



**DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
STATE OF MICHIGAN
TIMBER SALE PROSPECTUS #7922**

SCHEDULED SALE DATE AND TIME: 3:00 p.m. (local time) on October 21, 2026.

LOCATION: ESCANABA MGMT UNIT, 6833 US-2, 41 & M-35, GLADSTONE, MI 49837.

PROSPECTUS NOTE: The bidder is advised to inspect the sale area and review the location, estimated volumes, operating costs and contract terms of proposed sales. Please be aware that some landowners may request 60 days or more notice for access across their land.

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received by the Unit Manager, CRYSTAL FALLS MANAGEMENT UNIT, for certain timber on the following described lands:

Snowshoe Sinker (12-005-26) / T43N, R27W, SEC. 3 , SWNW,NWSW.
T43N, R27W, SEC. 4 , SENW,S1/2NE,NESW,N1/2SE.
T44N, R27W, SEC. 16, NWNW,S1/2NW,S1/2NE,NESW,N1/2SE.
T44N, R27W, SEC. 8 , SW.

Dickinson County, Advertised Price \$17,890.90, 168.3 Acres, Spruce/Fir/Tamarack, Aspen.

SALE NOTE: Payment Units 3, 4 and 5 are optional and will be scaled. No hauling Friday, Saturday or Sunday during snowmobile season.

A recreation site such as a trail, pathway, or campground is within the sale area or the vicinity. Certain restrictions/specifications may be applicable including time restrictions.

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T41N, R29W, SEC. 30, E1/2NE,NESE.
T41N, R29W, SEC. 32, N1/2NW.

Dickinson County, Advertised Price \$58,019.10, 126.6 Acres, Aspen, Hardwood.

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Discarded Forties (33-026-26) / T36N, R25W, SEC. 27, SENW,W1/2NE,E1/2SW,N1/2SE,SWSE.
T36N, R25W, SEC. 34, NENW,NE,N1/2SE.

Menominee County, Advertised Price \$67,061.95, 127.6 Acres, Red Pine, Hardwood.

SALE NOTE: Payment Units 2 and 3, are restricted between April 15th and July 15th because of bark slippage concerns. Payment Units 1, 7, 8, and 9 are restricted to December 1st to March 31st, unless there is an extended dry spell. Two new culverts will need to be purchased and installed by the Purchaser . Also, gravel must be hauled and spread.

BID INSTRUCTIONS (VER. 10/10/2022):

1. Scheduled Bid Location, Date, and Time (2/11)

Bids must be received by the Unit Manager, ESCANABA OFFICE, 6833 US-2, 41 & M-35, Gladstone, MI 49837, no later than 3:00 p.m. (local time) on October 21, 2026. For further information concerning this sale, contact Dan Racine at 906-789-8231.

2. Bidder's Qualifications (10/22)

If all or part of a timber sale was prepared by a private contractor, the contractor and that contractor's company are not permitted to bid on the timber sale. A person must be 18 years of age or older to purchase timber. Permanent employees of the Department of Natural Resources or members of their immediate household may not bid. Former employees, in the permanent or seasonal class, may not bid until 3 months after the last day of active duty. Bids will not be accepted from individuals or companies appearing on the DNR/FRD No-Bid List. This list contains the names of purchasers who previously failed to execute a contract within 21-days or who have a history of poor performance.

3. Preparation of Sealed Bids (5/16)

Bid Forms may be completed online thru Michigan DNR Timber Sale Online Bidding (OLB) at www.michigan.gov/timberbidding or by completing the hardcopy Bid Form found in the Timber Sale Prospectus. Hardcopy Bid Forms shall be manually signed in ink. Registration in OLB is considered your 'signature' for all bids submitted thru that system. Bid prices must be entered for each species and product in the Bid Price column for all material subject to bidding and all fill-in blanks must be completed. If erasures or other changes appear on the hardcopy Bid Form, each erasure or change must be initialed by the person signing the bid.

4. Submission of Sealed Bids (5/16)

Bid forms may be obtained from the Unit Manager or thru OLB. Bids may be submitted hardcopy or thru OLB. All hardcopy bids must be submitted on the bid form and in an envelope clearly identified as described in this section. NOTE: Only one bid form per bid envelope. Sealed bids must be submitted to the Unit office designated in the prospectus and must be submitted at or prior to the time established in the prospectus. The envelope should show on the outside (a) the sale name or number and (b) the date and time of bid opening, as shown in the prospectus. Bids received after the time specified in the sale prospectus are late bids and will be rejected.

It is possible for a bidder to submit multiple bids on a single sale. For example, a bid may be submitted hardcopy and a bid may be submitted thru OLB. Or, two bidders from the same company could both submit bids on the same sale. If this were to happen, the State would accept all bids received and award the contract accordingly. All bidding and contractual requirements would apply to all bids received.

5. Public Opening of Sealed Bids (7/16)

If conditions permit, the sealed bids will be publicly opened and posted at the time and place set in the prospectus.

If a bidder, present at a bid opening, has submitted bids on more than one sale, that bidder may withdraw their unopened bid envelopes or announce the withdrawal of their online bid after being declared the successful bidder on one sale.

6. Award of Contract (1/11)

Award of the contract will be made to the Bidder whose bid, conforming to the prospectus, is most advantageous to the State of Michigan on the basis of total value at rates bid for the estimated quantities. The State reserves the right to reject any bid or waive any minor irregularity in bids received. A written award mailed (or otherwise furnished) to the successful Bidder shall be deemed to result in a binding contract without further action by either party.

7. Down Payment (1/11)

The Bidder to whom award is made must make a down payment within 21 days of the sale award. The amount of the down payment will be calculated as shown in the Bond and Payment Schedule of this prospectus. Only cash may be used to meet this requirement.

8. Performance Security (1/11)

As guarantee of faithful performance, a cash bond, certificate of deposit, surety bond or irrevocable letter of credit (LOC) is required within 21 days of the sale award. The amount of the performance security is shown in the Bond and

Payment Schedule of this prospectus. If an LOC or surety is used, the coverage must extend for at least 6 months beyond the contract expiration.

9. Worker's Compensation (10/22)

Purchaser shall obtain worker's compensation insurance to cover claims under Michigan's Worker's Disability Compensation Act of 1969 or similar employee benefit act of any other state applicable to an employee. Verification of Worker's Disability Compensation Act Compliance must be completed and submitted within 21 days of contract award and prior to the issuance of the timber sale contract. In addition, if applicable, Notice of Exclusion or Certificate of Insurance must also be submitted.

10. Timber Sale Contract (10/22)

Additional conditions and requirements common to all timber sales are listed on the timber sale contract (R4031) and are available on line at www.michigan.gov/timber. Contact the Unit Manager for additional information or a sample contract. Within 21 days of the date of the award letter, the bidder must sign the contract and provide the required down payment, performance security, and verification of worker's disability compensation. The down payment and performance security shall be in accordance with the provisions of the timber sale contract, in the sums stated in this prospectus. If these actions are not taken, then the Bidder, the Bidder's corporation, and the corporation's principals may not be permitted to bid on State timber sales for a period of 3 months after the first offense, 6 months after the second offense, and 1 year after the third offense. An offense will only be counted against the Bidder for 5 years. In addition, the Bidder certifies that if awarded this contract, the Bidder will complete the timber sale contract in accordance with its terms and any modifications thereof including requirements to purchase, cut, and remove the included timber by the expiration date.

Payment Unit values in the State Forest Timber Sale Contract are calculated based on the advertised value of the Payment Unit as a percentage of the total advertised value of the contract. The advertised value of each Payment Unit is given in the Description of Timber by Payment Unit table on the Timber Sale Information page. For example, if the value of Payment Unit 1 is advertised as \$1,500 and the total Timber Sale value is advertised as \$10,000, the contract price for Payment Unit 1 will be 15% of the total bid price ($\$1,500/\$10,000 * 100$).

11. Disclaimer of Estimates and Bidder's Warranty of Inspection (10/22)

Before submitting this bid, the Bidder is advised and cautioned to inspect the sale area, review the requirements of the sale contract, and take other steps as may be reasonably necessary to ascertain the location, estimated volumes, construction estimates, and operating costs of the proposed sale. Failure to do so will not relieve the Bidder from responsibility for completing the contract.

The Bidder warrants that this bid is submitted solely on the basis of the Bidder's examination and inspection of the quality and quantity of the timber offered for sale and the Bidder's opinion of the value thereof and the costs of recovery. No reliance should be placed on the State of Michigan's estimates of timber quality, quantity or costs of recovery. Bidder further acknowledges that the State of Michigan: (i) expressly disclaims any warranty of fitness of timber for any purpose; (ii) offers this timber as is without any warranty of quality (merchantability) or quantity and (iii) expressly disclaims any warranty as to the quantity or quality of timber sold.

12. Certification and Chain-of-Custody (10/22)

Unless otherwise indicated in the contract under section 7 – Other Conditions of the Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements, the area encompassed by this timber sale is certified to the standards of the Forest Stewardship Council (FSC) - Certificate #SCS-FM/COC-00090N and the Sustainable Forestry Initiative (SFI) - Certificate #NSF-SFIS-5Y031-SF5. Forest products from this sale may be delivered to the mill as "FSC 100% and / or SFI certified" as long as the contractor hauling the forest products is chain-of-custody (COC) certified or covered under a COC certificate from the destination mill. The purchaser is responsible for maintaining COC after leaving the sale area.

13. Good Neighbor Authority (GNA) Requirements (10/22)

If the name of this timber sales contains the acronym GNA, it is authorized by the Good Neighbor Authority (GNA) and covered by various agreements between the U.S. Forest Service and the State. The timber sale occurs on federal land and the following conditions apply:

GNA contracts on US Forest Service land will not be awarded to purchasers on the Federal list of excluded parties. The System for Award Management (SAM) will be checked for active excluded parties prior to award of contract. In

addition, the Bidder to whom award is made must complete an Assurance Regarding Felony Conviction or Tax Delinquent Status for Corporate Applicants (AD-3031).

14. Good Neighbor Authority (GNA) Requirements, con't (10/22)

Bidder certifies, by signing this bid form, that to the best of Bidder's knowledge that the following representations are accurate and complete.

- a. That the Bidder and its principals are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntary excluded from timber sales (covered transactions) by any Federal department or agency.
- b. That the Bidder and its principals have not within a 3-year period preceding this bid been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining , attempting to obtain, or performing a public (Federal, State, or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction; violation of Federal or State antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property.
- c. That the Bidder and its principals are not presently indicted for or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a governmental entity (Federal, State, or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in paragraph b of this certification.
- d. That the Bidder and its principals have not within a 3-year period preceding this bid had one or more public transactions (Federal, State, or local) terminated for breach or default of a timber or forest product contract.

Bidders that cannot certify this requirement, in whole or in part, shall submit an explanation with their bid.

Scott Bowen
Director

TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

Snowshoe Sinker (12-005-26)

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Dickinson County (Advertised Price \$17,890.90)

SALE NOTE: Payment Units 3, 4 and 5 are optional and will be scaled. No hauling Friday, Saturday or Sunday during snowmobile season.

A recreation site such as a trail, pathway, or campground is within the sale area or the vicinity. Certain restrictions/specifications may be applicable including time restrictions.

A timber sale contract for this mixed, sealed bid timber sale will be awarded to the responsible bidder offering the highest sealed bid price. All units of volume listed below were estimated using the Inventory Manager computer program and the new Michigan taper model. Bids must be at or above the following advertised price for each product and species:

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Pulpwood		
Balsam Fir	21 Cords	\$ 7.00 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	171 Cords	\$ 11.00 / Cord
Mixed Spruce	320 Cords	\$ 5.95 / Cord
Quaking Aspen	506 Cords	\$ 21.35 / Cord
Tamarack	509 Cords	\$ 6.20 / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 31.95 percent. There are an estimated 1,527 cords on this timber sale, plus or minus 488 cords at the 95% confidence level. The estimated units are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

BOND AND PAYMENT SCHEDULE:

- A bond in the amount of \$895.00 to insure faithful performance of the conditions of the contract will be deposited by the successful bidder within 21 days of the sale award.
- Cutting in any sale or unit without the required advance payment would be considered a trespass.
- Total payment must be paid in advance or according to the following schedule :
 - Ten percent (10%) of the sale value must be paid within 21 days of the sale award.
 - The 10% down payment will be credited towards the first unit cut.
 - Payment for each of the following units must be made before cutting begins in that unit:

<u>PAYMENT UNIT NUMBER</u>	<u>PERCENT OF TOTAL SALE VALUE</u>
01	39.1%
02	17.7%
03	19.6%
04	14.6%
05	9.0%

- If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 06/30/2030.

SALE STATISTICS

Volumes were calculated in cubic feet using the Michigan taper model. Cubic foot volume includes all wood inside bark for the product indicated. For display purposes, cubic feet were converted to cords and MBF using a simple conversion factor, e.g. 79 cubic feet per cord and 185 cubic feet per MBF. The cubic foot volumes are precise; the cords and MBF volumes are not. Cubic foot volume cannot be directly converted to cords or boards with precision.

SALE VOLUMES

The total estimated sale volume may not equal the sum of the species/products due to the nature of statistical calculations associated with double sampling methodology.

<u>VOLUME</u>			<u>STATISTICAL RANGE IN CORDS</u>	
<u>TOTAL CUBIC FEET</u>	<u>TOTAL CORDS</u>	<u>PERCENT ERROR</u>	<u>MINIMUM</u>	<u>MAXIMUM</u>
120,609	1,527	31.95%	1,039	2,015

VDU VOLUMES

A VDU is a Volume Determination Unit. Volumes and their associated statistics are calculated at the VDU level and summarized to the sale level. There is often a one to one relationship between a VDU and a Payment Unit, but not always, depending on the cruise design. Refer to the VDU TO PAYMENT UNIT table.

VDU	VOLUME		PERCENT ERROR	RANGE IN CORDS	
	TOTAL CUBIC FEET	TOTAL CORDS		MINIMUM	MAXIMUM
1	25,910	328	46.15%	177	479
18	13,922	176	48.52%	91	262
27	33,620	426	0.00%	426	426
28	8,882	112	0.00%	112	112
40	38,275	484	65.10%	169	800
TOTAL:	120,609	1,527		974	2,079

VDU TO PAYMENT UNIT

When a VDU is associated with more than one Payment Unit (PU), the VDU volumes are assigned to the PU based on acres of the VDU within the PU.

VDU	VDU ACRES	PU	PU ACRES
1	22.5	1	22.5
18	14.9	2	14.9
27	31.7	4	31.7
28	47.2	5	47.2
40	52.0	3	52.0
TOTAL:	168.3		168.3

DESCRIPTION OF TIMBER BY PAYMENT UNIT (PU)

PU	MARKET GROUP	PRODUCT	QUANTITY	UNIT	ACRES	ADVERTISE PRICE
1	Quaking Aspen	Pulpwood	328	Cords	22.5	\$7,002.80
2	Mixed Hardwood	Pulpwood	55	Cords	14.9	\$3,167.00
	<i>Paper Birch</i>	<i>Sawtimber</i>	2.6	<i>MBF</i>		
	<i>Balsam Poplar</i>	<i>Pulpwood</i>	19	<i>Cords</i>		
	<i>Paper Birch</i>		31	<i>Cords</i>		
	Quaking Aspen		120	Cords		
3	Balsam Fir	Pulpwood	21	Cords	52.0	\$3,512.45
	Mixed Hardwood		42	Cords		
	<i>Paper Birch</i>		21	<i>Cords</i>		
	<i>Red Maple</i>		21	<i>Cords</i>		
	Mixed Spruce		174	Cords		
	<i>Black Spruce</i>		153	<i>Cords</i>		
	<i>White Spruce</i>		21	<i>Cords</i>		
	Quaking Aspen		21	Cords		
	Tamarack		229	Cords		
4	Mixed Spruce	Pulpwood	146	Cords	31.7	\$2,604.70
	<i>Black Spruce</i>		146	<i>Cords</i>		
	Tamarack		280	Cords		
5	Mixed Hardwood	Pulpwood	74	Cords	47.2	\$1,603.95
	<i>Paper Birch</i>		37	<i>Cords</i>		
	<i>Red Maple</i>		37	<i>Cords</i>		
	Quaking Aspen		37	Cords		
TOTAL:			1,527	Cords		

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Snowshoe Sinker

Sale Number: 12-005-26 Seq#: 1

1 - Sale Area

1.2 - Boundaries

1.2.1 - Painted Boundaries (9/19)

The sale boundary and Payment Unit boundaries are marked and identified by red paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. Retention patches are marked with red paint; no harvesting activities may occur within these areas. The painted boundary line trees are not Included Timber and are to be protected.

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

2.1.1 - Clearcut Unit(s) with Unmerchantable Trees (6/14)

Within Payment Unit(s) 3-5, cut all trees that are two (2) inches or more at DBH, except Cedar and Pine.

2.1.4 - Designated Timber Unit(s) (6/17)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 & 2, only Aspen and Birch are designated for cutting which meet minimum piece specifications in 2.2 Utilization.

2.1.11 - Description of Timber Note (2/04)

Note that Payment Unit #'s 3, 4 and 5 are optional due to wet soils. If the Purchaser decides not to harvest these units, they will be removed via contract amendment.

3 - Payments

3.2 - Scaled Sales

3.2.1 - Scale Location (2/04)

Forest products will be placed for measurement roadside, unless other arrangements are agreed upon. This is for the scaled Payment Unit #'s 3, 4 and 5.

4 - Transportation

4.1 - Construction

4.1.6 - Road Construction (4/24)

Construction of new roads or improvements of existing roads shall be done in such a way as to minimize the environmental and visual impacts. Merchantable trees shall be cut and utilized unless otherwise directed. Non-merchantable trees shall be severed and laid flat on the ground. Slash shall be scattered, not left in windrows, and kept a minimum of 10 feet back from the road edge. Stumps shall be set upright, not left on edge, and be moved at least 10 feet away from the road edge.

Disturbed soil shall be feathered into the woods and not left in berms or windrows.

4.2 - Maintenance

4.2.1 - Hauling Restriction (12/08)

Hauling will not be allowed Friday, Saturday and Sunday during the snowmobile season; December 1 through March 31. The restriction will decrease potential snowmobile/logger conflicts.

5 - Operations

5.2 - Conduct of Operations

5.2.1 - Slash

5.2.1.13 - Dispose of Slash as Directed (12/05)

Slash is to be disposed of as directed by the Sale Administrator.

5.2.22 - Operating Caution

5.2.22.1 - Operating Caution (6/11)

It is recommended, but not required, that within Payment Unit(s) 3, 4 and 5, cutting and skidding occur during dry summer or frozen winter conditions. The reason for the recommendation is because of lowland soils.

5.2.41 - Snowmobile Trail Protection (9/11)

The Little Brook/Cady Creek road is a snowmobile trail and is shown on the Timber Sale Map. Do not cut or damage posts with orange trail markers or traffic control signs. If the trail is used, it must be maintained and restored to a condition equal to or better than before the sale. The road maintenance/restoration must be done prior to December 1. If the trail road is to be used for hauling during the snowmobile season, then a snow-covered base must be left on the trail. No hauling on Friday, Saturday or Sunday during snowmobile season; December 1 - March 31. Maintain a 20-foot-wide slash, debris, and rut free zone daily using the snowmobile trail as the centerline. No decking of forest products will be permitted along the snowmobile trail during snowmobile season.

5.4 - Soil Protection

5.4.1 - Rutting Restriction, General (7/16)

Operations are to cease immediately if equipment and weather conditions result in rutting of roads and/or skid trails which are 12 inches or greater in depth and 50 feet in length. The Unit Manager or his/her representative may restrict hauling and/or skidding if ruts exceed the specified depth. With the Unit Manager or his/her representative's approval, the Purchaser may return to the area when the risk of rutting has decreased.

6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

6.2 - Signing

6.2.2 - Snowmobile Trail Posting (10/20)

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on Little Brook/Cady Creek road prior to beginning operations during the snowmobile season (approximately December 1 to March 31). The trail must be posted at appropriate distances from the Sale Area to warn of logging activity and truck traffic. Signs must be removed when harvest operations are suspended or completed. The Purchaser will provide these signs.

7 - Other Conditions

7.5 - Loss

7.5.1 - Deteriorating Timber (7/09)

The Sale Area has received damage from Eastern Dwarf Mistletoe and Eastern Larch Beetle. The Purchaser should harvest the wood as soon as possible. The Department of Natural Resources is held free of responsibility of any further damage or deterioration due to delay in harvesting.

8 - Performance and Settlement

8.3 - Uncompleted or Terminated Contracts

8.3.2 - Completion of Contract, Other (11/16)

Areas of this sale may be difficult to log. Per General Condition & Requirement 3.5 - Adjustment of Quantity, there will be no adjustment to contract volume, but unharvested timber may not be considered a violation of General Condition & Requirement 8.3 - Uncompleted or Terminated Contract. These areas are located in Payment Unit #'s 3, 4 and 5.



TIMBER SALE MAP

This information provided by authority of Part 525, 1994 PA 451, as amended.

Sale Number

12-005-26

Date

07/15/2026

Forest Management Unit

Crystal Falls Mgt Unit

County

Dickinson

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Scale

1:15,840

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Township
43N / 44N

Range
27W

Section(s) and SENW,S1/2NE,NESW,N1/2SE; Sec. 8 SW;
Subdivision(s) Sec. 16 NWNW,S1/2NW,S1/2NE,NESW,N1/2SE; Sec. 3 SWNW,NWSW; Sec. 4

Cover Type

A = Aspen	J = Jack Pine	O = Oak	U = Upland Brush
B = Paper Birch	K = Rock	P = Lowland Poplar	UM = Upland Mix Forest
C = Cedar	L = Lowland Brush	Q = Mixed Swamp Conifer	V = Bog or Marsh
D = Treed Bog	LM = Lowland Mix Forest	R = Red Pine	W = White Pine
E = Swamp Hardwoods	M = Maple, Beech, Birch	S = Black Spruce	X = Non Stocked
F = Spruce/Fir	MC = Mixed Conifer	T = Tamarack	Y = Sand
G = Grass	MD = Mixed Deciduous		Z = Water
H = Hemlock	N = Marsh		

Density

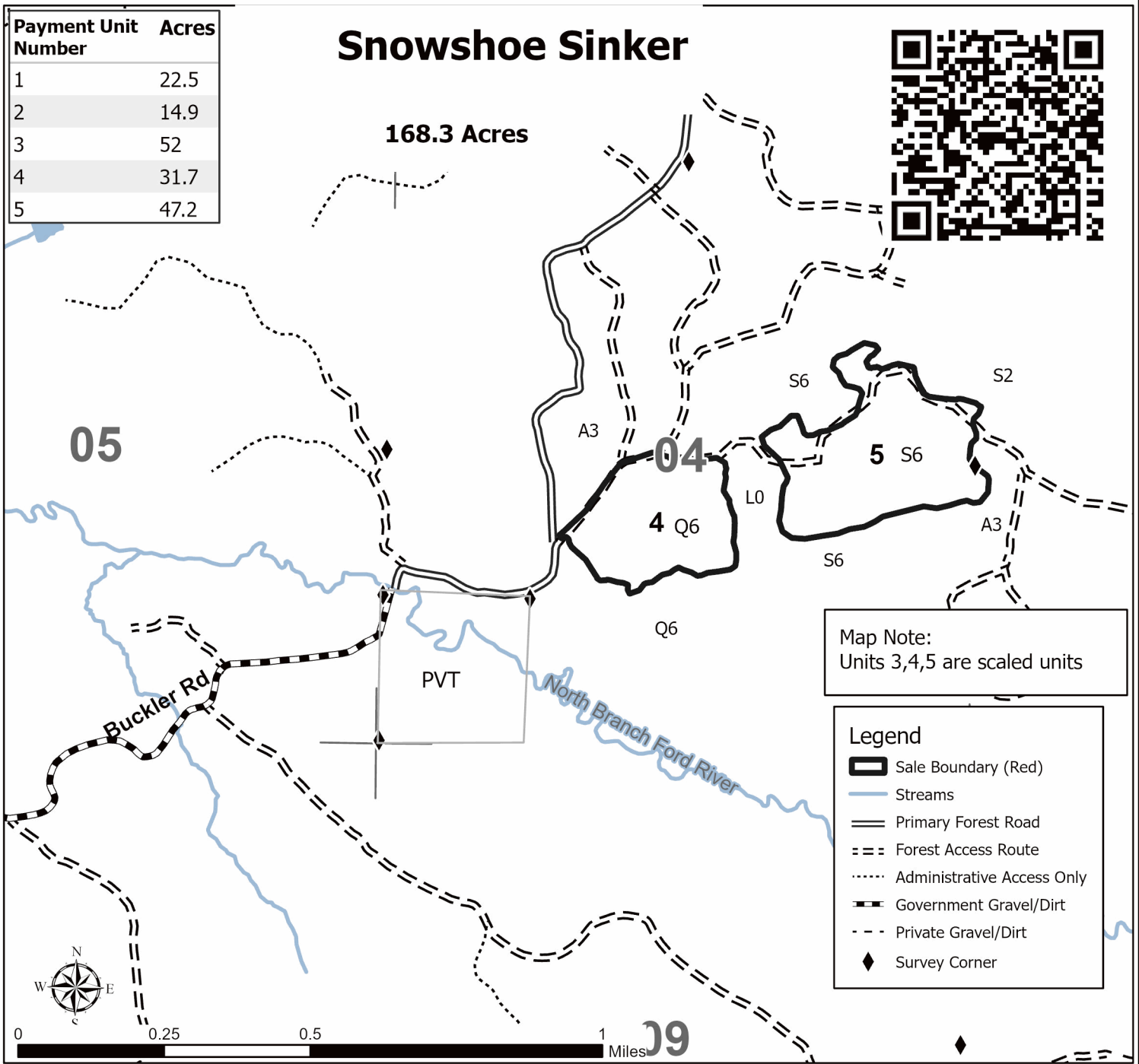
0 = Non Stocked	5 = Pole Timber Medium
1 = Seedling Sapling Poor	6 = Pole Timber Well
2 = Seedling Sapling Medium	7 = Saw Timber Poor
3 = Seedling Sapling Well	8 = Saw Timber Medium
4 = Pole Timber Poor	9 = Saw Timber Well

Payment Unit Acres

1	22.5
2	14.9
3	52
4	31.7
5	47.2

Snowshoe Sinker

168.3 Acres





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Township
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Range
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E = Swamp Hardwoods	M = Maple, Beech, Birch	S = Black Spruce	X = Non Stocked
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Snowshoe Sinker

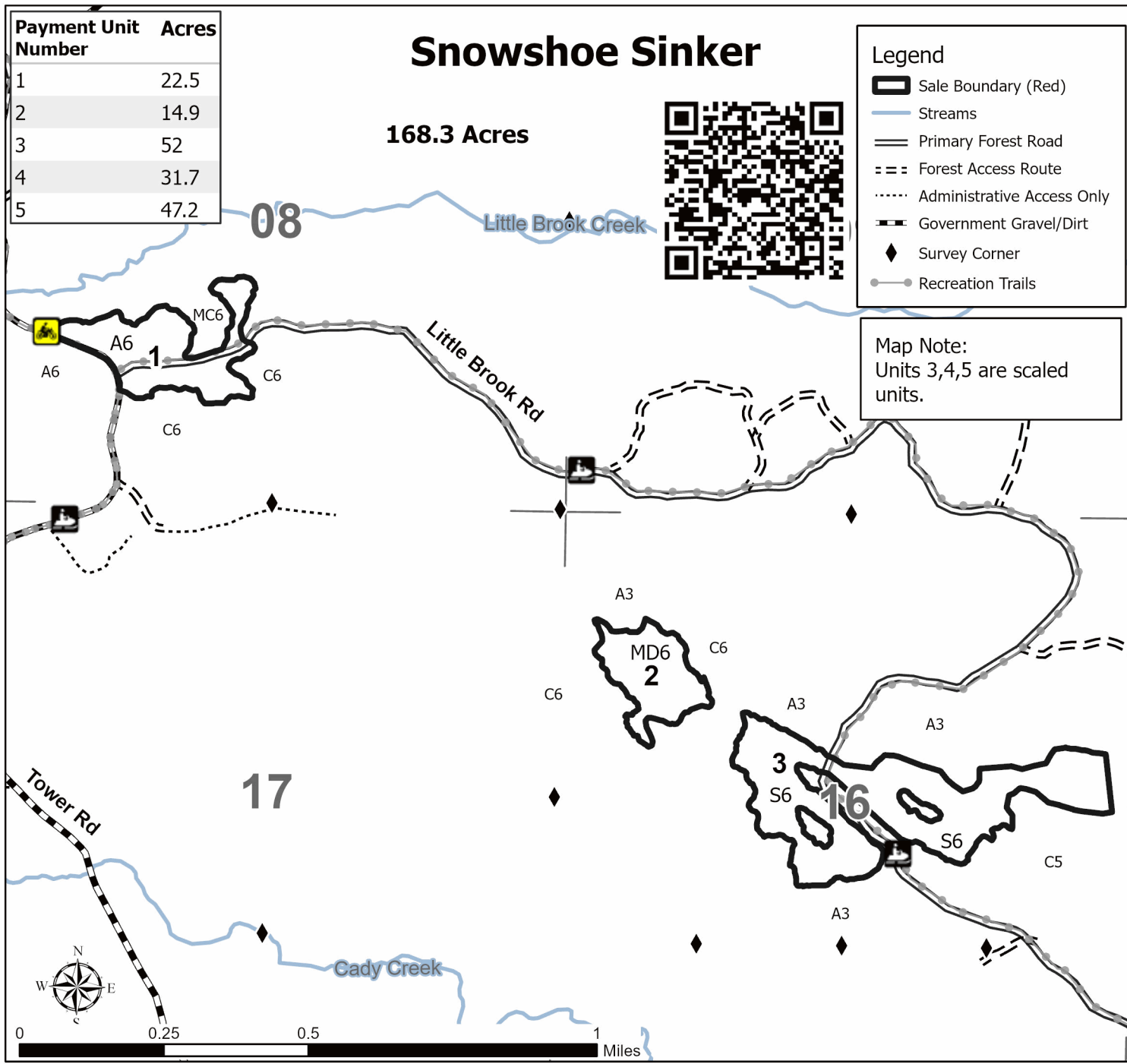
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Legend

- Sale Boundary (Red)
- Streams
- Primary Forest Road
- Forest Access Route
- Administrative Access Only
- Government Gravel/Dirt
- Survey Corner
- Recreation Trails

Map Note:
Units 3,4,5 are scaled
units.



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Surprised Susie (12-006-26)

T41N, R29W, SEC. 29; T41N, R29W, SEC. 30; T41N, R29W, SEC. 32.
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Pulpwood		
Balsam Fir	62 Cords	\$ 7.00 / Cord
Mixed Aspen	2,629 Cords	\$ 21.35 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	121 Cords	\$ 11.00 / Cord
Mixed Spruce	21 Cords	\$ 5.95 / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 14.98 percent. There are an estimated 2,831 cords on this timber sale, plus or minus 424 cords at the 95% confidence level. The estimated units are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

BOND AND PAYMENT SCHEDULE:

1. A bond in the amount of \$4,642.00 to insure faithful performance of the conditions of the contract will be deposited by the successful bidder within 21 days of the sale award.
2. Cutting in any sale or unit without the required advance payment would be considered a trespass.
3. Total payment must be paid in advance or according to the following schedule:
 - (a) Ten percent (10%) of the sale value must be paid within 21 days of the sale award.
 - (b) The 10% down payment will be credited towards the first unit cut.
 - (c) Payment for each of the following units must be made before cutting begins in that unit:

<u>PAYMENT UNIT NUMBER</u>	<u>PERCENT OF TOTAL SALE VALUE</u>
01	18.3%
02	25.1%
03	20.0%
04	36.6%

4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 06/30/2029.

SALE STATISTICS

Volumes were calculated in cubic feet using the Michigan taper model. Cubic foot volume includes all wood inside bark for the product indicated. For display purposes, cubic feet were converted to cords and MBF using a simple conversion factor, e.g. 79 cubic feet per cord and 185 cubic feet per MBF. The cubic foot volumes are precise; the cords and MBF volumes are not. Cubic foot volume cannot be directly converted to cords or boards with precision.

SALE VOLUMES

The total estimated sale volume may not equal the sum of the species/products due to the nature of statistical calculations associated with double sampling methodology.

<u>VOLUME</u>		<u>STATISTICAL RANGE IN CORDS</u>		
<u>TOTAL CUBIC FEET</u>	<u>TOTAL CORDS</u>	<u>PERCENT ERROR</u>	<u>MINIMUM</u>	<u>MAXIMUM</u>
223,684	2,831	14.98%	2,407	3,256

VDU VOLUMES

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	VOLUME			RANGE IN CORDS	
VDU	TOTAL CUBIC FEET	TOTAL CORDS	PERCENT ERROR	MINIMUM	MAXIMUM
21	142,111	1,799	19.60%	1,446	2,151
100	81,573	1,033	23.73%	788	1,278
TOTAL:	223,684	2,831		2,234	3,429

VDU TO PAYMENT UNIT

When a VDU is associated with more than one Payment Unit (PU), the VDU volumes are assigned to the PU based on acres of the VDU within the PU.

VDU	VDU ACRES	PU	PU ACRES
21	86.6	1	25.0
		2	34.2
		3	27.4
100	40.0	4	40.0
TOTAL:	126.6		126.6

DESCRIPTION OF TIMBER BY PAYMENT UNIT (PU)

PU	MARKET GROUP	PRODUCT	QUANTITY	UNIT	ACRES	ADVERTISE PRICE
1	Balsam Fir	Pulpwood	10	Cords	25.0	\$10,596.10
	Mixed Aspen		478	Cords		
	B. T. Aspen		21	Cords		
	Quaking Aspen		457	Cords		
	Mixed Hardwood		27	Cords		
	Balsam Poplar		12	Cords		
	Red Maple		15	Cords		
	Mixed Spruce		4	Cords		
	Black Spruce		2	Cords		
	White Spruce		2	Cords		
2	Balsam Fir	Pulpwood	13	Cords	34.2	\$14,544.35
	Mixed Aspen		656	Cords		
	B. T. Aspen		30	Cords		
	Quaking Aspen		626	Cords		
	Mixed Hardwood		38	Cords		
	Balsam Poplar		17	Cords		
	Red Maple		21	Cords		
	Mixed Spruce		5	Cords		
	Black Spruce		2	Cords		
	White Spruce		3	Cords		
3	Balsam Fir	Pulpwood	10	Cords	27.4	\$11,617.15
	Mixed Aspen		524	Cords		
	B. T. Aspen		23	Cords		
	Quaking Aspen		501	Cords		
	Mixed Hardwood		30	Cords		
	Balsam Poplar		13	Cords		
	Red Maple		17	Cords		
	Mixed Spruce		5	Cords		
	Black Spruce		2	Cords		
	White Spruce		3	Cords		
4	Balsam Fir	Pulpwood	29	Cords	40.0	\$21,261.50
	Mixed Aspen		971	Cords		
	Quaking Aspen		971	Cords		
	Mixed Hardwood		26	Cords		
	Red Maple		26	Cords		
	Mixed Spruce		7	Cords		
	White Spruce		7	Cords		
TOTAL:			2,833	Cords		

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Surprised Susie

Sale Number: 12-006-26 Seq#: 1

1 - Sale Area

1.2 - Boundaries

1.2.1 - Painted Boundaries (9/19)

The sale boundary and Payment Unit boundaries are marked and identified by blue, red and yellow paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against private property are marked with blue paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. Interior Payment Unit boundaries are marked with yellow paint. The painted boundary line trees are not Included Timber and are to be protected. Yellow painted trees designating an interior Payment Unit boundary are only to be cut when all surrounding Payment Units have been paid.

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

2.1.1 - Clearcut Unit(s) with Unmerchantable Trees (6/14)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1-4, cut all trees that are three (3) inches or more at DBH, EXCEPT: CEDAR, PINE, CHERRY, BIRCH, OAK, HEMLOCK.

In addition, within Unit 4, green marked trees will be retained as well as 3-5 patches of submerchantable spruce and fir (5-10 trees), where available.

4 - Transportation

4.1 - Construction

4.1.6 - Road Construction (4/24)

Construction of new roads or improvements of existing roads shall be done in such a way as to minimize the environmental and visual impacts. Merchantable trees shall be cut and utilized unless otherwise directed. Non-merchantable trees shall be severed and laid flat on the ground. Slash shall be scattered, not left in windrows, and kept a minimum of 10 feet back from the road edge. Stumps shall be set upright, not left on edge, and be moved at least 10 feet away from the road edge. Disturbed soil shall be feathered into the woods and not left in berms or windrows.

4.1.7 - Road Closure (10/11)

All new roads built into the sale must be blocked to vehicle traffic upon completion of the sale. Overgrown roads that are reopened shall be considered new roads. In general, this will require constructing a four (4') foot high berm of stumps and logs covered with earth. Contact the Sale Administrator for specific details of design and placement.

4.2 - Maintenance

4.2.1 - Hauling Restriction (12/08)

Hauling may be restricted on forest roads by the Unit Manager or his/her representative. The restriction may occur during spring breakup or any prolonged wet weather conditions that result in unacceptable rutting.

4.2.4 - Grading (10/16)

For completion of the sale, state forest roads must be graded. In general, this will require a road grader or bulldozer to shape up the roads after forest products have been hauled off site. This includes cleaning of drainage areas, grading, crowning and filling with gravel, if necessary. The grading equipment to be used must be approved by the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

5 - Operations

5.2 - Conduct of Operations

5.2.32 - Decking/Landing Restoration (9/13)

All decking and landing areas must have the surface area restored to a condition equal to or better than before. This is to ensure the proper regeneration of the stand. Wood debris, chips and "cookies" from trimmings must be removed or scattered

away from landing and loading areas and may not be windrowed on the edge.

5.2.41 - Snowmobile Trail Protection (9/11)

Part of Carney Lake and Yoyo roads are also a snowmobile trail and shown on the Timber Sale Map. Do not cut or damage posts with orange trail markers or traffic control signs. If the trail is used, it must be maintained and restored to a condition equal to or better than before the sale. The road maintenance/restoration must be done prior to December 1. If the trail is used for hauling, it must be graded to the satisfaction of the Unit Manager or his/her representative prior to December 1. If the trail road is to be used for hauling during the snowmobile season, then a snow-covered base must be left on the trail. The snowmobile trail may only be crossed at right angles. Maintain a 20-foot-wide slash, debris, and rut free zone daily using the snowmobile trail as the centerline.

5.4 - Soil Protection

5.4.1 - Rutting Restriction, General (7/16)

Operations are to cease immediately if equipment and weather conditions result in rutting of roads and/or skid trails which are 12 inches or greater in depth and 50 feet in length. The Unit Manager or his/her representative may restrict hauling and/or skidding if ruts exceed the specified depth. With the Unit Manager or his/her representative's approval, the Purchaser may return to the area when the risk of rutting has decreased.

6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

6.2 - Signing

6.2.1 - Road Posting (10/20)

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on Carney Lake and Yoyo roads from both directions prior to beginning operations. The road must be posted at appropriate distances from the Sale Area to warn of logging activity and truck traffic. Signs must be removed when harvest operations are suspended or completed. The Purchaser will provide these signs.

6.2.2 - Snowmobile Trail Posting (10/20)

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on Carney Lake and Yoyo roads prior to beginning operations during the snowmobile season (approximately December 1 to March 31). The trail must be posted at appropriate distances from the Sale Area to warn of logging activity and truck traffic. Signs must be removed when harvest operations are suspended or completed. The Purchaser will provide these signs.

**TIMBER SALE MAP**

This information provided by authority of Part 525, 1994 PA 451, as amended.

Sale Number

12-006-26

Date

07/15/2026

Forest Management Unit

Crystal Falls Mgt Unit

County

Dickinson

Mapped By: Rich Goupell

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Subdivision(s) Sec. 29 SWNW,W1/2SW; Sec. 30 E1/2NE,NESE; Sec. 32 N1/2NW;

Cover Type

A = Aspen	J = Jack Pine	O = Oak	U = Upland Brush
B = Paper Birch	K = Rock	P = Lowland Poplar	UM = Upland Mix Forest
C = Cedar	L = Lowland Brush	Q = Mixed Swamp Conifer	V = Bog or Marsh
D = Treed Bog	LM = Lowland Mix Forest	R = Red Pine	W = White Pine
E = Swamp Hardwoods	M = Maple, Beech, Birch	S = Black Spruce	X = Non Stocked
F = Spruce/Fir	MC = Mixed Conifer	T = Tamarack	Y = Sand
G = Grass	MD = Mixed Deciduous		Z = Water
H = Hemlock	N = Marsh		

Density

0 = Non Stocked	5 = Pole Timber Medium
1 = Seedling Sapling Poor	6 = Pole Timber Well
2 = Seedling Sapling Medium	7 = Saw Timber Poor
3 = Seedling Sapling Well	8 = Saw Timber Medium
4 = Pole Timber Poor	9 = Saw Timber Well

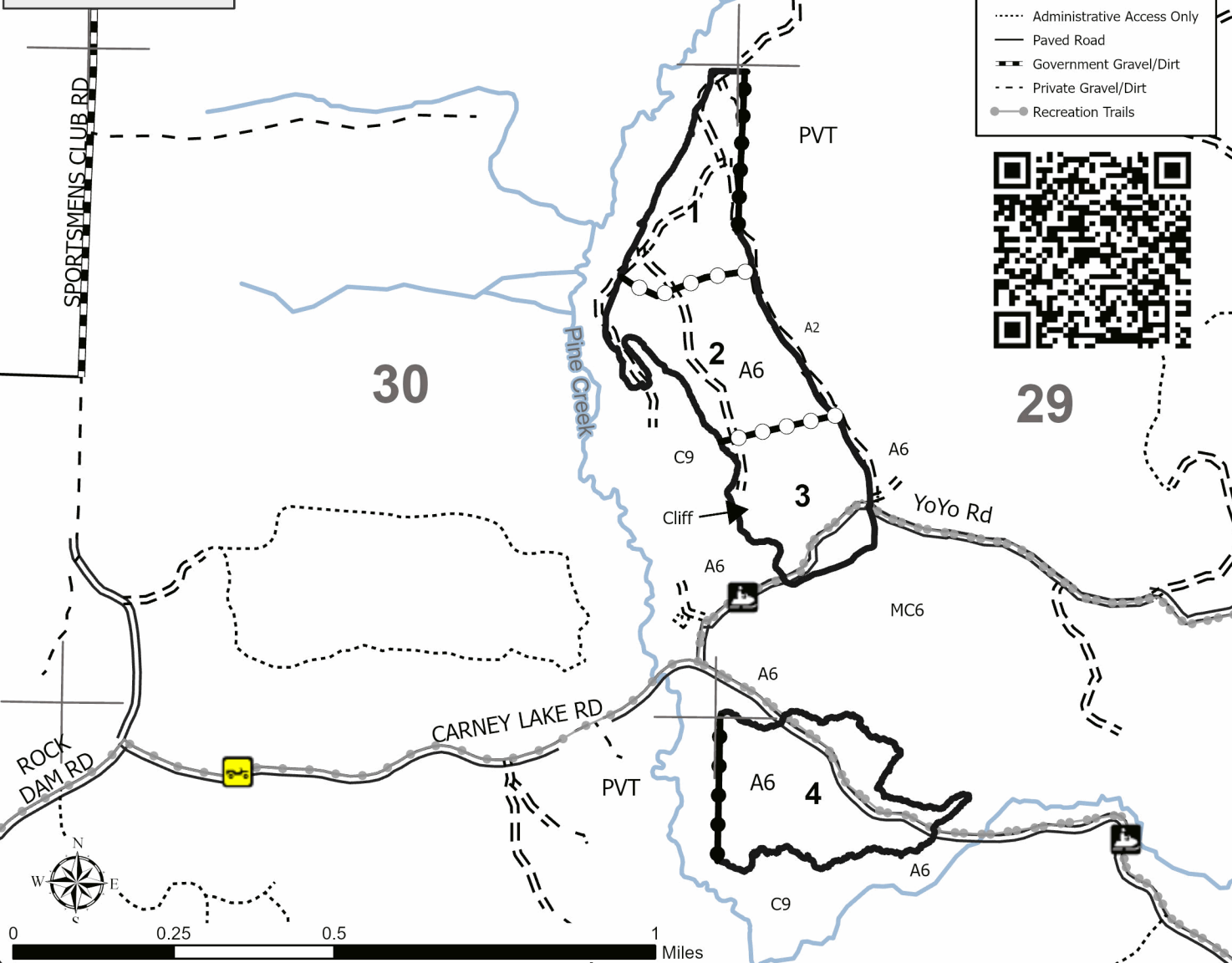
**Payment Unit
Number****Acres**

1	25
2	34.2
3	27.4
4	40

SPORTSMANS CLUB RD

Surprised Susie**126.6 Acres****Legend**

- Sale Boundary (Red)
- Private Line (Blue)
- Payment Unit (Yellow)
- Streams
- Primary Forest Road
- Forest Access Route
- Administrative Access Only
- Paved Road
- Government Gravel/Dirt
- Private Gravel/Dirt
- Recreation Trails

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BID INSTRUCTIONS (VER. 10/10/2022):

1. Scheduled Bid Location, Date, and Time (2/11)

Bids must be received by the Unit Manager, ESCANABA OFFICE, 6833 US-2, 41 & M-35, Gladstone, MI 49837, no later than 3:00 p.m. (local time) on October 21, 2026. For further information concerning this sale, contact Dan Racine at 906-789-8231.

2. Bidder's Qualifications (10/22)

If all or part of a timber sale was prepared by a private contractor, the contractor and that contractor's company are not permitted to bid on the timber sale. A person must be 18 years of age or older to purchase timber. Permanent employees of the Department of Natural Resources or members of their immediate household may not bid. Former employees, in the permanent or seasonal class, may not bid until 3 months after the last day of active duty. Bids will not be accepted from individuals or companies appearing on the DNR/FRD No-Bid List. This list contains the names of purchasers who previously failed to execute a contract within 21-days or who have a history of poor performance.

3. Preparation of Sealed Bids (5/16)

Bid Forms may be completed online thru Michigan DNR Timber Sale Online Bidding (OLB) at www.michigan.gov/timberbidding or by completing the hardcopy Bid Form found in the Timber Sale Prospectus. Hardcopy Bid Forms shall be manually signed in ink. Registration in OLB is considered your 'signature' for all bids submitted thru that system. Bid prices must be entered for each species and product in the Bid Price column for all material subject to bidding and all fill-in blanks must be completed. If erasures or other changes appear on the hardcopy Bid Form, each erasure or change must be initialed by the person signing the bid.

4. Submission of Sealed Bids (5/16)

Bid forms may be obtained from the Unit Manager or thru OLB. Bids may be submitted hardcopy or thru OLB. All hardcopy bids must be submitted on the bid form and in an envelope clearly identified as described in this section. NOTE: Only one bid form per bid envelope. Sealed bids must be submitted to the Unit office designated in the prospectus and must be submitted at or prior to the time established in the prospectus. The envelope should show on the outside (a) the sale name or number and (b) the date and time of bid opening, as shown in the prospectus. Bids received after the time specified in the sale prospectus are late bids and will be rejected.

It is possible for a bidder to submit multiple bids on a single sale. For example, a bid may be submitted hardcopy and a bid may be submitted thru OLB. Or, two bidders from the same company could both submit bids on the same sale. If this were to happen, the State would accept all bids received and award the contract accordingly. All bidding and contractual requirements would apply to all bids received.

5. Public Opening of Sealed Bids (7/16)

If conditions permit, the sealed bids will be publicly opened and posted at the time and place set in the prospectus.

If a bidder, present at a bid opening, has submitted bids on more than one sale, that bidder may withdraw their unopened bid envelopes or announce the withdrawal of their online bid after being declared the successful bidder on one sale.

6. Award of Contract (1/11)

Award of the contract will be made to the Bidder whose bid, conforming to the prospectus, is most advantageous to the State of Michigan on the basis of total value at rates bid for the estimated quantities. The State reserves the right to reject any bid or waive any minor irregularity in bids received. A written award mailed (or otherwise furnished) to the successful Bidder shall be deemed to result in a binding contract without further action by either party.

7. Down Payment (1/11)

The Bidder to whom award is made must make a down payment within 21 days of the sale award. The amount of the down payment will be calculated as shown in the Bond and Payment Schedule of this prospectus. Only cash may be used to meet this requirement.

8. Performance Security (1/11)

As guarantee of faithful performance, a cash bond, certificate of deposit, surety bond or irrevocable letter of credit (LOC) is required within 21 days of the sale award. The amount of the performance security is shown in the Bond and

Payment Schedule of this prospectus. If an LOC or surety is used, the coverage must extend for at least 6 months beyond the contract expiration.

9. Worker's Compensation (10/22)

Purchaser shall obtain worker's compensation insurance to cover claims under Michigan's Worker's Disability Compensation Act of 1969 or similar employee benefit act of any other state applicable to an employee. Verification of Worker's Disability Compensation Act Compliance must be completed and submitted within 21 days of contract award and prior to the issuance of the timber sale contract. In addition, if applicable, Notice of Exclusion or Certificate of Insurance must also be submitted.

10. Timber Sale Contract (10/22)

Additional conditions and requirements common to all timber sales are listed on the timber sale contract (R4031) and are available on line at www.michigan.gov/timber. Contact the Unit Manager for additional information or a sample contract. Within 21 days of the date of the award letter, the bidder must sign the contract and provide the required down payment, performance security, and verification of worker's disability compensation. The down payment and performance security shall be in accordance with the provisions of the timber sale contract, in the sums stated in this prospectus. If these actions are not taken, then the Bidder, the Bidder's corporation, and the corporation's principals may not be permitted to bid on State timber sales for a period of 3 months after the first offense, 6 months after the second offense, and 1 year after the third offense. An offense will only be counted against the Bidder for 5 years. In addition, the Bidder certifies that if awarded this contract, the Bidder will complete the timber sale contract in accordance with its terms and any modifications thereof including requirements to purchase, cut, and remove the included timber by the expiration date.

Payment Unit values in the State Forest Timber Sale Contract are calculated based on the advertised value of the Payment Unit as a percentage of the total advertised value of the contract. The advertised value of each Payment Unit is given in the Description of Timber by Payment Unit table on the Timber Sale Information page. For example, if the value of Payment Unit 1 is advertised as \$1,500 and the total Timber Sale value is advertised as \$10,000, the contract price for Payment Unit 1 will be 15% of the total bid price ($\$1,500/\$10,000 * 100$).

11. Disclaimer of Estimates and Bidder's Warranty of Inspection (10/22)

Before submitting this bid, the Bidder is advised and cautioned to inspect the sale area, review the requirements of the sale contract, and take other steps as may be reasonably necessary to ascertain the location, estimated volumes, construction estimates, and operating costs of the proposed sale. Failure to do so will not relieve the Bidder from responsibility for completing the contract.

The Bidder warrants that this bid is submitted solely on the basis of the Bidder's examination and inspection of the quality and quantity of the timber offered for sale and the Bidder's opinion of the value thereof and the costs of recovery. No reliance should be placed on the State of Michigan's estimates of timber quality, quantity or costs of recovery. Bidder further acknowledges that the State of Michigan: (i) expressly disclaims any warranty of fitness of timber for any purpose; (ii) offers this timber as is without any warranty of quality (merchantability) or quantity and (iii) expressly disclaims any warranty as to the quantity or quality of timber sold.

12. Certification and Chain-of-Custody (10/22)

Unless otherwise indicated in the contract under section 7 – Other Conditions of the Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements, the area encompassed by this timber sale is certified to the standards of the Forest Stewardship Council (FSC) - Certificate #SCS-FM/COC-00090N and the Sustainable Forestry Initiative (SFI) - Certificate #NSF-SFIS-5Y031-SF5. Forest products from this sale may be delivered to the mill as "FSC 100% and / or SFI certified" as long as the contractor hauling the forest products is chain-of-custody (COC) certified or covered under a COC certificate from the destination mill. The purchaser is responsible for maintaining COC after leaving the sale area.

13. Good Neighbor Authority (GNA) Requirements (10/22)

If the name of this timber sales contains the acronym GNA, it is authorized by the Good Neighbor Authority (GNA) and covered by various agreements between the U.S. Forest Service and the State. The timber sale occurs on federal land and the following conditions apply:

GNA contracts on US Forest Service land will not be awarded to purchasers on the Federal list of excluded parties. The System for Award Management (SAM) will be checked for active excluded parties prior to award of contract. In

addition, the Bidder to whom award is made must complete an Assurance Regarding Felony Conviction or Tax Delinquent Status for Corporate Applicants (AD-3031).

14. Good Neighbor Authority (GNA) Requirements, con't (10/22)

Bidder certifies, by signing this bid form, that to the best of Bidder's knowledge that the following representations are accurate and complete.

- a. That the Bidder and its principals are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntary excluded from timber sales (covered transactions) by any Federal department or agency.
- b. That the Bidder and its principals have not within a 3-year period preceding this bid been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining , attempting to obtain, or performing a public (Federal, State, or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction; violation of Federal or State antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property.
- c. That the Bidder and its principals are not presently indicted for or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a governmental entity (Federal, State, or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in paragraph b of this certification.
- d. That the Bidder and its principals have not within a 3-year period preceding this bid had one or more public transactions (Federal, State, or local) terminated for breach or default of a timber or forest product contract.

Bidders that cannot certify this requirement, in whole or in part, shall submit an explanation with their bid.

Scott Bowen
Director

TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

Discarded Forties (33-026-26)
T36N, R25W, SEC. 27; T36N, R25W, SEC. 34.
Menominee County (Advertised Price \$67,061.95)

SALE NOTE: Payment Units 2 and 3, are restricted between April 15th and July 15th because of bark slippage concerns. Payment Units 1, 7, 8, and 9 are restricted to December 1st to March 31st, unless there is an extended dry spell. Two new culverts will need to be purchased and installed by the Purchaser. Also, gravel must be hauled and spread.

A timber sale contract for this lump sum, sealed bid timber sale will be awarded to the responsible bidder offering the highest sealed bid price. All units of volume listed below were estimated using the Inventory Manager computer program and the new Michigan taper model. Bids must be at or above the following advertised price for each product and species:

<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED UNITS*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>
Sawtimber		
Red Maple	6.6 MBF	\$ 101.00 / MBF
Pulpwood		
B. T. Aspen	284 Cords	\$ 21.85 / Cord
Balsam Fir	62 Cords	\$ 8.20 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	594 Cords	\$ 15.70 / Cord
Mixed Spruce	224 Cords	\$ 9.80 / Cord
N. White Cedar	65 Cords	\$ 7.15 / Cord
Red Pine	727 Cords	\$ 51.00 / Cord
Tamarack	114 Cords	\$ 7.00 / Cord
White Pine	528 Cords	\$ 18.60 / Cord

* The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 14.21 percent. There are an estimated 2,613 cords on this timber sale, plus or minus 371 cords at the 95% confidence level. The estimated units are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

BOND AND PAYMENT SCHEDULE:

1. A bond in the amount of \$3,353.00 to insure faithful performance of the conditions of the contract will be deposited by the successful bidder within 21 days of the sale award.
2. Cutting in any sale or unit without the required advance payment would be considered a trespass.
3. Total payment must be paid in advance or according to the following schedule :
 - (a) Ten percent (10%) of the sale value must be paid within 21 days of the sale award.
 - (b) The 10% down payment will be credited towards the first unit cut.
 - (c) Payment for each of the following units must be made before cutting begins in that unit:

<u>PAYMENT UNIT NUMBER</u>	<u>PERCENT OF TOTAL SALE VALUE</u>
01	3.7%
02	16.9%
03	26.6%
04	10.5%
05	11.0%
06	7.9%
07	11.9%
08	7.3%
09	4.2%

4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 06/30/2030.

SALE STATISTICS

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SALE VOLUMES

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VOLUME			STATISTICAL RANGE IN CORDS	
TOTAL CUBIC FEET	TOTAL CORDS	PERCENT ERROR	MINIMUM	MAXIMUM
206,445	2,613	14.21%	2,242	2,985

VDU VOLUMES

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	VOLUME			RANGE IN CORDS	
VDU	TOTAL CUBIC FEET	TOTAL CORDS	PERCENT ERROR	MINIMUM	MAXIMUM
42	9,707	123	56.09%	54	192
49	66,671	844	27.60%	611	1,077
50	60,780	769	28.40%	551	988
63	28,892	366	39.76%	220	511
76	23,777	301	29.61%	212	390
80	16,618	210	43.04%	120	301
TOTAL:	206,445	2,613		1,768	3,459

VDU TO PAYMENT UNIT

When a VDU is associated with more than one Payment Unit (PU), the VDU volumes are assigned to the PU based on acres of the VDU within the PU.

VDU	VDU ACRES	PU	PU ACRES
42	7.8	1	7.8
49	39.9	2	15.6
		3	24.3
50	27.8	4	9.9
		5	10.4
		6	7.5
63	15.3	7	15.3
76	25.2	8	25.2
80	11.6	9	11.6
TOTAL:	127.6		127.6

DESCRIPTION OF TIMBER BY PAYMENT UNIT (PU)

PU	MARKET GROUP	PRODUCT	QUANTITY	UNIT	ACRES	ADVERTISE PRICE
1	B. T. Aspen	Pulpwood	18	Cords	7.8	\$2,493.10
	Mixed Hardwood		44	Cords		
	<i>Paper Birch</i>		2	<i>Cords</i>		
	<i>Red Maple</i>		42	<i>Cords</i>		
	Mixed Spruce		13	Cords		
	<i>Black Spruce</i>		13	<i>Cords</i>		
	Red Pine		12	Cords		
	White Pine		36	Cords		
2	B. T. Aspen	Pulpwood	11	Cords	15.6	\$11,361.25
	Balsam Fir		2	Cords		
	Mixed Hardwood		27	Cords		
	<i>Red Maple</i>		27	<i>Cords</i>		
	Mixed Spruce		32	Cords		
	<i>Black Spruce</i>		32	<i>Cords</i>		
	Red Pine		172	Cords		
	Tamarack		2	Cords		
	White Pine		85	Cords		
3	B. T. Aspen	Pulpwood	16	Cords	24.3	\$17,727.60
	Balsam Fir		3	Cords		
	Mixed Hardwood		42	Cords		
	<i>Red Maple</i>		42	<i>Cords</i>		
	Mixed Spruce		49	Cords		
	<i>Black Spruce</i>		49	<i>Cords</i>		
	Red Pine		269	Cords		
	Tamarack		3	Cords		
	White Pine		133	Cords		
4	Red Maple	Sawtimber	2.4	MBF	9.9	\$7,013.55
	B. T. Aspen	Pulpwood	85	Cords		
	Balsam Fir		7	Cords		
	Mixed Hardwood		62	Cords		
	<i>Paper Birch</i>		11	<i>Cords</i>		
	<i>Red Maple</i>		51	<i>Cords</i>		
	Mixed Spruce		7	Cords		
	<i>Black Spruce</i>		5	<i>Cords</i>		
	<i>White Spruce</i>		2	<i>Cords</i>		
	N. White Cedar		6	Cords		
	Red Pine		59	Cords		
	White Pine		41	Cords		
5	Red Maple	Sawtimber	2.4	MBF	10.4	\$7,392.75
	B. T. Aspen	Pulpwood	90	Cords		
	Balsam Fir		7	Cords		
	Mixed Hardwood		66	Cords		
	<i>Paper Birch</i>		12	<i>Cords</i>		
	<i>Red Maple</i>		54	<i>Cords</i>		
	Mixed Spruce		8	Cords		
	<i>Black Spruce</i>		6	<i>Cords</i>		
	<i>White Spruce</i>		2	<i>Cords</i>		
	N. White Cedar		7	Cords		
	Red Pine		62	Cords		
	White Pine		43	Cords		
6	Red Maple	Sawtimber	1.8	MBF	7.5	\$5,331.15
	B. T. Aspen	Pulpwood	64	Cords		
	Balsam Fir		5	Cords		
	Mixed Hardwood		48	Cords		
	<i>Paper Birch</i>		9	<i>Cords</i>		
	<i>Red Maple</i>		39	<i>Cords</i>		

DESCRIPTION OF TIMBER BY PAYMENT UNIT (PU), CON'T

PU	MARKET GROUP	PRODUCT	QUANTITY	UNIT	ACRES	ADVERTISE PRICE				
6 con't	Mixed Spruce	Pulpwood	5	Cords						
	Black Spruce		4	Cords						
	White Spruce		1	Cords						
	N. White Cedar		5	Cords						
	Red Pine		45	Cords						
	White Pine		31	Cords						
7	Balsam Fir	Pulpwood	5	Cords	15.3	\$7,975.90				
	Mixed Hardwood		19	Cords						
	Red Maple		19	Cords						
	Mixed Spruce		72	Cords						
	Black Spruce		72	Cords						
	Red Pine		91	Cords						
	Tamarack		88	Cords						
	White Pine		90	Cords						
8	Balsam Fir	Pulpwood	26	Cords	25.2	\$4,921.90				
	Mixed Hardwood		155	Cords						
	Black Ash		2	Cords						
	Paper Birch		26	Cords						
	Red Maple		123	Cords						
	Yellow Birch		4	Cords						
	Mixed Spruce		30	Cords						
	Black Spruce		30	Cords						
	Red Pine		17	Cords						
	Tamarack		21	Cords						
	White Pine		52	Cords						
9	Balsam Fir	Pulpwood	7	Cords	11.6	\$2,844.75				
	Mixed Hardwood		131	Cords						
	Balsam Poplar		7	Cords						
	Black Ash		30	Cords						
	Paper Birch		5	Cords						
	Red Maple		84	Cords						
	Yellow Birch		5	Cords						
	Mixed Spruce		8	Cords						
	Black Spruce		8	Cords						
	N. White Cedar		47	Cords						
	White Pine		17	Cords						
	TOTAL:			6.6			MBF			
	TOTAL:			2,598			Cords			

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Discarded Forties

Sale Number: 33-026-26 Seq#: 1

1 - Sale Area

1.2 - Boundaries

1.2.1 - Painted Boundaries (9/19)

The sale boundary and Payment Unit boundaries are marked and identified by blue, red and yellow paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against private property are marked with blue paint. Exterior sale boundary lines against state are marked with red paint. Interior Payment Unit boundaries are marked with yellow paint. Retention patches are marked with red paint; no harvesting activities may occur within these areas. The painted boundary line trees are not Included Timber and are to be protected. Except, cut all double dot red painted trees along County Road 551. Yellow painted trees designating an interior Payment Unit boundary are only to be cut when all surrounding Payment Units have been paid for.

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

2.1.1 - Clearcut Unit(s) with Unmerchantable Trees (6/14)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 and 4 - 9, cut all trees that are three (3) inches or more at DBH, with the following exceptions.

Within Payment Units 1, 4, 5, 6, and 7, do not cut trees marked with green paint.

Within Payment Unit 8, do not cut cedar or trees marked with green paint.

Within Payment Unit 9, do not cut hemlock. Also, do not cut spruce/fir less than six (6) inches at DBH.

2.1.2 - Clearcut Unit(s) w/o Unmerchantable Trees (8/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 2 and 3, cut all trees which meet minimum piece specifications in 2.2 Utilization, except trees marked with green paint. Also, do not cut pine less than five (5) inches at DBH.

2.1.9 - Harvest Exception (12/24)

Do not cut any cedar trees within Payment Unit 8 other than those that are necessary to remove in order to operate within the Sale Area. Every effort must be made to preserve the existing cedar and to leave an intact stand upon sale completion. All cut cedar shall be piled separately by product and scaled in the woods, unless other scaling arrangements are agreed to by the Unit Manager or his/her representative. Stumpage price for cedar shall be \$25.00 per cord.

2.1.15 - Hazard Trees Near Roads (12/24)

Cut and remove all standing dead trees within 100 feet of the cleared portion of County Road 551. These trees may be utilized or must be scattered back into the Sale Area.

2.2 - Utilization

2.2.4 - Skidding Length (12/24)

Skidding of un-limbed tops or lengths over 17 feet is not permissible within Payment Units 2 and 3.

3 - Payments

3.3 - Pre-measured Sales

3.3.4 - Dividing Payment Units (7/14)

Payment Unit(s) \$18,000 in value or greater may be divided at the request of the Purchaser and upon approval of the Unit Manager. Dividing Payment Units is a contract modification which requires a Timber Sale Contract Amendment. There will be only one division per Payment Unit.

4 - Transportation

4.1 - Construction

4.1.8 - Road Work (1) (8/07)

The following road work is required: the Purchaser must purchase and install two new corrugated steel culverts. One will be 12" X 24' in size, and will be installed between Payment Units 8 and 9. The second culvert will be 15" X 24' in size and will be installed within Payment Unit 2. Both culverts are being installed to improve cross drainage. The Purchaser is also required to haul and spread a minimum of 160 cubic yards of gravel over the culverts and on the access road running through Payment Unit 2 and on the GO C JO road between the South Fox Road and Payment Unit 9. These locations will be identified during the Pre-Sale meeting. A minimum of twelve (12) inches of gravel must be placed over the culverts. This road work must be completed prior to any hauling from any of the Payment Units. Gravel is available from a state pit located at the east end of the South Fox Road, approximately two miles away.

4.2 - Maintenance

4.2.1 - Hauling Restriction (12/08)

Hauling may be restricted on forest roads by the Unit Manager or his/her representative. The restriction may occur during spring breakup or during other wet weather conditions.

4.2.4 - Grading (10/16)

For completion of the sale, state forest roads must be graded. In general, this will require a road grader or bulldozer to shape up the roads after forest products have been hauled off site. This includes cleaning of drainage areas, grading, crowning and filling with gravel, if necessary. The grading equipment to be used must be approved by the Unit Manager or his/her representative.

5 - Operations

5.2 - Conduct of Operations

5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

5.2.3.1 - Operating Restrictions (9/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, 7, 8, and 9, cutting and skidding are limited to the period of December 1st to March 31st, unless there is an extended dry or frozen period and the sale administrator allows harvesting during that period of time. This restriction is because of wet access to Payment Unit 1 and wet areas within Payment Units 7 - 9. Payment Unit 1, might be able to be harvested during a dry summer and portions of Payment Units 7 - 9 would be possibly be dry enough.

5.2.3.3 - Bark Slippage Restriction (3/09)

Within Payment Unit(s) 2 and 3, cutting and skidding are not permitted during the period of April 15 to July 15. This restriction is because of bark slippage.

5.2.22 - Operating Caution

5.2.22.1 - Operating Caution (6/11)

It is recommended, but not required, that within Payment Unit(s) 2 and 3, cutting and skidding occur during dry summer or frozen winter conditions. The reason for the recommendation is because along the north edge of each Payment Unit there is a strip of lower wetter ground. About 75% of these Payment Units could be cut at any time, outside the bark slippage restriction.

6 - Safety and Fire Prevention

6.2 - Signing

6.2.1 - Road Posting (10/20)

The Purchaser is responsible for posting and maintaining caution signs on County Road 551 and the South Fox Road prior to beginning operations. The road must be posted at appropriate distances from the Sale Area to warn of logging activity and truck traffic. Signs must be removed when harvest operations are suspended or completed. The Purchaser will provide these signs.

**TIMBER SALE MAP**

This information provided by authority of Part 525, 1994 PA 451, as amended.

Sale Number

33-026-26

Date

08/17/2026

Forest Management Unit

Escanaba Mgt Unit

County

Menominee

Mapped By: Beaudou

Cruised By: Salter, Beaudou

Scale

1:15,840

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Of

1Township
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Section(s) and

Subdivision(s) Sec. 27 SENW,W1/2NE,E1/2SW,N1/2SE,SWSE; Sec. 34 NENW,NE,N1/2SE;

Cover Type

A = Aspen	J = Jack Pine	O = Oak	U = Upland Brush
B = Paper Birch	K = Rock	P = Lowland Poplar	UM = Upland Mix Forest
C = Cedar	L = Lowland Brush	Q = Mixed Swamp Conifer	V = Bog or Marsh
D = Treed Bog	LM = Lowland Mix Forest	R = Red Pine	W = White Pine
E = Swamp Hardwoods	M = Maple, Beech, Birch	S = Black Spruce	X = Non Stocked
F = Spruce/Fir	MC = Mixed Conifer	T = Tamarack	Y = Sand
G = Grass	MD = Mixed Deciduous	Z = Water	
H = Hemlock	N = Marsh		

Density

0 = Non Stocked	5 = Pole Timber Medium
1 = Seedling Sapling Poor	6 = Pole Timber Well
2 = Seedling Sapling Medium	7 = Saw Timber Poor
3 = Seedling Sapling Well	8 = Saw Timber Medium
4 = Pole Timber Poor	9 = Saw Timber Well

Discarded Forties

Compartment 45

127.6 Acres**Payment Unit
Number****Acres**

1	7.8
2	15.6
3	24.3
4	9.9
5	10.4
6	7.5
7	15.3
8	25.2
9	11.6

PVT**PVT****PVT****Legend**

- Against State (Red)
- Private Line (Blue)
- Payment Unit (Yellow)
- Lakes and Rivers
- Primary Forest Road
- Forest Access Route
- Administrative Access Only
- County Gravel Rd
- Private Gravel/Dirt
- Berm
- Gate
- PVT** Private Property
- 27** State Land Boundary
- 26** Section Number

QR Code for Map
and Cruise Data

0 0.25 0.5 1 Miles

Snowshoe Sinker (12-005-26)

T43N, R27W, SEC. 3; T43N, R27W, SEC. 4; T44N, R27W, SEC. 16; T44N, R27W,

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<u>PRODUCTS & SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED VOLUME*</u>	<u>ADVERTISED PRICE</u>	<u>BID PRICE/UNIT</u>
Pulpwood			
Balsam Fir	21 Cords	\$ 7.00/Cord	\$ _____
Mixed Hardwood	171 Cords	\$ 11.00/Cord	\$ _____
Mixed Spruce	320 Cords	\$ 5.95/Cord	\$ _____
Quaking Aspen	506 Cords	\$ 21.35/Cord	\$ _____
Tamarack	509 Cords	\$ 6.20/Cord	\$ _____

*The volumes are statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 31.95 percent at 95% confidence level. These estimated volumes are final and not subject to adjustment. Prospective bidders are urged to examine this timber and to make their own estimates of quantity and quality.

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FEDERAL ID: ____ - ____ - ____ or SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER: ____ - ____ - ____

Company or individual bidding: _____

Company representative's name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

IF AVAILABLE, PLEASE PLACE THE PERSONALIZED LABEL FROM YOUR PROSPECTUS IN THE ABOVE BOX.

Individual or company representative's signature: _____ Date: _____

Phone number : _____ Email (optional): _____

**THE WINNING BIDDER MUST COMPLETE THE VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT
COMPLIANCE (ON REVERSE SIDE IF DOUBLE SIDED) WITHIN 21 DAYS OF SALE AWARD DATE**



TIMBER SALE VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE

As required by Act 317, P.A. 1969 (Worker's Compensation) and
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FOR DEPARTMENT USE ONLY

Sale Number (XX - XXX - XX - XX)

Forest Management Unit:

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 - C. ☐ I certify my business has a Worker's Compensation Policy. I will provide an original Certificate of Insurance within twenty-one (21) days of the contract award.
3. If you have checked item 2(A) or 2(B), you **must** indicate the number of **both** full-time and part-time employees, other than yourself, including family members and active partners (if none, you must enter "0").

_____ Full-time Employees

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Name of Business		Federal ID (or) Social Security No.
Address		Telephone ()
City	State	ZIP

I hereby certify that the above information is true and correct. I agree to notify the Michigan DNR of any changes that occur in factors affecting my coverage during any of my present and future operations.

Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative

Title

Date

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Surprised Susie (12-006-26)

T41N, R29W, SEC. 29; T41N, R29W, SEC. 30; T41N, R29W, SEC. 32; Dickinson

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Pulpwood			
Balsam Fir	62 Cords	\$ 7.00/Cord	\$ _____
Mixed Aspen	2,629 Cords	\$ 21.35/Cord	\$ _____
Mixed Hardwood	121 Cords	\$ 11.00/Cord	\$ _____
Mixed Spruce	21 Cords	\$ 5.95/Cord	\$ _____

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TIMBER SALE
VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY
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Discarded Forties (33-026-26)
T36N, R25W, SEC. 27; T36N, R25W, SEC. 34; Menominee COUNTY

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B. T. Aspen	284 Cords	\$ 21.85/Cord	\$ _____
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Mixed Hardwood	594 Cords	\$ 15.70/Cord	\$ _____
Mixed Spruce	224 Cords	\$ 9.80/Cord	\$ _____
N. White Cedar	65 Cords	\$ 7.15/Cord	\$ _____
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