

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES STATE OF MICHIGAN TIMBER SALE PROSPECTUS #7414

SCHEDULED SALE DATE AND TIME: 3:00 p.m. (local time) on April 4, 2024.

LOCATION: NEWBERRY MGMT UNIT, PO BOX 428, 5666 S STATE HWY M 123, NEWBERRY, MI 49868.

<u>PROSPECTUS NOTE:</u> 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, NEWBERRY MANAGEMENT UNIT, for certain timber on the following described lands:

Ship Jumper Hardwoods (42-001-23) / T44N, R11W, SEC. 2, N1/2NW,NWNE. T45N, R11W, SEC. 35, NENW,S1/2NW,W1/2NE,SW,SE. Luce County, Advertised Price \$49,869.85, 154.4 Acres, Hardwood, Aspen.

SALE NOTE: Road work is required on this sale. See Sale Spec 4.1.8.

No new roads will be permitted on this sale. See Sale Spec 4.1.12 for details.

Within Payment Unit 1, harvesting is limited to the period of December 1 to April 1 because of low ground and wet soils in the Sale Area.

Within Payment Unit(s) 2-7, harvesting is not permitted during the period of April 15 to July 15 because of bark slippage.

An ORV trail or route is shown on the Timber Sale Map. See Sale Spec 5.2.39 for additional information/restrictions.

Trail 468 is a snowmobile trail and is shown on the Timber Sale Map. See Sale Spec 5.2.41 for additional information/restrictions.

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.

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

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

Bids must be received by the Unit Manager, NEWBERRY OFFICE, PO Box 428 5666 S STATE HWY M 123, NEWBERRY, MI 49868, no later than 3:00 p.m. (local time) on April 4, 2024. For further information concerning this sale, contact Keith Magnusson at 906-291-0120 extension n/a.

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

Ship Jumper Hardwoods (42-001-23)
T44N, R11W, SEC. 2; T45N, R11W, SEC. 35.
Luce County (Advertised Price \$49,869.85)

SALE NOTE: Road work is required on this sale. See Sale Spec 4.1.8.

No new roads will be permitted on this sale. See Sale Spec 4.1.12 for details.

Within Payment Unit 1, harvesting is limited to the period of December 1 to April 1 because of low ground and wet soils in the Sale Area.

Within Payment Unit(s) 2-7, harvesting is not permitted during the period of April 15 to July 15 because of bark slippage.

An ORV trail or route is shown on the Timber Sale Map. See Sale Spec 5.2.39 for additional information/restrictions.

Trail 468 is a snowmobile trail and is shown on the Timber Sale Map. See Sale Spec 5.2.41 for additional information/restrictions.

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 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:

PRODUCTS & SPECIES	ESTIMATED UNITS*		<u>ADVI</u>	ERTISED PRICE
Sawtimber				
Red Maple	28.8	MBF	\$	77.00 / MBF
Sugar Maple	80.5	MBF	\$	320.00 / MBF
Pulpwood				
Balsam Fir	126	Cords	\$	11.65 / Cord
Basswood	25	Cords	\$	7.95 / Cord
Black Spruce	61	Cords	\$	7.40 / Cord
Mixed Hardwood	878	Cords	\$	12.30 / Cord
N. White Cedar	39	Cords	\$	4.50 / Cord
Paper Birch	18	Cords	\$	4.15 / Cord
Quaking Aspen	333	Cords	\$	26.20 / Cord

^{*} The total volume is statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 22.47 percent. There are an estimated 1,741 cords on this timber sale, plus or minus 391 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 \$2,493.00 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	26.6%
02	10.1%
03	13.8%
04	13.7%
05	8.8%
06	20.8%
07	6.2%

- 4. If no cutting takes place, the 10% down payment will not be refunded.
- 5. Operations on the contract issued will terminate on 12/31/2027.

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.

VOL	UME		STATISTICAL RA	ANGE IN CORDS
TOTAL CUBIC FEET	TOTAL CORDS	PERCENT ERROR	MINIMUM	MAXIMUM
137,519	1,741	22.47%	1,349	2,132

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.

	VOLUME			RANGE II	N CORDS
VDU	TOTAL CUBIC FEET	TOTAL CORDS	PERCENT ERROR	MINIMUM	MAXIMUM
46	55,752	706	23.34%	541	870
47	27,819	352	39.64%	213	492
61	53,948	683	14.10%	587	779
TOTAL:	137,519	1,741		1,340	2,141

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
46	15.8	1	15.8
47	46.2	2	19.5
		3	26.7
61	92.4	4	25.6
		5	16.4
		6	38.8
		7	11.6
TOTAL:	154.4		154.4

DESCRIPTION OF TIMBER BY PAYMENT UNIT (PU)

PU	MARKET GROUP	PRODUCT	QUANTITY	UNIT	ACRES	ADVERTISE PRICE
1	Red Maple	Sawtimber	16.7	MBF	15.8	\$13,177.30
	Balsam Fir	Pulpwood	104	Cords		
	Black Spruce		61	Cords		
	Mixed Hardwood		136	Cords		
	Black Cherry		13	Cords		
	Red Maple		103	Cords		
	Sugar Maple		20	Cords		
	N. White Cedar		39	Cords		
	Paper Birch		18	Cords		
	Quaking Aspen		317	Cords		
2	Red Maple	Sawtimber	1.5	MBF	19.5	\$5,052.75
	Sugar Maple		10.3	MBF		
	Balsam Fir	Pulpwood	9	Cords		
	Mixed Hardwood		110	Cords		
	Beech		5	Cords		
	Black Cherry		19	Cords		
	Ironwood		8	Cords		
	Red Maple		7	Cords		
	Sugar Maple		, 71	Cords		
	Quaking Aspen		7	Cords		
3		Courtimbor	2.0		26.7	¢€ 005 05
3	Red Maple Sugar Maple	Sawtimber	14.1	MBF MBF	20.7	\$6,885.95
		Dulpurood				
	Balsam Fir	Pulpwood	13	Cords		
	Mixed Hardwood		149	Cords		
	Beech		7	Cords		
	Black Cherry		26	Cords		
	Ironwood		10	Cords		
	Red Maple		9	Cords		
	Sugar Maple		97	Cords		
	Quaking Aspen		9	Cords		
4	Red Maple	Sawtimber	2.4	MBF	25.6	\$6,848.65
	Sugar Maple		15.5	MBF		
	Basswood	Pulpwood	7	Cords		
	Basswood	Sawtimber	1.7	MBF		
	Basswood	Pulpwood	4	Cords		
	Mixed Hardwood		134	Cords		
	Black Cherry	Sawtimber	2.6	MBF		
	Beech	Pulpwood	6	Cords		
	Black Cherry		12	Cords		
	Ironwood		11	Cords		
	Red Maple		19	Cords		
	Sugar Maple		81	Cords		
5	Red Maple	Sawtimber	1.5	MBF	16.4	\$4,405.10
	Sugar Maple		10.0	MBF		, ,
	Basswood	Pulpwood	4	Cords		
	Basswood	Sawtimber	1.1	MBF		
	Basswood	Pulpwood	2	Cords		
	Mixed Hardwood	, а,риооа	86	Cords		
	Black Cherry	Sawtimber	1.7	MBF		
	Black Cherry Beech	Pulpwood	4	Cords		
		г ирмооа		Cords		
	Black Cherry		8			
	Ironwood		7	Cords		
	Red Maple		12	Cords		
	Sugar Maple		52	Cords		
6	Red Maple	Sawtimber	3.6	MBF	38.8	\$10,393.30
	Sugar Maple	İ	23.6	MBF	I	

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

PU	MARKET GROUP	PRODUCT	QUANTITY	UNIT	ACRES	ADVERTISE PRICE
6 con't	Basswood	Pulpwood	10	Cords		
	Basswood	Sawtimber	2.6	MBF		
	Basswood	Pulpwood	5	Cords		
	Mixed Hardwood		202	Cords		
	Black Cherry	Sawtimber	4.0	MBF		
	Beech	Pulpwood	10	Cords		
	Black Cherry		18	Cords		
	Ironwood		15	Cords		
	Red Maple		28	Cords		
	Sugar Maple		123	Cords		
7	Red Maple	Sawtimber	1.1	MBF	11.6	\$3,094.50
	Sugar Maple		7.0	MBF		
	Basswood	Pulpwood	4	Cords		
	Basswood	Sawtimber	0.8	MBF		
	Basswood	Pulpwood	2	Cords		
	Mixed Hardwood		60	Cords		
	Black Cherry	Sawtimber	1.2	MBF		
	Beech	Pulpwood	3	Cords		
	Black Cherry		5	Cords		
	Ironwood		5	Cords		
	Red Maple		8	Cords		
	Sugar Maple		37	Cords		
		TOTAL:	109.3	MBF		
		TOTAL:	1,479	Cords		

Sale Specific Conditions & Requirements

Sale Name: Ship Jumper Hardwoods Sale Number: 42-001-23 Seg#: 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 and yellow 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 unless marked with orange paint. 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

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

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, cut all trees which meet minimum piece specifications in 2.2 Utilization.

2.1.3 - Cut tree marked unit(s) (12/08)

Within Payment Unit(s) 2-7, all trees are designated for cutting when marked with orange paint above and below stump height, regardless of merchantability. In addition, within Payment Units 4-7, cut all aspen and ironwood.

3 - Payments

3.3 - Pre-measured Sales

3.3.4 - Dividing payment units (7/14)

Payment Unit(s) 2-7, 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: if the road leading north from Payment Unit 2 towards County Road 468 is used, the Purchaser shall level and shape a bad section of road directly north of the Payment Unit 2. In addition, the Purchaser shall haul in 20 cubic yards of pit run, then capped with 20 cubic yards of 23A gravel to repair the bad section. Contact the Sale Administrator for specific details.

4.1.12 - No new roads (1/12)

No new roads will be permitted. All operations are limited to existing roads. Skid trails will only be allowed.

4.2 - Maintenance

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.

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

5.2.2 - Hazard Trees/Snags

5.2.2.1 - Den trees (10/16)

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

5.2.3 - Operating Restrictions

5.2.3.1 - Operating restrictions (9/11)

Within Payment Unit(s) 1, unless changed by written agreement, cutting, skidding, and hauling are limited to the period of December 1 to April 1. This restriction is because of low ground and wet soils in the Sale Area.

5.2.3.3 - Bark slippage restriction (3/09)

Within Payment Unit(s) 2-7, unless changed by written agreement, cutting and skidding are not permitted during the period of April 15 to July 15. This restriction is because of bark slippage.

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

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

5.2.39 - ORV trail/route protection (4/18)

An ORV trail or route is shown on the Timber Sale Map. Do not cut trees or damage posts with yellow ORV markers. All stumps within 5 feet of the trail must be cut flush with the ground. Maintain a 20-foot-wide slash, debris, and rut free zone daily using the ORV trail or route as the centerline. Do not run equipment down the ORV trail or route.

5.2.41 - Snowmobile trail protection (9/11)

Trail 468 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 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. 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.

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 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.

5.8 - Protection of Endangered Species

5.8.5 - Protection of raptor nests (3/13)

All trees with raptor nests will be protected if found during harvesting operations. Notification will be made to the Unit Manager or his/her representative who will notify the Wildlife Biologist so an on-site evaluation and recommendation can be made, if necessary.

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 468 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 snowmobile trail 468 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.

6.2.3 - Recreational trail posting (10/20)

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

Section Name: Sale Specific Current as of 3/12/2024 1:05:06PM

A = Aspen

C = Cedar

G = Grass

B = Paper Birch

D = Treed Bog

F = Spruce/Fir

Michigan Department of Natural Resources - Forest Resources Division

TIMBER SALE MAP

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

Mapped By: L. Livermore Cruised By: Newberry Unit Staff Sale Number Date 42-001-23 05/31/2023 Scale Page Of 1:15,840 1 1

Township Range 44N / 45N

Forest Management Unit

Newberry Mgt Unit

Section(s) and Subdivision(s)

J = Jack Pine

K = Rock

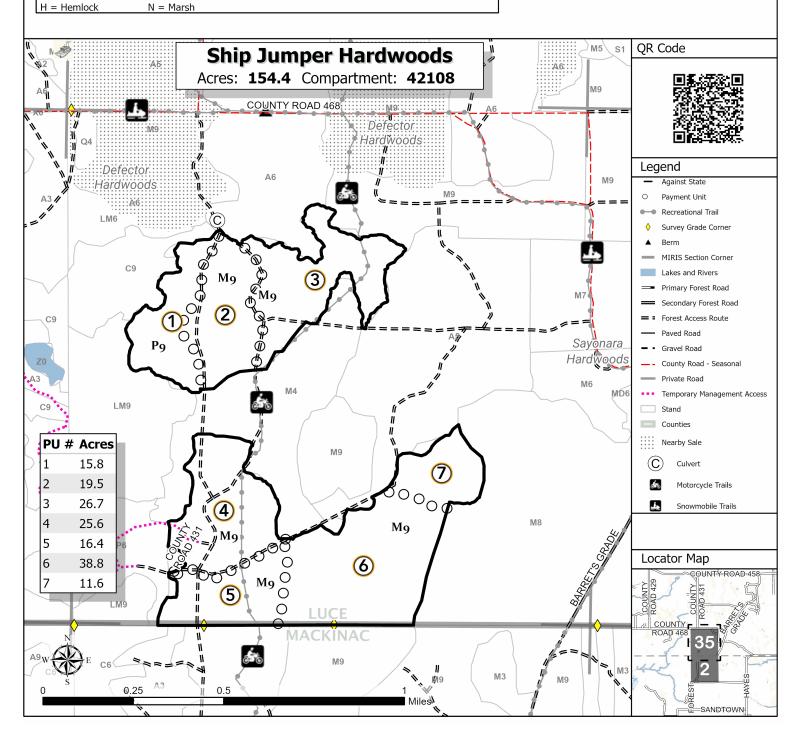
County

Luce

Sec. 2 N1/2NW,NWNE; Sec. 35 NENW,S1/2NW,W1/2NE,SW,SE;

Cover Type O = OakU = Upland Brush P = Lowland Poplar UM = Upland Mix Forest L = Lowland Brush Q = Mixed Swamp Conifer V = Bog or MarshLM = Lowland Mix Forest R = Red PineW = White Pine E = Swamp Hardwoods M = Maple, Beech, Birch S = Black Spruce X = Non Stocked MC = Mixed Conifer T = TamarackY = SandMD = Mixed Deciduous Z = Water

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



BID FORM

NEWBERRY MANAGEMENT UNIT **NEWBERRY OFFICE**

Ship Jumper Hardwoods (42-001-23) T44N, R11W, SEC. 2; T45N, R11W, SEC. 35; Luce COUNTY

In response to the notice of sale to be held 3:00 p.m. (local time) on April 4, 2024, 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 VOLUME*	<u>A</u> E	OVERTISED PRICE	BID PRICE/UNIT
Sawtimber				
Red Maple	28.8 MBF	\$	77.00/MBF	\$
Sugar Maple	80.5 MBF	\$	320.00/MBF	\$
Pulpwood				
Balsam Fir	126 Cords	\$	11.65/Cord	\$
Basswood	25 Cords	\$	7.95/Cord	\$
Black Spruce	61 Cords	\$	7.40/Cord	\$
Mixed Hardwood	878 Cords	\$	12.30/Cord	\$
N. White Cedar	39 Cords	\$	4.50/Cord	\$
Paper Birch	18 Cords	\$	4.15/Cord	\$
Quaking Aspen	333 Cords	\$	26.20/Cord	\$

*The volumes are statistically estimated within plus (+) or minus (-) 22.47 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.

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: 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.						
ndividual or company representative's signature: Date:						
Phone nu	hone number · Fmail (ontional)·					

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



Michigan Department of Natural Resources Forest Resources Division

TIMBER SALE **VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY** COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE

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

As required by Act 317, P.A. 1969 (Worker's Compensation) and Part 5 of Act 451 of 1994, as amended.

VERIFICATION OF WORKER'S DISABILITY COMPENSATION ACT COMPLIANCE

- 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 twenty-one (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.						
Ple	lease Check Appropriate Categories:						
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.	. You must check <u>one</u> of the boxes below:						
	A. I certify my business is a sole proprietorship and it has a Worker's Compensation Laws.	no employees but the sole proprietor. I am not subject to the					
	B. I certify my business has satisfied its o bligation to the V	Worker's Compensation Act through the use of an approved Notice of of the Notice of Exclusion within 21 days of the contract award. (For /orker's Compensation Bureau at 517-322-1195).					
	C. I certify my business has a Worker's Compensation Polone (21) days of the contract award.	licy. I will provide an original Certificate of Insurance within twenty-					
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 Employees					
Nam	ame of Business	Federal ID (or) Social Security No.					
Add	Idress	Telephone ()					
City	ty State	ZIP					
in fa _	factors affecting my coverage during any of my present ar	tt. I agree to notify the Michigan DNR of any changes that occur nd future operations.					
S	Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative						
T	Title	Date					

Please complete the "SEALED BID" information on the next page

PR 4031-5 (Rev. 10/30/2012)