 | 1-50 | Scattere | pen, with full alder stand Very wet stand. | er story. |
| 98 | 4130 - Aspen | Sawtimber Well | 1.1 | 55 | 51-80 |  | mall for commercial tim |  |
| 99 | 4130 - Aspen | Sapling Well | 1.1 | 19 | Immature | Small | has came back well to t gets wet to the west. | . Mostly |
| 100 | 4319 - Mixed Upland Forest | Sawtimber Well | 15.9 | 52 | 81-110 | Complex cedar and compone and telep | with more lowland swale Rough even mix of asp distinguish with differen ct stand. Couple legacy in stand. | hemlock, and conifer ds. Road scattered |
| 104 | 4130 - Aspen | Poletimber Well | 18.8 | 48 | 51-80 | Mostly understor and | ole aspen with thick white rner transitions to more Scattered legacy pine i | and fir white pine nd. |
| 105 | 6115 - Lowland Ash | Poletimber Medium | 6.9 | 70 | 1-50 | Flooded either fr | ng water at times. Most ns or EAB. Seasonal dran through stand. | h is dead, ge runs |
| 108 | 4134 - Aspen, Spruce/Fir | Sawtimber Well | 6.8 | 60 | 51-80 |  |  |  |
| 110 | 42200 - Natural White Pine | Sawtimber Well | 5.2 | 94 | 51-80 | Stand a | 8, all white pine was left. e scattered "legacy white | ated two e" |
| 115 | 42200 - Natural White Pine | Sawtimber Well | 4.4 | 91 | 81-110 | Nice log A few | with a few aspen and $m$ mixed in stand. Bear si mmocky ground. | mixed in. stand. |


| S | Cadillac |  |  | Report 8 - Forested Stands |  |  | Compartment: 148 |  |
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| n | Level 4 Cover Type | Size Density | Acres | Stand Age | BA Range |  | General Comments: |  |
| 117 | 4130 - Aspen | Sawtimber Well | 34.7 | 52 | 81-110 | Good quality aspen which is beginning to show signs of age. Log stand overall with sections which are more pole size. Vernal ponds in east end of stand. |  |  |
| 118 | 4130 - Aspen | Sapling Well | 61.2 | 5 | Immature | Stand | d in 2010 will all oak left back well to aspen. | etention. |
| 119 | 6120 - Lowland Cedar | Sawtimber Well | 10.6 | 82 | 81-110 |  | anton Creek on west side. |  |
| 122 | 4134 - Aspen, Spruce/Fir | Sapling Poor | 2.6 | 17 | Immature |  | ed in 1999. All Hemlock | left. |
| 123 | 4319 - Mixed Upland Forest | Sawtimber Well | 27.8 | 55 | 51-80 | Diverse | n, cedar, fir, hemlock and th defendant lowland char | d maple. <br> er. |
| 124 | 6117 - Lowland Deciduous, Mixed Coniferous | Sapling Medium | 2.3 | 19 | Immature |  | back to a mix, lowland cha | ter. |
| 126 | 42201 - Natural White Pine, Mixed Deciduous | Poletimber Poor | 7.0 | 45 | 1-50 | openin success fern and | rea that is closing in. Typi rious recruitment cohorts. cover, but some blueberry in with mostly white pine | old field stly sweet esent. Old |
| 128 | 42200 - Natural White Pine | Sawtimber Well | 11.6 | 75 | 51-80 | Pine well. A | 8 with all aspen and red m ate or RR easement. Sca legacy white pine. | le cut as ed super |
| 129 | 4199 - Other Mixed Upland Deciduous | Sawtimber Poor | 11.4 | 56 | 1-50 | Variable spots | d maple, oak, cherry and ers are more forested. Cr e recent clear-cut to the | a good h. |
| 131 | 4130 - Aspen | Sapling Poor | 5.2 | 7 | Immature | Stand | ted in 2008. All oak was well. Railroad track to wes | Aspen |
| 132 | 4130 - Aspen | Poletimber Well | 10.9 | 55 | 1-50 | Very ro cor | n, which get a little better site quaking aspen with | northeast ers. |
| 133 | 4136 - Aspen, Mixed Conifer | Poletimber Well | 5.5 | 46 | 51-80 | Small | spen, mixed with maple, fir pine. | nd white |
| 135 | 4130 - Aspen | Sapling Well | 8.7 | 18 | Immature | Stand to the s | d in 1997. Access was th well to aspen dominated pole stand next YOE. | h private <br> x. Will be |
| 136 | 4311 - Pine, Aspen Mix | Poletimber Medium | 5.4 | 65 | 1-50 | Open | nsition from plantation to ands to the east. | natural |



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| $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{a} \\ & \mathrm{n} \\ & \mathrm{~d} \end{aligned}$ | Level 4 Cover Type | Size Density | Acres | Stand Age | BA Range | General <br> Comments: |
| 154 | 4130 - Aspen | Sapling Well | 4.3 | 7 | Immature | Stand was final harvested in 2008. Came back well to aspen. A few areas are more open and flooded out but overall came back to aspen. |
| 156 | 4136 - Aspen, Mixed Conifer | Poletimber Well | 4.0 | 47 | 81-110 | Small ridge of aspen along with some conifer. Pole size stand approaching log, aspen in good shape. Small cedar and hemlock pocket in stand. |
| 157 | 4136 - Aspen, Mixed Conifer | Sapling Well | 5.5 | 7 | Immature | Stand was final harvested in 2008 with all white pine left. Scattered pole white pine with a solid flush of aspen filling in. Will be a aspen stand with scattered log white pine in the future. |
| 159 | 42200 - Natural White Pine | Sawtimber Well | 17.8 | 75 | 51-80 | Stand was marked thinning in 2010, all aspen and maple was cut as well. Sale covered most of current stand, although there are two pole aspen clones that were not picked up in sale. Too small to be mapped on there own. Aspen clones will be included when stand in treated in future YOE. Variable stand with thick aspen regeneration in pockets and others with little as a result of heavier pine over story. |
| 161 | 6120 - Lowland Cedar | Poletimber Well | 60.8 | 82 | 51-80 | Large cedar dominated lowland swamp, with a creek running through portions of the stand. Some flooded pockets with almost all dead ash and others of solid cedar with no understory. Variable stand which likely provides good wildlife thermal cover. |
| 162 | 4136 - Aspen, Mixed Conifer | Poletimber Well | 8.9 | 46 | 51-80 | Small ridge of mostly aspen with scattered log white pine. Upland stand for the most part but surrounded by swamp and creek borders stand. Aspen approaching log overall. |
| 185 | 4319 - Mixed Upland Forest | Sapling Poor | 15.4 | 4 | Immature | Stand was final harvested in 2008 and then planted to red pine and white pine. Scattered over story left from harvest. Stand was trenched in 2010 and then planted in 2011 with 2-0 seedlings. Red pine about 1 ft tall with cherry and jack pine filling in naturally. Will be a mix of planted pine, cherry, and jack pine. |
| 201 | 6120 - Lowland Cedar | Sawtimber Well | 17.1 | 91 | 51-80 | Manton Creek corridor. Nice lowland conifer complex. Mostly cedar but some pockets are heavier to hemlock. |
| 340 | 6112 - Lowland Aspen | Sapling Well | 6.4 | 12 | Immature | Habitat cut in winter of 2003. Came back thick to aspen, maple and some paper birch. Was mostly cedar before habitat cut. |


| Stand | Cover Type | Acres | Managed Site | General Comments: |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 310 - Herbaceous Openland | 5.4 | No | Unmanaged opening filling in with natural pine along the edges. |
| 2 | 3303 - Mixed Low Density Trees | 2.0 | Yes | Small opening in the middle of pine plantation. Some apple trees. |
| 5 | 6229 - Mixed lowland shrub | 1.2 | No |  |
| 7 | 2113 - Forage Crops | 1.7 | Yes | Managed opening recently planted to rye in 2014. Scattered trees. |
| 10 | 6225 - Bog | 1.3 | No |  |
| 14 | 31021 - Cool Season Grass | 3.2 | Yes | Managed wildlife opening. |
| 16 | 31021 - Cool Season Grass | 3.5 | Yes | Managed wildlife opening. |
| 18 | 3103 -Rubus-Fern | 2.5 | No | Good young aspen coming in around the edges - nice transition area for wildlife. |
| 20 | 6220 - Alder/willow | 2.9 | No | Lowland shrub, with scattered lowland trees attempting to get started along the edges. Too wet to support forested stand. |
| 21 | 6220 - Alder/willow | 23.0 | No | Alder lowland with a few trees scattered along northern edge. |
| 24 | 2113 - Forage Crops | 4.2 | Yes | Gated opening which was tilled and planted to rye in fall 2014 by wildlife division. Opening had not been planted prior. Also used as a tire dump site by the Manton Field Office. Appears to be old well site? |
| 26 | 3103 - Rubus-Fern | 1.0 | No | Small opening. |
| 27 | 310 - Herbaceous Openland | 8.8 | No | Grass opening along the right of way of the road. Few scattered maple and cherry. |
| 29 | 3301 - Low Density Deciduous Tree | 1.8 | No |  |
| 30 | 6220 - Alder/willow | 0.6 | No |  |
| 32 | 330 - Low-Density Trees | 2.5 | No | Semi open area filled in with white pine, aspen and maple. Power line and road run through stand. |
| 33 | 6239 - Mixed Emergent Wetland | 31.0 | No | Water standing in western $1 / 4$. The rest is emergent wetland. Lots of old snags. |


| Stand | Cover Type | AcresManaged <br> Site | General Comments: |  |
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| $\mathbf{3 5}$ | 310 - Herbaceous Openland | 7.6 | Yes | Managed opening, although some of the edges appear to have been missed by |
| plow. |  |  |  |  |


| Stand | Cover Type | Acres | Managed Site | General Comments: |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 97 | 6239 - Mixed Emergent Wetland | 9.3 | No |  |
| 106 | 6229 - Mixed lowland shrub | 6.9 | No | Stand was final harvested in 2000 or 2002? was a commercial cedar sale. Wildlife cedar final harvest, which largely flooded out to cattails. Some balsam fir and lowland hardwood scattered regeneration. Overall wet cattails now. Perimeter was left for some reason, mix of log aspen, maple, fir and white pine. |
| 107 | 3301 - Low Density Deciduous Tree | 3.6 | No | Small opening with scattered aspen, maple and white pine. |
| 113 | 6220 - Alder/willow | 4.8 | No |  |
| 114 | 6233 - Wet Meadow | 8.9 | No | Beaver meadow |
| 116 | 310 - Herbaceous Openland | 8.2 | No | Old wildlife opening which had not been maintained in some years. Filling in with some white and red pine. Autumn Olive planted around the edges. |
| 121 | 3301 - Low Density Deciduous Tree | 1.6 | No |  |
| 130 | 6229 - Mixed lowland shrub | 8.6 | No | Lowland shrub and marsh surrounding creek. |
| 151 | 3102 - Grass | 47.5 |  | Red pine which was final harvested in 2010. Trenched in 2011 and planted to red pine in 2012 and replanted again in 2014. . Bare root seedlings. Only around a foot tall or less in fall 2014. Seedling appear they will make it this time. |
| 158 | 3105 - Mixed Upland Herbaceous | 1.9 | No | Natural opening on the edge of private. |
| 217 | 6220 - Alder/willow | 4.6 | No | Habitat cut in 2000-2001. Was cedar, which following cut flooded out and is now mostly alder and willow. Some remnant cedar on the southern perimeter still stand. |
| 301 | 3301 - Low Density Deciduous Tree | 2.1 | No | Good blueberries |

