

Compartment Review Presentation

Gaylord Forest Management Unit

Compartment 52141 Entry Year 2019 Acreage: 1,218

County Cheboygan

Management Area: Emmet Moraines

Revision Date: 2017-04-25

Stand Examiner: Donald Stacks

Legal Description:

T36N R03W Sections 19, 20, 29 - 32.

Identified Planning 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.

Soil and topography:

Mostly Roscommon muck, Tawas peat, and Au Gres sand on flat ground.

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

State ownership is fairly contiguous within the compartment boundary. Many homes are located to the east along Burt Lake.

Unique Natural Features:

Listed species include: Michigan monkey flower, woodland vole, aquatic snail, tapered vertigo, Douglas stenelmis riffle beetle, Bald eagle, Wet Scrubland, Wet Meadow, and Eastern pondmussel.

Archeological, Historical, and Cultural Features:

An archeological site exists in Section 29. No treatments are prescribed in Section 29.

Special Management Designations or Considerations:

A large Lowland Shrub Thicket ERA exists along the shore of Burt Lake. Much of the compartment acreage is located on poorly drained soil which limits timber harvesting opportunities.

Watershed and Fisheries Considerations:

This compartment includes portions of the lower Maple River, a designated trout stream with Type 4 trout stream regulations, and Burt Lake. The compartment contains a large area of lowland/wetland adjacent to the Maple River. Since the last compartment review, access has been restricted (with gates) to former the sand trap off Brutus Road. Restricting access to walk-in only, along with seeding, mulching, and plantings of the openings, has improved conditions at this site. Prescribed management activities are appropriate for the protection of this waterbody.

Wildlife Habitat Considerations:

This compartment contains deciduous floodplain where the Maple River empties into Burt Lake and natural processes have been allowed to take place here. Wildlife species that benefit include furbearing species like beaver and also waterfowl including wood duck. Most upland areas that are accessible have been harvested, meaning that management opportunities are limited. However, there is an opportunity to improve habitat for woodcock in stand 16 using non-commercial harvest of tag alder during dry or frozen conditions.

Mineral Resource and Development Concerns and/or Restrictions

This area has been leased for oil and gas exploration in the recent past as part of the Collingwood lease play. While the Collingwood has produced some hydrocarbons elsewhere, the formation has not proven to be an economically viable resource play to date. Interest in the formation has waned and all leases in the area have expired. Therefore, oil and gas potential within the compartment is considered low at this time. No active or apparent former sand/gravel pits are located within five miles of the compartment. Sand and gravel potential appears to be low within the compartment. Surface sediments appear to be dominated by clay with some sand and minimal gravel.

Vehicle Access:

Access into the compartment can be gained in Sections 19 and 20 via Brutus Rd., Indian Rd., and Penny Ln. Access is very limited south of Brutus Rd. due to lack of access roads on very poorly drained soils and the Maple River.

Survey Needs:

None anticipated at the present time.

Recreational Facilities and Opportunities:

Maple Bay State Forest Campground and Boat Launch Site is found within the compartment boundary.

Fire Protection:

Pellston DNR Field Office and Village of Pellston VFD is located about 7 miles to the north. Indian River DNR Field Office is located about 14 miles to the east.

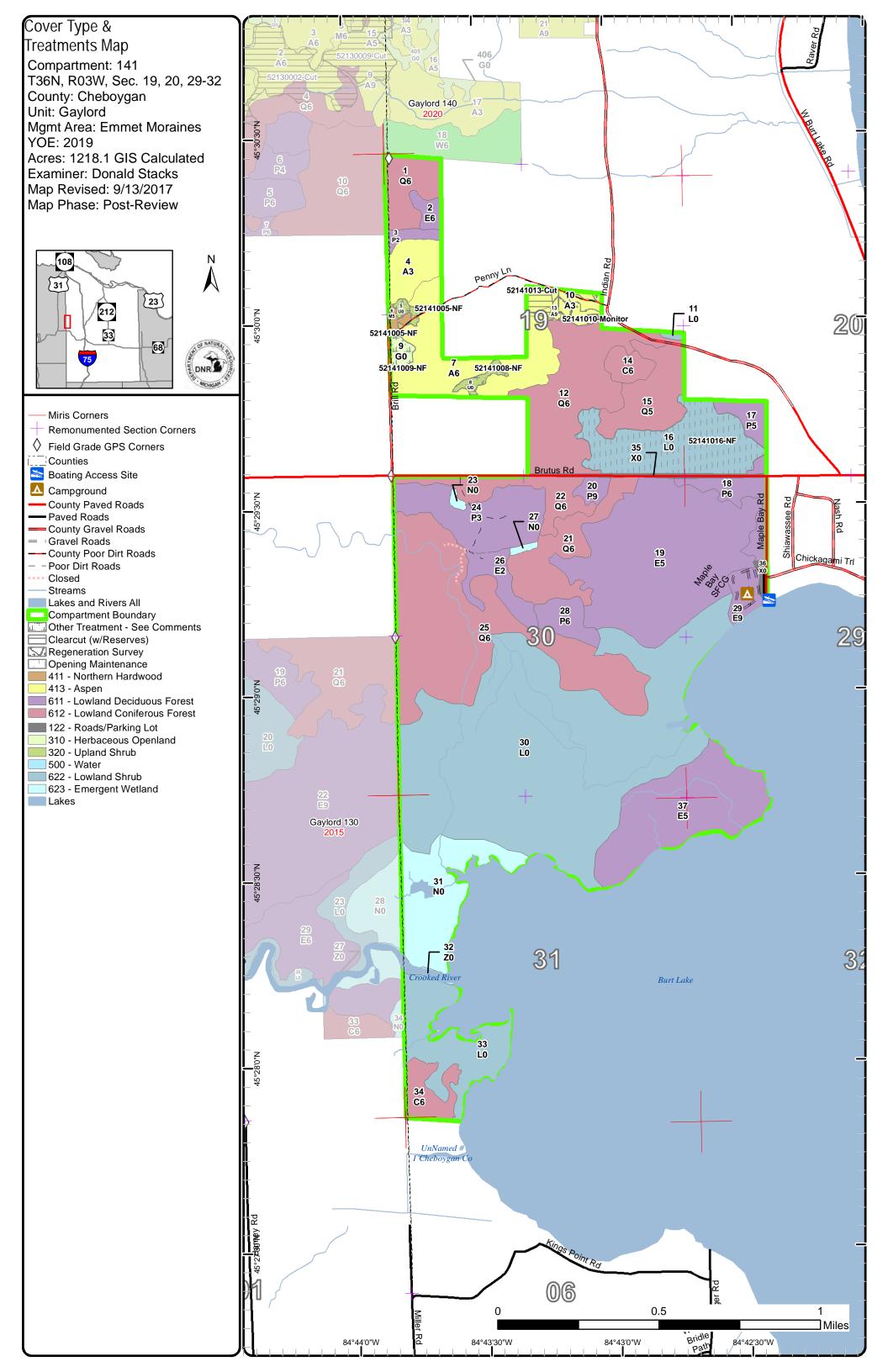
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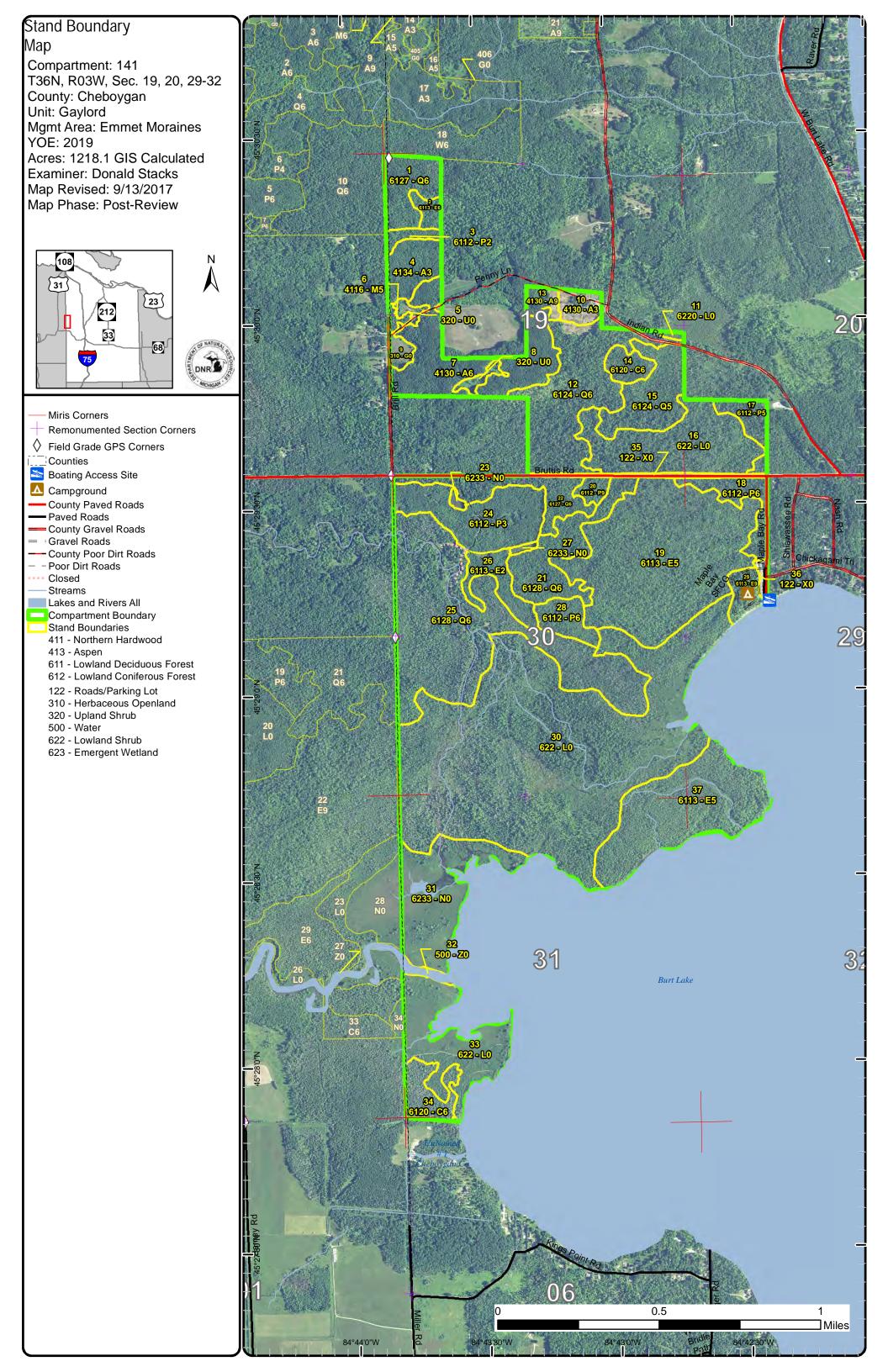
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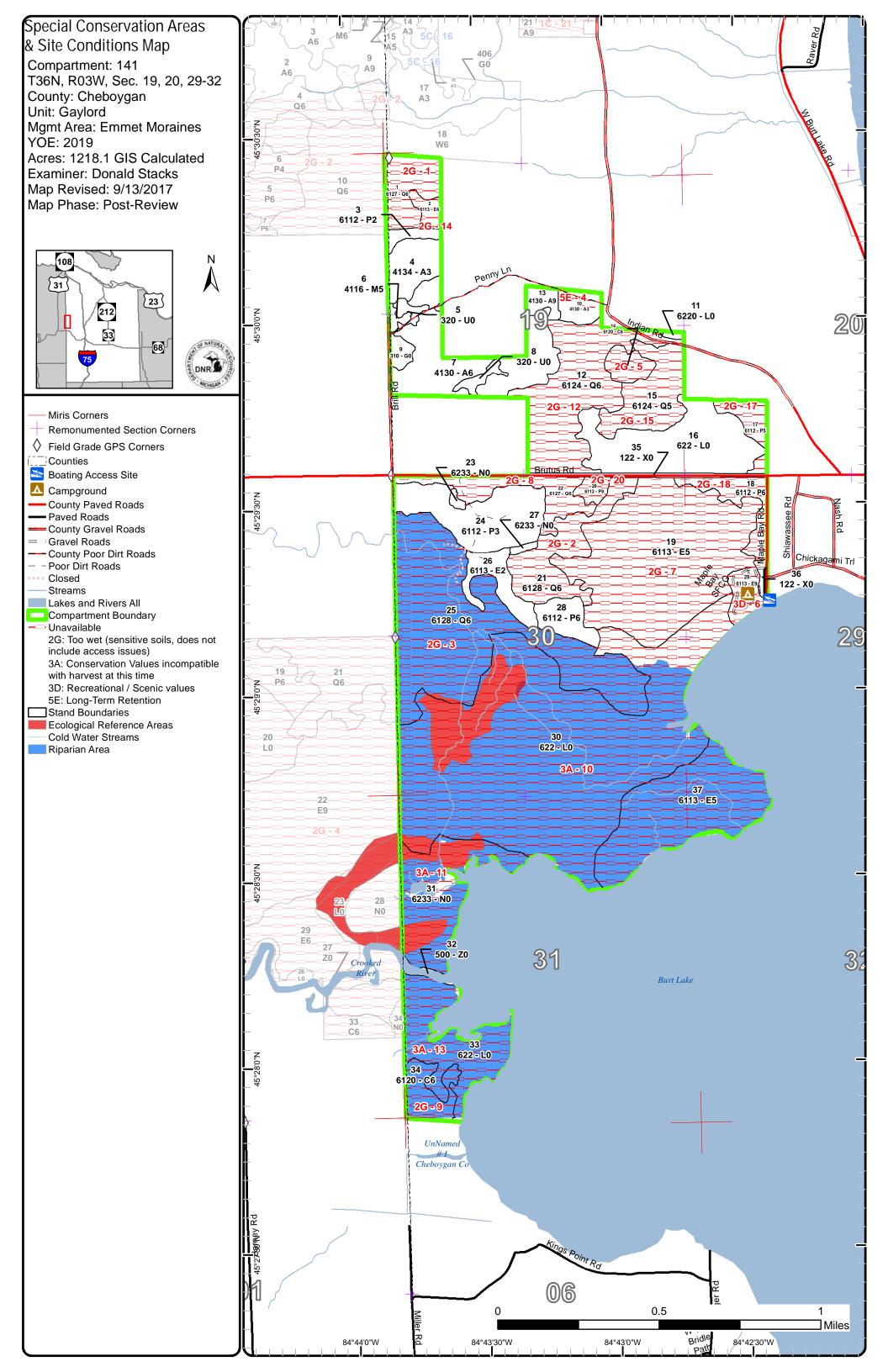
Total Acres by Cover Type and Age Class
Cover Type by Harvest Method
Proposed Treatments – No Limiting Factors
Proposed Treatments – With Limiting Factors
Stand Details (Forested and Nonforested)
Dedicated and Proposed Special Conservation Areas
Site Condition Details

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







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Age Class

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Cedar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	22
Herbaceous Openland	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Lowland Aspen/Balsam Poplar	0	0	0	42	4	12	25	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	86
Lowland Conifers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	56	0	95	131	0	0	0	0	0	20	302
Lowland Deciduous	0	0	0	14	0	0	0	0	5	0	218	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	236
Lowland Shrub	408	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	408
Marsh	55	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	55
Northern Hardwood	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Upland Shrub	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Urban	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
Water	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
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Report 2 – Treatment Summary

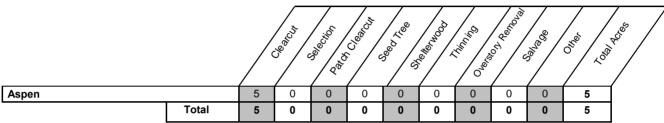
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Acres of Harvest

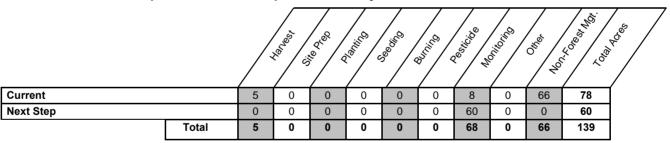
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Commercial Harvest - 5 Harvests with Site Condition - 0 Next Step Harvest - 0 Habitat Cut - 0

Cover Type by Harvest Method



Proposed and Next Step Treatments by Method



Gaylord Mgt. Unit Report 3 -- Treatments Compartment: 141 s Year of Entry: 2019 t а **Treatment** Stand Size Stand BA **Treatment Treatment Cover Type Approval** Acres Age n Name CoverType Density Age Range Type Method Objective Structure **Status** d 5 52141005-NF 3.2 320 - Upland Shrub Nonstocked Unspec NonForestMgt Other - Specify 320 - Upland Draft Field ified Shrub Boundary **Habitat Cut: No Site Condition:** Prescription Brush, mow, plant, burn and/or herbicide to maintain opening. Planting of hard and soft mast. Pruning of soft mast shrubs. Specs: Next Step Treatments: Acceptable Regen: Other Comment: **Proposed Start Date:** 10/01/2018 52141008-NF 3.3 320 - Upland Shrub Nonstocked Unspec NonForestMgt Other - Specify 320 - Upland Draft Field ified Shrub Boundary **Habitat Cut: No Site Condition:** Prescription Brush, mow, plant, burn and/or herbicide to maintain opening. Planting of hard and soft mast. Pruning of soft mast shrubs. Specs: Next Step **Treatments:** Acceptable Regen: Other Comment: **Proposed Start Date:** 10/01/2018 52141009-NF 310 -Draft Field 4.1 310 - Herbaceous Nonstocked Unspec NonForestMgt Other - Specify Openland ified Herbaceous Boundary Openland **Site Condition: Habitat Cut: No** Prescription Brush, mow, plant, burn and/or herbicide to maintain opening. Planting of hard and soft mast. Pruning of soft mast shrubs. Specs: Next Step Treatments: <u>Acceptable</u> Regen: Other Comment: **Proposed Start Date:** 10/01/2018 10 52141010-7.5 4130 - Aspen Sapling Immatu Monitoring Natural Regen 4130 - Aspen Even-Aged Draft Field Well (Intermediate) Boundary Monitor re **Habitat Cut: No Site Condition: Prescription** Specs: Next Step **Treatments:** Acceptable A fully stocked stand of mixed aspen/northern hardwood is acceptable regen.

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Percent to Treat = 100%

10/01/2021

Regen: Other

Comment:

Proposed Start Date:

Compartment: 141 Year of Entry: 2019 **Treatment** Acres Stand Size Stand BA **Treatment Treatment Cover Type** Age **Approval** Method Objective Name CoverType Density Age Range Type Structure **Status** 52141013-Cut 4.6 4130 - Aspen Sawtimber 74 81-110 Clearcut with 413 - Aspen Even-Aged Field Harvest Well Retention Boundary -Ready for

Report 3 -- Treatments

Habitat Cut: No Site Condition:

Prescription Clearcut 2" and up. Retain hemlock, Oak, WP, and Cherry (incidental).

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Next Step Monitoring, Natural Regen (Re-Inventory)

Treatments:

Acceptable Well stocked aspen.

Regen:

Stand was prescribed in 2009 YOE, part of the sale was cut, this treatment represents the uncut portion of the sale. It was approved through the Other

Compartment review in 2007 and is presently prescribed as part of the Red Phelps Aspen sale (52-106-17). Comment:

Proposed Start Date: 10/01/2007

52141016-NF 55.6 622 - Lowland Shrub Nonstocked Unspec NonForestMgt **Brush Cutting** 6220 -Draft Field

> ified Alder/willow Boundary

Habitat Cut: No Site Condition:

Prescription Non-commercial harvest. Harvest strips of tag alder, roughly 1 - 2 chains wide, by variable distances in length. Also, fell any of the sparse,

scattered quaking aspen or balsam poplar trees, that are located within cut strips of tag alder, and leave on site. Specs:

Next Step Monitoring, Natural Regen (Re-Inventory)

Treatments:

Acceptable New growth of tag alder from the stumps of previously harvested stems.

Regen:

Other Standing water and winter weather conditions will determine if/when harvesting will occur. Local RGS chapter will provide equipment and labor.

Comment: Tag alder regeneration will provide excellent woodcock habitat.

Proposed Start Date: 10/01/2018

Total Treatment

78.3 Acreage Proposed:

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Availability for Management Total Acres Acres Avail Acres **Dominant Site Conditions** Available With Condition Not Available ЗА 3D 5E Acres 2G Aspen Cedar Herbaceous Openland Lowland Aspen/Balsam Poplar **Lowland Conifers Lowland Deciduous Lowland Shrub** Marsh Northern Hardwood

Upland Shrub

Urban

Water

Total Forested Acres

Relative Percent

Site No.	Dominant Site Cond Availability	Dominant Site Condition	Acres	Other Site Condition	Other Site Condition	Other Site Condition	Other Site Condition		
1	Unavailable	2G: Too wet (sensitive soils, does not include access issues)	20	5F: Evaluated for Forest Health Considerations	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified		
Comments: Considered for SBW Salvage but declined due to soil conditions.									
2	Unavailable	2G: Too wet (sensitive soils, does not include access issues)	33	5F: Evaluated for Forest Health Considerations	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified		
Comments: Evaluated for SBW harvest but declined due to soil saturation,									

1,218

19%

81%

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

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3	Unavailable	2G: Too wet (sensitive soils, does not include access issues)	91	5F: Evaluated for Forest Health Considerations	2H: Blocked by physical obstacle (e.g. upland stand in a lowland area)	3J: Water quality / BMPs (stream, river, or lake)	3A: Conservation Values incompatible with harvest at this time
	Comments: Evaluated for SBW	harvest but declined due to soi	l satura	ation,			
4	Unavailable	5E: Long-Term Retention	2	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
	Comments: LTR for stand 10.						
5	Unavailable	2G: Too wet (sensitive soils, does not include access issues)	8	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
	Comments:						
6	Unavailable	3D: Recreational / Scenic values	9	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
	Comments:						
7	Unavailable	2G: Too wet (sensitive soils, does not include access issues)	158	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
	Comments:						
8	Unavailable	2G: Too wet (sensitive soils, does not include access issues)	23	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
	Comments:						

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9	Unavailable	2G: Too wet (sensitive soils, does not include access issues)	14	3A: Conservation Values incompatible with harvest at this time	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
	Comments:						
10	Unavailable	3A: Conservation Values incompatible with harvest at this time	395	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
(Comments:						
11	Unavailable	3A: Conservation Values incompatible with harvest at this time	53	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
(Comments:						
12	Unavailable	2G: Too wet (sensitive soils, does not include access issues)	65	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
(Comments:						
13	Unavailable	3A: Conservation Values incompatible with harvest at this time	48	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
(Comments:						

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14 Unavailable 2G: Too wet (sensitive 5 Unspecified Unspecified Unspecified Unspecified soils, does not include access issues) Comments: 15 2G: Too wet (sensitive Unspecified Unspecified Unspecified Unspecified Unavailable 30 soils, does not include access issues) Comments: 2G: Too wet (sensitive Unspecified Unspecified Unspecified Unspecified 17 Unavailable 11 soils, does not include access issues) Comments: 2G: Too wet (sensitive 3D: Recreational / Unspecified Unspecified Unspecified 18 Unavailable 16 soils, does not include Scenic values access issues) Comments: 20 2G: Too wet (sensitive Unspecified Unspecified Unspecified Unspecified Unavailable 4 soils, does not include access issues) Comments:

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Report 5 - 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	SCA Category	Detail Type	Recommendation	Acres
Comments				

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Report 6 – 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	on Type	Description	ERA = Ecological Reference Area HCVA = High Conservation Value Area SCA = Special Conservation Area
SCA	Cold Water Stream	A coldwater stream has temperature and dissolved oxygen condistocked trout populations and those of other coldwater fish speci year to year. Coldwater streams in Michigan typically provide the contributions of groundwater to their stream flows. Such streams designated as trout resources by Fisheries Order 210.	es (e.g., slimy sculpin) to persist from se conditions due to substantial
ERA	Ecological Reference Areas	Ecological Reference Areas (ERAs) are high quality examples of identified as Element Occurrences (EOs) by the Michigan Natura context of their natural community classification system. Element (Excellent) or B (Good) and a Global (G) or State (S) element (ra threatened (2), or rare (3) serve as an initial base of ERAs. They the State. The system is comprised of individual or associations managed for restoration and maintenance of natural ecological p submit recommendations for lands as ERAs using the DNR Constitution.	Il Features Inventory (MNFI) within the Cocurrences with viability ranks of A rity) ranking of endangered (1), may be located upon any ownership in of natural community types that are processes and values. The public may

S t	Gaylord		Report 7	– Forested	Stands Compartment: 141 Year of Entry: 2019	
a n d	Level 4 Cover Type	Size Density	Acres	Stand Age	BA Range	General Comments:
1	6127 - Lowland Pine	Poletimber Well	20.3	83	81-110	STAND CONSISTS OF MOSTLY WHITE PINE POLETIMBER AND SCATTERED WHITE PINE SAWTIMBER ON POORLY DRAINED SOIL. SCATTERED, OVERMATURE ASPEN SAWTIMBER PRESENT AND FALLING OUT OF STAND. RED MAPLE, BALSAM FIR, HEMLOCK, AND CEDAR IN LESSER AMOUNTS ALSO PRESENT. LET WHITE PINE POLETIMBER CONTINUE TO GROW. WET SOIL WOULD RESULT IN EXCESSIVE RUTTING IF HARVEST ACTIVITY TOOK PLACE. PRESENT BA IS ABOUT 110 SQ. FT. 1/14/2016. Too wet to harvest for SBW salvage.
2	6113 - Lowland Maple	Poletimber Well	4.8	74	81-110	SWAMP HARDWOOD WITH SCATTERED OVERMATURE ASPEN ON VERY WET SOIL. TOO WET TO HARVEST. PRESENT BA IS ABOUT 110 SQ. FT.
3	6112 - Lowland Aspen	Sapling Medium	4.2	36	1-50	LESSER QUALITY ASPEN REGEN, MOSTLY SAPS, ON WET SOIL FROM 1981 HARVEST. SCATTERED RED MAPLE REGEN PRESENT ALSO. CURRENT BA IS ABOUT 20 SQ. FT. HARVEST THIS STAND WITH STAND 4 IN 20 - 30 YEARS TO MAINTAIN ASPEN MO.
4	4134 - Aspen, Spruce/Fir	Sapling Well	16.4	36	1-50	FAIRLY DENSE ASPEN REGEN, IN TRANSITION FROM SAPS TO POLETIMBER, FROM 1981 FINAL HARVEST. HIGHER, DRYER GROUND THAN STAND 3, LOCATED TO NORTH. PRESENT BA IS ABOUT 50 SQ. FT. HARVEST WITH STAND 3 IN 20 - 30 YEARS TO MAINTAIN ASPEN MO.
6	4116 - Mixed N. Hardwood - Aspen	Poletimber Medium	2.0	90	51-80	SMALL, SPARSE STAND OF NORTHERN HARDWOOD/ASPEN WITH A FEW SCATTERED SPRUCE PRESENT LOCATED ADJACENT TO PRIVATE PROPERTY. HEAVY HARDWOOD REGEN IN UNDERSTORY. PRESENT BA IS ABOUT 70 SQ. FT. ACREAGE IS OBVIOUSLY TOO SMALL TO HARVEST THIS STAND ALONE. INCLUDE THIS STAND WHEN ADJACENT STAND 7 IS HARVESTED IN 20 YEARS.
7	4130 - Aspen	Poletimber Well	53.1	36	81-110	NICE, DENSE ASPEN POLETIMBER/SAPS FROM 1981 FINAL HARVEST. ADJACENT TO PRIVATE PROPERTY ON THREE SIDES. MANAGE FOR ASPEN. FINAL HARVEST IN 20 YEARS. PRESENT BA IS ABOUT 110 SQ. FT. BETTER GROWTH RATES THAN STANDS 3 AND 4 TO THE NORTH.
10	4130 - Aspen	Sapling Well	8.2	1	Immature	Stand was harvested in 2016, as part of Forget-Me-Not-Aspen, 521041101. Stand is regenerating well. This stand was created from the east half of the sale, west half has not been cut yet. A long-term retention island consisting of a mix of aspen, maple, and paper birch exists within Stand 10.
12	6124 - Lowland Spruce- Fir	Poletimber Well	64.8	90	111-140	VERY WET STAND OF SWAMP CONIFERS WITH AN OVERMATURE ASPEN COMPONENT THAT'S FALLING OUT OF THE STAND. TOO WET TO HARVEST. FAIRLY GOOD THERMAL COVER FOR WINTERING DEER.

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a n d	Level 4 Cover Type	Size Density	Acres	Stand Age	BA Range	General Comments:
13	4130 - Aspen	Sawtimber Well	5.5	74	81-110	NICE QUALITY STAND OF MIXED ASPEN WITH A LESSER COMPONENT OF NORTHERN HARDWOOD. VARIABLE ASPEN DIAMETERS PRESENT. STAND WAS PRESCRIBED AND PREPPED FOR HARVEST LAST YOE (FORGET ME NOT ASPEN, 52-104-11-01). THE EAST HALF OF SALE (STAND 10) WAS CUT IN 2016, BUT THE WEST HALF (STAND 13) WAS CANCELLED BY THE PRODUCER. THIS PORTION IS NOW PRESCRIBED FOR HARVEST AS PART OF THE RED PHELPS ASPEN SALE (52-106-17-01).
14	6120 - Lowland Cedar	Poletimber Well	8.1	89	171-200	HEALTHY CEDAR STAND WITH VERY LITTLE WINDTHROW PRESENT. SURROUNDED BY LESSER STOCKED Q-TYPE. PROVIDES FAIRLY GOOD THERMAL COVER FOR WINTERING DEER.
15	6124 - Lowland Spruce- Fir	Poletimber Medium	29.9	90	1-50	SPARSE Q-STAND, LOTS OF DEAD/DOWN PRESENT. VERY WET GROUND. AREAS OF DENSE L/E REGEN. TOO WET TO HARVEST.
17	6112 - Lowland Aspen	Poletimber Medium	10.0	58	51-80	MIX OF ASPEN, BALSAM FIR , AND SWAMP HARDWOOD ON VERY WET SOIL ADJACENT TO BRUTUS RD. AND PRIVATE PROPERTY TO THE EAST. TOO WET TO HARVEST. BA APPROXIMATELY 60 SQ. FT.
18	6112 - Lowland Aspen	Poletimber Well	14.5	58	51-80	MIX OF QUAKING ASPEN, RED MAPLE, AND BALSAM FIR ON WET, POORLY DRAINED SOIL. BA IS ABOUT 70 SQ. FT. ADJACENT TO MAPLE BAY STATE FOREST CAMPGROUND TO SOUTH AND MODERATELY USED COUNTY ROADS TO THE NORTH AND EAST. TOO WET TO HARVEST.
19	6113 - Lowland Maple	Poletimber Medium	131.4	90	1-50	SWAMP HARDWOOD, MOSTLY RED MAPLE, LOCATED ON VERY WET SOIL. SCATTERED, OVERMATURE QUAKING ASPEN PRESENT, BUT FALLING OUT OF THE STAND. SCATTERED BALSAM FIR, CEDAR, PAPER BIRCH, AND BLACK SPRUCE ALSO. MOST OF THE BLACK ASH POLETIMBER IS DEAD. PRESENT BA IS ABOUT 50 SQ. FT. TOO WET TO CUT.
20	6112 - Lowland Aspen	Sawtimber Well	4.4	72	1-50	SMALL STAND OF OVERMATURE Q. ASPEN WITH AN UNDERSTORY OF SWAMP HARDWOOD AND TAG ALDER ON WET, POORLY DRAINED SOIL. ADJACENT TO BRUTUS RD. BA IS ABOUT 50 SQ. FT. TOO WET TO HARVEST.
21	6128 - Lowland Coniferous, Mixed Deciduous	Poletimber Well	33.3	72	51-80	MIXED STAND OF MOSTLY BALSAM FIR, QUAKING ASPEN, RED MAPLE, AND WHITE PINE, WITH LESSER AMOUNTS OF SCATTERED BLACK SPRUCE, CEDAR AND PAPER BIRCH. LOCATED ON POORLY DRAINED DRAINED SOIL. BA IS ABOUT 70 SQ. FT. TOO WET TO HARVEST. 1/15/2016. The stand is too wet to prescribe for SBW salvage.
22	6127 - Lowland Pine	Poletimber Well	22.7	72	81-110	STAND CONSISTS OF VARIOUS AGES AND DIAMETERS OF WHITE PINE ON POORLY DRAINED SOIL. LESSER AMOUNT OF QUAKING ASPEN BUT NOT DENSE ENOUGH TO MANAGE. TOO WET TO HARVEST.

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a n d	Level 4 Cover Type	Size Density	Acres	Stand Age	BA Range	General Comments:
24	6112 - Lowland Aspen	Sapling Well	41.5	24	Immature	FAIRLY DENSE ASPEN REGEN FROM 1993 FINAL HARVEST. AREAS OF POORLY DRAINED SOIL THROUGHOUT THE STAND, WITH A FEW AREAS OF HIGHER GROUND. SCATTERED BALSAM FIR, WHITE PINE, RED MAPLE, AND PAPER BIRCH PRESENT. POSSIBLE FINAL HARVEST IN 30 YEARS.
25	6128 - Lowland Coniferous, Mixed Deciduous	Poletimber Well	131.2	108	81-110	SWAMP CONIFERS, MOSTLY CEDAR, ON VERY WET SOIL, ADJACENT TO MAPLE RIVER. NOW CONSIDERED PART OF A LARGER WETLAND COMPLEX SCA. MANAGE FOR WETLAND VALUES. 1/15/2016. Not suitable for SBW salvage because of reasons listed above. TWO SPOIL AREAS RECEIVED PLANTING OF 200 WHITE SPRUCE SEEDLINGS IN 2014 SPOSORED BY FISH DIVISION AND LOCAL TU CHAPTER. POOR SURVIVAL IN NORTH UNIT. GOOD SURVIVAL IN SOUTH PLANTING UNIT. THESE AREAS ALSO RECIEVED A MIX OF SEED, WITH MARGINAL SUCCESS, TO TRY TO ESTABLISH GROUND VEGETATION ON THE BARE SAND. THESE TWO SPOILS AREAS WERE BLOCKED OFF TO VEHICLE TRAFFIC ABOUT TEN YEARS AGO. PREVIOUS CAMPING ACTIVITY RESULTED IN TRASH DUMPING AND INCREASED STREAMBANK EROSION. NO CAMPING IS ALLOWED ON THESE LOCATIONS BY POLICY. "NO CAMPING" SIGNS ARE ALSO POSTED. MAPLE BAY STATE FOREST CAMPGROUND IS LESS THAN ONE MILE AWAY.
26	6113 - Lowland Maple	Sapling Medium	14.3	24	Immature	LESSER STOCKED RED MAPLE/QA REGEN FROM 1993 FINAL HARVEST ON VERY WET SITE. POSSIBLE FINAL HARVEST, DURING WINTER MONTHS, IN ABOUT 30 YEARS WITH STAND 24 TO THE NORTH.
28	6112 - Lowland Aspen	Poletimber Well	11.9	45	1-50	LESSER STOCKED ASPEN POLETIMBER/SAPS ON VERY WET SOIL. HARVEST WITH STANDS 24 AND 26.
29	6113 - Lowland Maple	Sawtimber Well	9.3	90	51-80	MAPLE BAY STATE FOREST CAMPGROUND AND PUBLIC ACCESS SITE.
34	6120 - Lowland Cedar	Poletimber Well	14.4	89	141-170	SMALL, DENSE CEDAR STAND ADJACENT TO BURT LAKE. BA IS ABOUT 150 SQ. FT. STAND IS NOW CONSIDERED PART OF A LARGER WETLAND COMPLEX SCA. MANAGE FOR WETLAND VALUES.
37	6113 - Lowland Maple	Poletimber Medium	77.1	90	1-50	SWAMP HARDWOOD, MOSTLY RED MAPLE, LOCATED ON VERY WET SOIL. SCATTERED, OVERMATURE QUAKING ASPEN PRESENT, BUT FALLING OUT OF THE STAND. SCATTERED BALSAM FIR, CEDAR, PAPER BIRCH, AND BLACK SPRUCE ALSO. MOST OF THE BLACK ASH POLETIMBER IS DEAD. PRESENT BA IS ABOUT 50 SQ. FT. TOO WET TO CUT.

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Stand	Cover Type	Acres	Managed Site	General Comments:
5	320 - Upland Shrub	3.2	No	SPARSE UPLAND BRUSH AND ENCROACHING HARDWOOD/ASPEN SAPS.
8	320 - Upland Shrub	3.3	No	SPARSE UPLAND BRUSH WITH ENCROACHING HARDWOOD AND ASPEN SAPLINGS.
9	310 - Herbaceous Openland	4.1	No	GRASS OPENING ADJACENT TO COUNTY ROAD AND PRIVATE RESIDENCE.
11	6220 - Alder/willow	0.9	No	TAG ALDER IN STANDING WATER, JUST A FEW YARDS FROM INDIAN RD.
16	622 - Lowland Shrub	55.6	No	Very wet lowland brush stand, mostly tag alder, adjacent to Brutus Rd. Scattered poor quality quaking aspen and swamp hardwood also present.
23	6233 - Wet Meadow	1.2	No	SMALL SEASONAL POND.
27	6233 - Wet Meadow	1.2	No	SMALL, SEASONAL POND WITH SPARSE GROWTH OF TAG ALDER.
30	622 - Lowland Shrub	303.5	No	VERY WET LOWLAND BRUSH, MOSTLY TAG ALDER AND RED OSIER DOGWOOD, ALONG DRAINAGES FROM MAPLE RIVER. ADJACENT TO BURT LAKE. SCATTERED RED MAPLE, NORTHERN WHITE CEDAR, BALSAM FIR, WHITE PINE, AND PAPER BIRCH. PHRAGMITES ALSO PRESENT. APPROVED POTENTIAL OLD GROWTH FROM LAST Y.O.E. STAND IS PART OF A LARGER WETLAND COMPLEX ERA. MANAGE FOR WETLAND VALUES.
31	6233 - Wet Meadow	52.6	No	MARSH ADJACENT TO BURT LAKE AND CROOKED RIVER. PRESENCE OF INVASIVE PLANT SPECIES (PHRAGMITES) REPORTED BY WILDLIFE DIVISION, MAY REQUIRE SOME FORM OF TREATMENT. STAND CONSIDERED PART OF A LARGER WETLAND COMPLEX SCA. MANAGE FOR WETLAND VALUES.
32	500 - Water	3.1	No	CROOKED RIVER.
33	622 - Lowland Shrub	48.0	No	LOWLAND BRUSH ADJACENT TO BURT LAKE AND CROOKED RIVER. MOSTLY TAG ALDER. STAND IS NOW CONSIDERED AS PART OF A LARGER WETLAND COMPLEX SCA. MANAGE FOR WETLAND VALUES.
35	122 - Road/Parking Lot	5.6	No	BRUTUS RD.
36	122 - Road/Parking Lot	2.2	No	PAVED PARKING LOT FOR MAPLE BAY STATE FOREST CAMPGROUND AND PUBLIC ACCESS SITE.