

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES STATE OF MICHIGAN

TIMBER SALE PROSPECTUS #5237

SCHEDULED SALE DATE AND TIME: 3:00 p.m. (local time) on December 1, 2014. LOCATION: GWINN MGMT UNIT, 410 WEST M-35, GWINN, MI 49841.

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, GWINN MANAGEMENT UNIT, for certain timber on the following described lands:

<u>SAW-WHET ELF</u> (32-111-14-01) / T46N, R27W, SEC. 28, NWNW,SENE,S1/2SE. T46N, R27W, SEC. 33, N1/2NE. Marguette County, Advertised Price \$32,155.70, 42.0 Acres

<u>SECTION 36 MIX</u> (32-113-14-01) / T45N, R29W, SEC. 35, S1/2SE. T45N, R29W, SEC. 36, S1/2NE,S1/2SW. Marquette County, Advertised Price \$75,165.10, 88.0 Acres

SALE NOTE: The Jack pine has been damaged by Jack pine budworm. See deteriorating timber spec 7.5.1.

BID INSTRUCTIONS (VER. 10/01/2014):

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

Bids must be received by the Unit Manager, GWINN OFFICE, 410 WEST M-35, GWINN, MI 49841, no later than 3:00 p.m. (local time) on December 1, 2014. For further information concerning this sale, contact Jim Ferris at 906-346-9201.

2. Bidder's Qualifications (2/12)

Purchaser shall obtain workers 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. If all or part of a timber sale was prepared by a private contractor, that contractor and that contractor's company are not permitted to bid on the timber sale contract. 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 (1/11)

Bids shall be manually signed in ink; 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 forms, each erasure or change must be initialed by the person signing the bid.

4. Submission of Sealed Bids (6/11)

Bid forms may be obtained from the Unit Manager. All 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.

5. Public Opening of Sealed Bids (6/13)

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 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. Timber Sale Contract (9/14)

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 1 year. 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.

10. Disclaimer of Estimates and Bidder's Warranty of Inspection (1/11)

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.

11. Certification and Chain-of-Custody (10/14)

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.

KEITH CREAGH Director

TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

SAW-WHET ELF (32-111-14-01)

T46N, R27W, SEC. 28; T46N, R27W, SEC. 33. Marquette County (Advertised Price \$32,155.70)

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. Bids must be at or above the following advertised price for each species:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*		ADVERTISED PRICE		
Pulpwood					
B. T. Aspen	532.00 Cords	\$	27.60 / Cord		
Jack Pine	97.00 Cords	\$	51.95 / Cord		
Paper Birch	74.00 Cords	\$	23.70 / Cord		
Red Maple	112.00 Cords	\$	20.90 / Cord		
Red Pine	175.00 Cords	\$	47.65 / Cord		

^{*} The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 23.36 percent. 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 **\$1,608.00** 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:

PAYMENT UNIT NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALE VALUE
01	34%
02	6%
03	4%
04	56%

- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 11/30/2017.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Saw-whet Elf Sale Number: 32-111-14-01

1 - Sale Area

1.2 - Boundaries

1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (1/14)

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. The painted boundary line trees are not Included Timber and are to be protected.

2 - Timber Specifications

2.1 - Included Timber

2.1.2 - Clearcut unit(s) w/o unmerchantable trees (8/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, 2, 3, & 4, cut all Red Maple, Paper Birch, Aspen, and Jack Pine trees which meet minimum piece specifications in 2.2 Utilization. Cut the Red Pine in unit 1 ONLY. Do not cut Red Pine, White Pine, or Oak in any other units.

2.2 - Utilization

2.2.3 - Stump heights (4/07)

Stump heights within Payment Units 1 & 2 shall not exceed 12 inches for trees greater than 10 inches DBH and 4 inches for trees smaller than 10 inches DBH. This is in order to facilitate planting operations.

2.2.11 - Chipping restriction (9/13)

If chipping occurs on this sale, then no woody debris present on the ground at the start of the sale may be chipped. In addition, brush or chips may not be stored or stockpiled on-site for more than 30 days.

4 - Transportation

4.1 - Construction

4.1.3 - Slash and earthen piles (8/04)

Piles or windrows of earth along roads and landings that have been widened or constructed shall be leveled. Slash from road maintenance or construction, including stumps, shall be dispersed throughout the sale.

4.1.4 - Timber removed for construction (12/09)

Trees cut or damaged in the process of pre-approved road, landing or skid trail construction will be decked in an area separate from other Designated Timber and not removed until measured by the sale administrator. Payment will be made at the specified Purchase Unit Price.

4.1.6 - Road construction (1/09)

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

4.2.2 - Fill material (4/07)

To maintain roads, fill material may be needed in areas where "holes" exist or may be expected to develop. This fill material should be placed before trucking begins.

4.2.5 - Two wheel drive condition (2/04)

All existing trail roads on and adjacent to the sale area must be passable by two-wheel drive traffic for the duration of the sale.

5 - Operations

5.1 - Notification

5.1.1 - Pre-sale conference (10/11)

A pre-sale conference on site or at the Gwinn Field Office between the Purchaser and sale administrator is required prior to beginning any operations to determine landing and road locations. The Unit Manager or his/her representative must be contacted at least 10 days in advance to schedule the conference.

5.2 - Conduct of Operations

5.2.2 - Hazard Trees/Snags

5.2.2.1 - Den trees (2/04)

Obvious hollow and/or den trees shall be protected and left standing unless they are a safety hazard.

5.2.31 - Landing locations (9/13)

In general, landings are limited to a "T" turnaround which will accommodate a truck with a 50 foot trailer.

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.

5.2.38 - No decking against live trees (2/04)

Cut products may not be decked against unmarked or designated leave trees.

5.4 - Soil Protection

5.4.1 - Rutting restriction, general (1/09)

Operations are to cease immediately if equipment and weather conditions result in rutting of roads and skid trails which is 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.

Section Name: Sale Specific Current as of 10/2/2014 5:43:03PM

TIMBER SALE MAP

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

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Forest Management Unit Gwinn Management Unit

County Marquette

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Township T46N

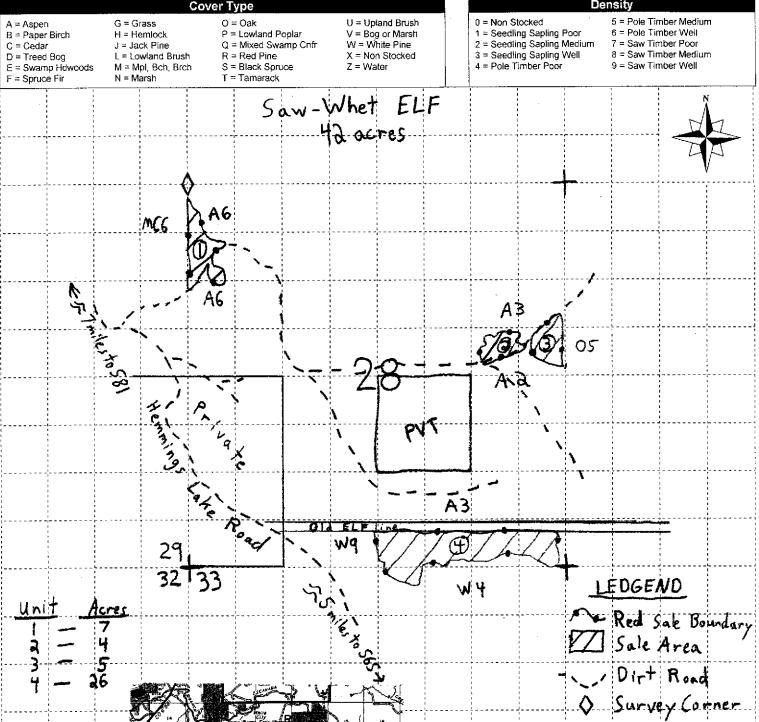
Range **R27W**

Section(s) and Subdivision(s)

NWNW, SENE, S1/2SE sec.28 & N1/2NE sec. 33

Density

Scale: |...4 inches......| = 1 mile



TIMBER SALE INFORMATION

SECTION 36 MIX (32-113-14-01)

T45N, R29W, SEC. 35; T45N, R29W, SEC. 36.

Marquette County (Advertised Price \$75,165.10)

SALE NOTE: The Jack pine has been damaged by Jack pine budworm. See deteriorating timber spec 7.5.1.

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. Bids must be at or above the following advertised price for each species:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*		ADVERTISED PRICE		
Pulpwood					
Black Spruce	163.00 Cords	\$	25.55 / Cord		
Jack Pine	875.00 Cords	\$	49.15 / Cord		
Q. Aspen	769.00 Cords	\$	30.25 / Cord		

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$4,731.95:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	<u>ADV</u>	ERTISED PRICE
Pulpwood			
Balsam Fir	94.00 Cords	\$	21.30 / Cord
Paper Birch	113.00 Cords	\$	18.95 / Cord
Tamarack	6.00 Cords	\$	21.80 / Cord
W. Spruce	22.00 Cords	\$	20.80 / Cord

^{*} The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 8.74 percent. 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 \$3,758.00 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:

PAYMENT UNIT NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL SALE
01	14%
02	30%
03	40%
04	16%

- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 11/30/2017.

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Section 36 Mix Sale Number: 32-113-14-01

1 - Sale Area

1.2 - Boundaries

1.2.1 - Painted boundaries (1/14)

The sale boundary and Payment Unit boundaries are marked and identified by blue, red and/or green 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 green paint. The painted boundary line trees are not Included Timber and are to be protected. Green 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

2.1.2 - Clearcut unit(s) w/o unmerchantable trees (8/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1 - 4, cut all aspen, jack pine, tamarack, balsam fir trees which meet minimum piece specifications in 2.2 Utilization. In addition, within Unit 1 only, cut all paper birch and spruce. Within Unit 4 only, cut all black spruce and only white spruce greater than 14" stump diameter (i.e. trees with 3 or more sticks of merchantable pulpwood). DO NOT CUT ANY MAPLE, RED PINE, WHITE PINE, or TREES MARKED WITH GREEN PAINT IN ANY UNIT.

2.2 - Utilization

2.2.3 - Stump heights (4/07)

Stump heights within Payment Unit(s) 2 - 4 shall not exceed 8 inches for trees greater than 10 inches DBH and 4 inches for trees smaller than 10 inches DBH. This is in order to facilitate reforestation operations.

2.2.8 - Utilization and removal (5/14)

Retain on site 1/6 to 1/3 of the slash from harvested trees (tree tops and limbs less than four inches in diameter) uniformly scattered. This is because of woody biomass retention guidelines.

2.2.11 - Chipping restriction (9/13)

If chipping occurs on this sale, brush or chips may not be stored or stockpiled on-site for more than 30 days.

3 - Payments

3.3 - Pre-measured Sales

3.3.4 - Dividing payment units (7/14)

Payment Unit(s) 3 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 Supplement. There will be only one division per Payment Unit.

3.4 - Damaged Timber

3.4.1 - Damaged timber (6/14)

General Condition and Requirement 3.4 Damaged Timber, defines liquidated damages for undesignated live merchantable trees which are cut or injured. In addition, extreme care should be taken to avoid damage to tree seedlings and saplings, especially small red pine within Unit(s) 2 and 3.

4 - Transportation

4.1 - Construction

4.1.6 - Road construction (1/09)

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, and 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 placing stumps and brush in and along the road course to prohibit vehicular movement. All stumps from road building and landing construction may be reserved to block any newly constructed roads upon completion of the sale. Contact the sale administrator for specific details of design and placement.

4.2 - Maintenance

4.2.5 - Two wheel drive condition (2/04)

All existing trail roads on and adjacent to the sale area must be passable by two-wheel drive traffic for the duration of the sale.

5 - Operations

5.2 - Conduct of Operations

5.2.1 - Slash

5.2.1.1 - Slash within sale area (2/04)

No trees are to be felled outside the sale area and all slash is to be kept at least 10 feet back from the blue paint line.

5.2.1.8 - Slash height (12/08)

No slash or tree tops may exceed 24 inches in height.

5.2.1.11 - Slash for reforestation (5/07)

To facilitate reforestation, Unit(s) 2 - 4 shall be left with slash evenly distributed. Bunched tops within the cutting area shall be broken up and scattered. Stumps shall be cut low to the ground. Processing sites shall not be left with a compacted layer of slash; tops from these sites shall be hauled back into the cut area and scattered.

5.2.2 - Hazard Trees/Snags

5.2.2.1 - Den trees (2/04)

Obvious hollow and/or den trees shall be protected and left standing unless they are a safety hazard.

5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

5.2.3.6 - Bark beetle restriction (12/08)

In the event drought creates a high risk of pine bark beetle infestation, pine is not to be cut during the period March 1 through July 1, unless all portions of trees greater than two inches in diameter are removed from the sale area, reduced to chips, or treated to the satisfaction of the Unit Manager or his/her representative, within fifteen days of being severed from the stump. Pine log decks, pulpwood piles and treetops that are piled for chipping in the fall or winter within a 1/4 mile of susceptible sites must be removed before March 15. Residual slash must not be placed in piles or rows and must be spread over the site for quick drying. The Department of Natural Resources will exercise this specification if the risk of damage warrants.

5.2.31 - Landing locations (9/13)

Landing size and locations must be approved by the Unit Manager or his/her representative. In general, landings are limited to a "T" turnaround which will accommodate a truck with a 50 foot trailer.

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.

5.2.38 - No decking against live trees (2/04)

Cut products may not be decked against unmarked or designated leave trees.

7 - Other Conditions

7.3 - Contract Modifications

7.3.3 - Modification for reforestation (8/05)

When contractual work of Purchaser has been accepted for any Payment Unit identified on Sale Area Map, Payment Unit will be eliminated from the Sale Area on written notice so that reforestation operations can begin.

7.5 - Loss

7.5.1 - Deteriorating timber (7/09)

The sale area has received damage from jack pine budw. The Department of Natural Resources is held free of resharvesting.		
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A = Aspen

C = Cedar

G = Grass

H = Hemlock

B = Paper Birch

D = Treed Bog

F = Spruce/Fir

E = Swamp Hardwoods

TIMBER SALE MAP

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Density

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Range 29 W

J = Jack Pine

MC = Mixed Conifer

MD = Mixed Deciduous

K = Rock

N = Marsh

Section(s) and Subdivision(s)

P = Lowland Poplar

T = Tamarack

Cover Type

L = Lowland Brush Q = Mixed Swamp Conifer LM = Lowland Mix Forest R = Red Pine

M = Maple, Beech, Birch S = Black Spruce

O = Oak

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UM = Upland Mix Forest

U = Upland Brush

V = Bog or Marsh W = White Pine

X = Non Stocked

Y = Sand

Z = Water

0 = Non Stocked

1 = Seedling Sapling Poor

2 = Seedling Sapling Medium

7 = Saw Timber Poor 8 = Saw Timber Medium

3 = Seedling Sapling Well 4 = Pole Timber Poor

9 = Saw Timber Wedidin

5 = Pole Timber Medium 6 = Pole Timber Well

SECTION 36 MIX



11: Co Rd 581 22 acs 2:5 miles Unit 2= 24 acs Unit. 3 = .3.2 gc. NL A3 **T3** 4 Sale Area May (red, blue) closed/abandoned roads Two-track roads. 0:5 0.25 0 Miles GPS location: 46.2441 87.8773

TIMBER SALE / SEALED BID STATE OF MICHIGAN / DNR

BID FORM

SAW-WHET ELF (32-111-14-01) T46N, R27W, SEC. 28; T46N, R27W, SEC. 33, Marquette County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 3:00 p.m. (local time) on December 1, 2014, I am hereby submitting my sealed bid (firm offer) for the following forest products to be cut. Bids for individual species must be at or above the advertised price. All non-responsive bid forms may be rejected.

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	<u>ESTIMATEI</u>	D UNITS*	ADV	/ERTISED PRICE	BID P	RICE
Pulpwood						
B. T. Aspen	532.00	Cords	\$	27.60 / Cord	\$	/ Cord
Jack Pine	97.00	Cords	\$	51.95 / Cord	\$	/ Cord
Paper Birch	74.00	Cords	\$	23.70 / Cord	\$	/ Cord
Red Maple	112.00	Cords	\$	20.90 / Cord	\$	/ Cord
Red Pine	175.00	Cords	\$	47.65 / Cord	\$	/ Cord

I understand that any or all bids may be rejected. All bids must be signed and all bid items must be bid or the bid form may be rejected. I also understand that consideration and awarding a contract will be based upon my past performance and ability to complete the contract based upon equipment and staffing subject to my control.

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	Company or individual bidding:								
	Company representative's name:								
	Address:								
	City:	State:	Zip:						
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Individual or company representative's signature:				Date:					
Phone number : Email (optional):									

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Title

Michigan Department of Natural Resources & Environment Forest Management Division

TIMBER SALE VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE

As required by Act 317, P.A. 1969 (Worker's Compensation) and Part 525 of Act 451 of 1994, as amended.

FOR DEPARTMENT USE ONLY Sale Number (XX – XXX – XX – XX) Forest Management Unit:

	VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S I	DISABILI	LITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE	
•	This verification must be completed and submitted sale contract.	within 21	1 days of contract award and prior to the issuance of the timber	
•	In addition, if boxes 2B or 2C are checked, then Not days of the contract award and prior to the issuance		exclusion or Certificate of Insurance must be submitted within 21 timber sale contract.	
•	All Information must be typed or printed except for	written si	signatures.	
Ple	ase Check Appropriate Categories:			
1.	My business is organized as (you must check <u>on</u> A. ☐ Sole Proprietorship (individual) B. ☐ Partnership C. ☐ Corporation	i <u>e</u> of the b	boxes below):	
 You must check one of the boxes below: I certify that my business is a sole proprietorship and it has no employees but the sole proprietor. I am not Worker's Compensation Laws. I certify that my business has satisfied its obligation to the Worker's Compensation Act through the use of Notice of Exclusion (BWC-337, Rev. 5/96). I will provide a copy of the Notice of Exclusion within 21 days of award. (For questions or a copy of the BWC-337, please call the Worker's Compensation Bureau at 517-322. I certify that my business has a Worker's Compensation Policy. I will provide an original Certificate of Insuradays of the contract award. If you have checked item 2(A) or 2(B), you must indicate the number of both full-time and part-time employees 				
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000	reby certify that the above information is true and ur in factors affecting my coverage during any of I		t. I agree to notify the Michigan DNRE of any changes that sent and future operations.	

Date

BID FORM

<u>SECTION 36 MIX (32-113-14-01)</u> T45N, R29W, SEC. 35; T45N, R29W, SEC. 36, Marquette County

In response to the notice of sale to be held 3:00 p.m. (local time) on December 1, 2014, I am hereby submitting my sealed bid (firm offer) for the following forest products to be cut. Bids for individual species must be at or above the advertised price. All non-responsive bid forms may be rejected.

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*	ADVE	RTISED PRICE	BID P	RICE
Pulpwood					
Black Spruce	163.00 Cords	\$	25.55 / Cord	\$	/ Cord
Jack Pine	875.00 Cords	\$	49.15 / Cord	\$	/ Cord
Q. Aspen	769.00 Cords	\$	30.25 / Cord	\$	/ Cord

In addition, the successful bidder agrees to purchase the following species at the indicated advertised price for a total value of \$4,731.95:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*		ADV	ERTISED PRICE
Pulpwood				
Balsam Fir	94.00	Cords	\$	21.30 / Cord
Paper Birch	113.00	Cords	\$	18.95 / Cord
Tamarack	6.00	Cords	\$	21.80 / Cord
W. Spruce	22.00	Cords	\$	20.80 / Cord

^{*} The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 8.74 percent. 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.

I understand that any or all bids may be rejected. All bids must be signed and all bid items must be bid or the bid form may be rejected. I also understand that consideration and awarding a contract will be based upon my past performance and ability to complete the contract based upon equipment and staffing subject to my control.

	FEDERAL ID:							
	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):					_			



Address

City

Michigan Department of Natural Resources & Environment Forest Management Division

TIMBER SALE VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE

As required by Act 317, P.A. 1969 (Worker's Compensation) and Part 525 of Act 451 of 1994, as amended.

FOR DEPARTMENT USE ONLY
Sale Number (XX – XXX – XX – XX)
Forest Management Unit:

•	This verification must be completed and submitted within 21 days of contract award and prior to the issuance of the timber sale contract.		
•	In addition, if boxes 2B or 2C are checked, then Notice of Exclusion or Certificate of Insurance must be submitted within 21 days of the contract award and prior to the issuance of the timber sale contract.		
•	All Information must be typed or printed except for written signatures.		
Please Check Appropriate Categories:			
1.	1. My business is organized as (you must check <u>one</u> of the boxes below):		
	A. Sole Proprietorship (individual)		
	B. Partnership		
	C. Corporation		
2.	2. You must check <u>one</u> of the boxes below:		
	A. \(\subseteq\) I certify that my business is a sole proprietorship and it has no employees but the sole proprietor. I am not subject to the Worker's Compensation Laws.		
	B. I certify that my business has satisfied its obligation to the Worker's Compensation Act through the use of an approved Notice of Exclusion (BWC-337, Rev. 5/96). I will provide a copy of the Notice of Exclusion within 21 days of the contract award. (For questions or a copy of the BWC-337, please call the Worker's Compensation Bureau at 517-322-1195).		
	C. I certify that my business has a Worker's Compensation Policy. I will provide an original Certificate of Insurance within 21 days of the contract award.		
3.	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 Part-time En	nployees	
Nam	Name of Business Federal ID (or) Social Security No.		

VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE

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

Telephone

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Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative

Title Date

State