

Compartment Review Presentation

Gaylord Forest Management Unit

Compartment 52026 Entry Year 2020 Acreage: 1,877

County Otsego

Management Area: AuSable Outwash

Revision Date: 2018-02-28

Stand Examiner: Hilary Wells

Legal Description:

T30n, R2W, Sections 28, 29, 30, 31, and 32.

Identified Planning Goals:

To provide for the protection, integrated management, and responsible use of a healthy productive and undiminished forest resource base for the social, recreational, and environmental, and economic benefit of the State of Michigan.

Soil and topography:

The major soil type is Rubicon-Grayling sand with a small area of Roselawn-Rubicon sand in section 28.

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

All sections are make up this compartment have parcels of private ownership. There are many gas wells, gas facilities, and pipelines as well.

Unique Natural Features:

The headwaters of Turtle Creek are in sections 28 and 29.

Archeological, Historical, and Cultural Features:

None known.

Special Management Designations or Considerations:

None known.

Watershed and Fisheries Considerations:

Turtle Lake and Ranger Lake lie just outside of the state ownership in this compartment, but both have streams flowing into them from state land.

Wildlife Habitat Considerations:

This compartment contains mostly upland, with minor lowland components. The lowland area is used by bear, deer, and snowshoe hares. There is a considerable amount of hunting pressure from both upland game hunters and deer hunters throughout this compartment. Aspen and the grassy openings have been actively managed in the past to further promote wildlife habitat.

Mineral Resource and Development Concerns and/or Restrictions

Several active sand & gravel operations are located to the north, and there may be some potential within the compartment. The compartment has been developed for Antrim Shale gas production and is also located in the Niagaran reef trend. All State lands are leased and in production. There may be potential for additional reef reservoirs beneath the compartment.

Vehicle Access:

Ranger Lake Rd cuts through the middle of this compartment and Turtle Lake Rd is the most eastern boundary. Many county seasonal roads and state forest roads crisscross the compartment for easy access.

Survey Needs:

None known.

Recreational Facilities and Opportunities:

The North Branch Snowmobile/ORV trail cuts through the sections 28, 29, and 30.

Fire Protection:

Stands within this compartment have been burned for opening maintenance in the past. In recent years a few small fires have been started on private property neighboring the state land.

Additional Compartment Information:

The following reports from the Inventory are attached:

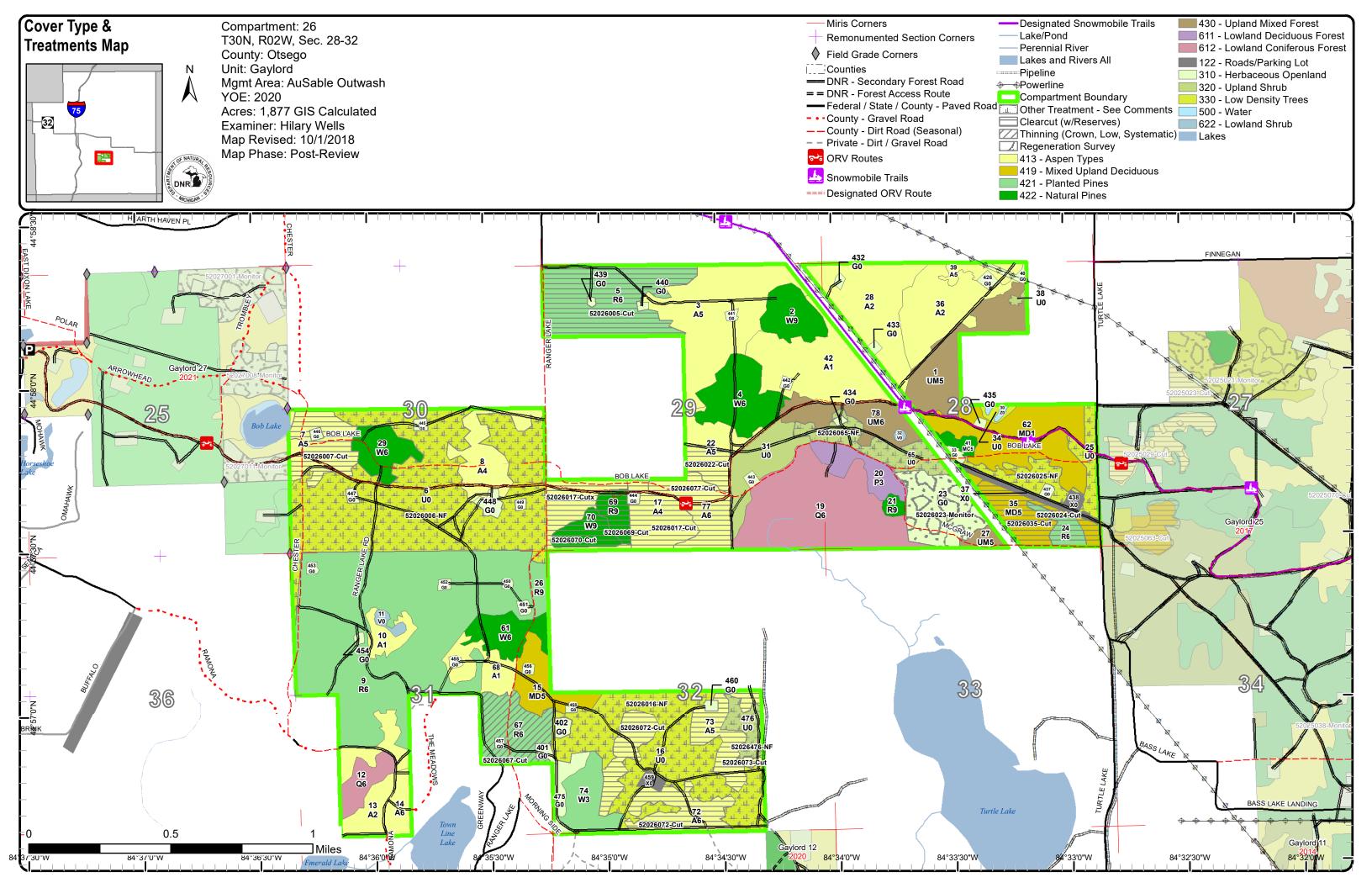
Total Acres by Cover Type and Age Class Cover Type by Harvest Method Proposed Treatments - No Limiting Factors Proposed Treatments – With Limiting Factors Stand Details (Forested and Nonforested) Dedicated and Proposed Special Conservation Areas Site Condition Details

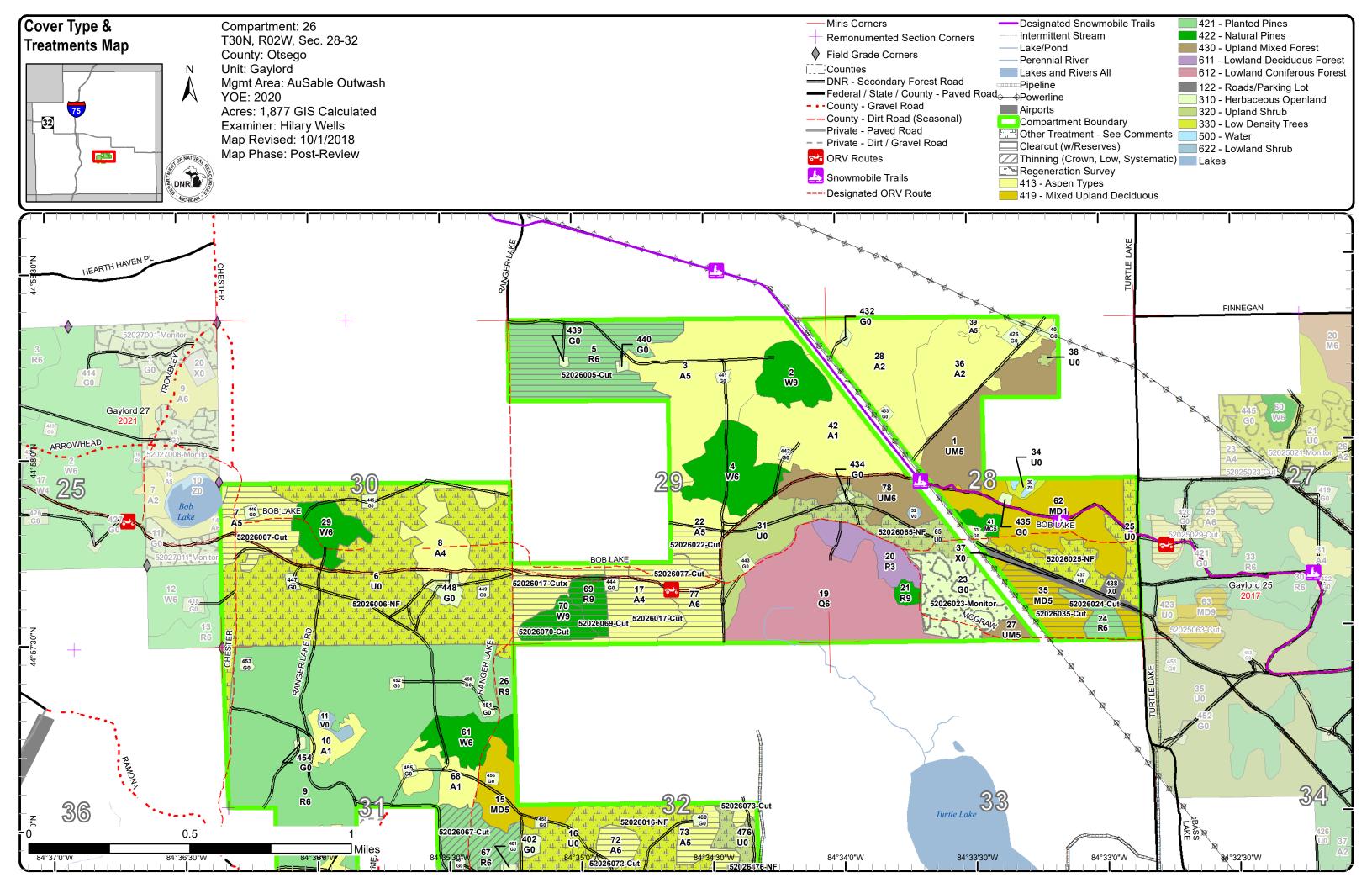
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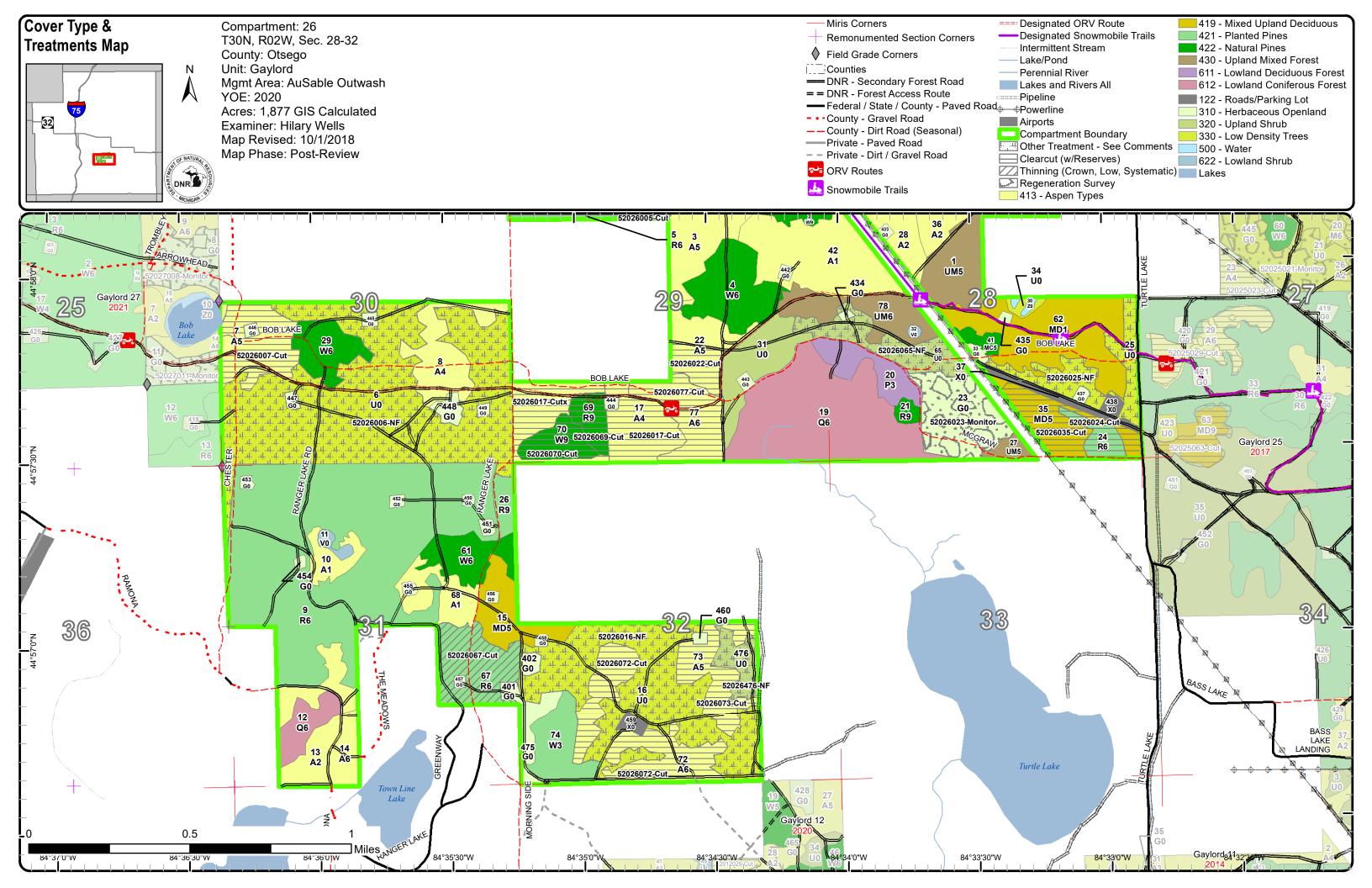
Base feature information, stand boundaries, cover types, and numbers **Proposed treatments**

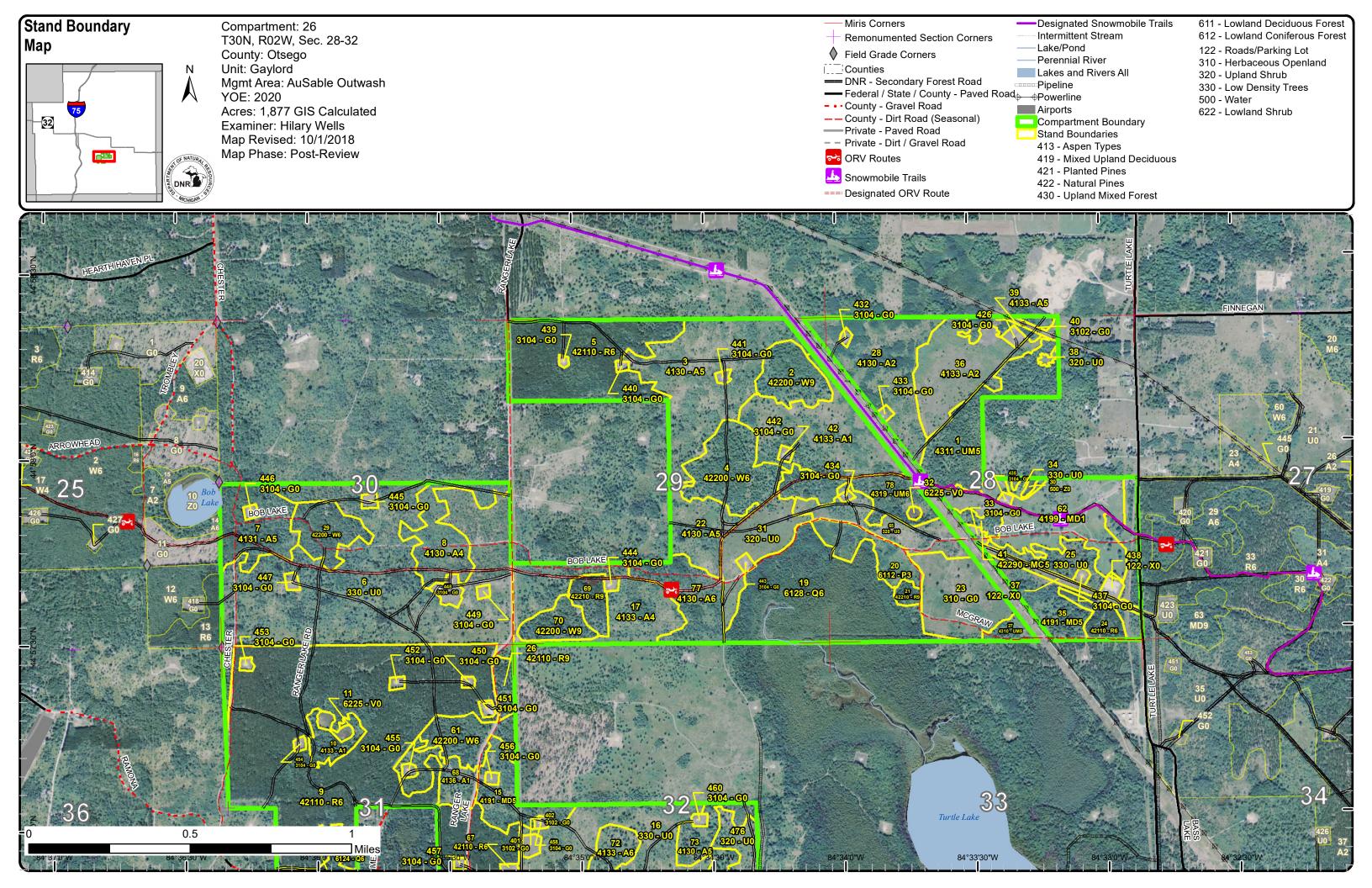
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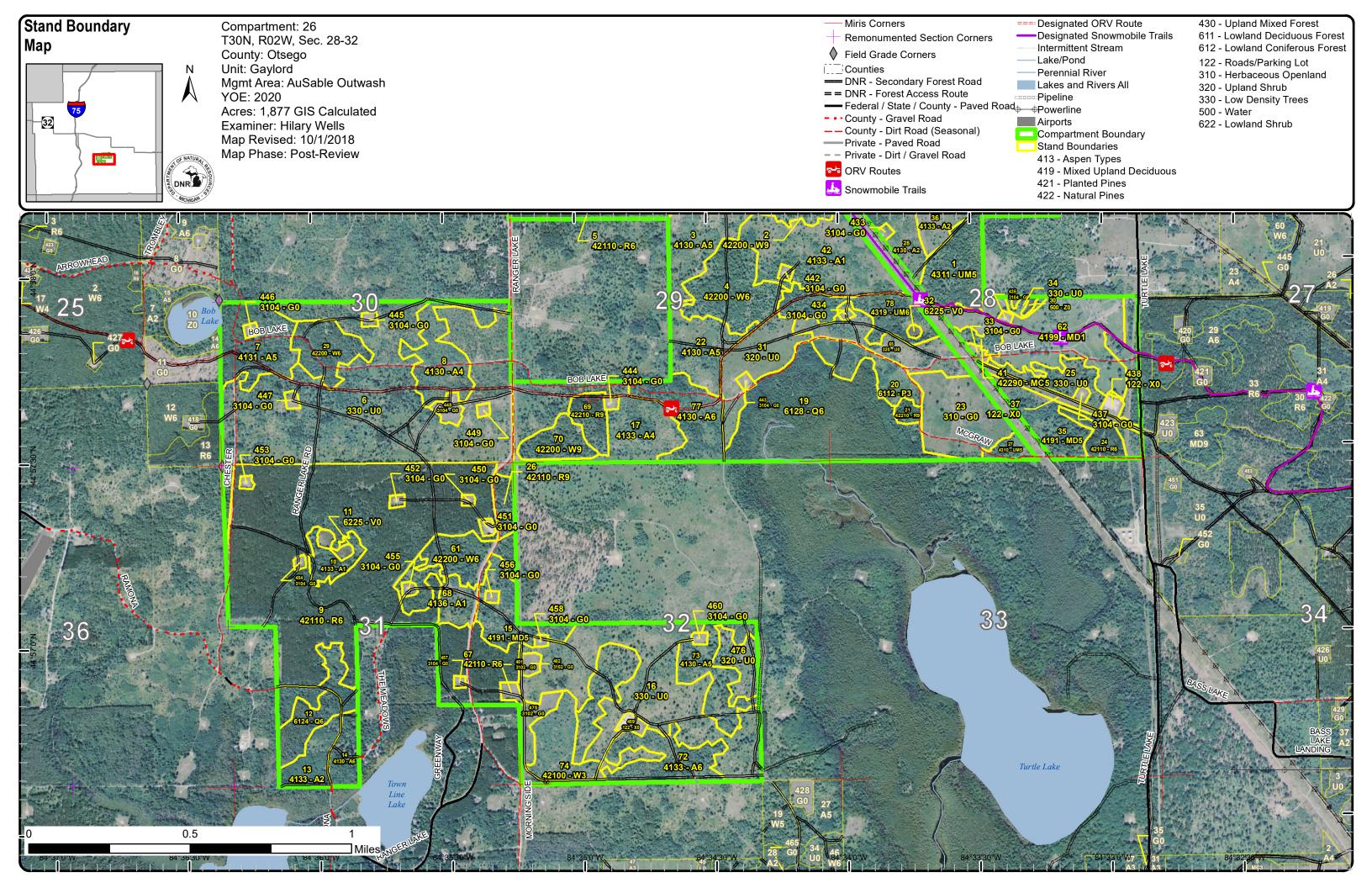
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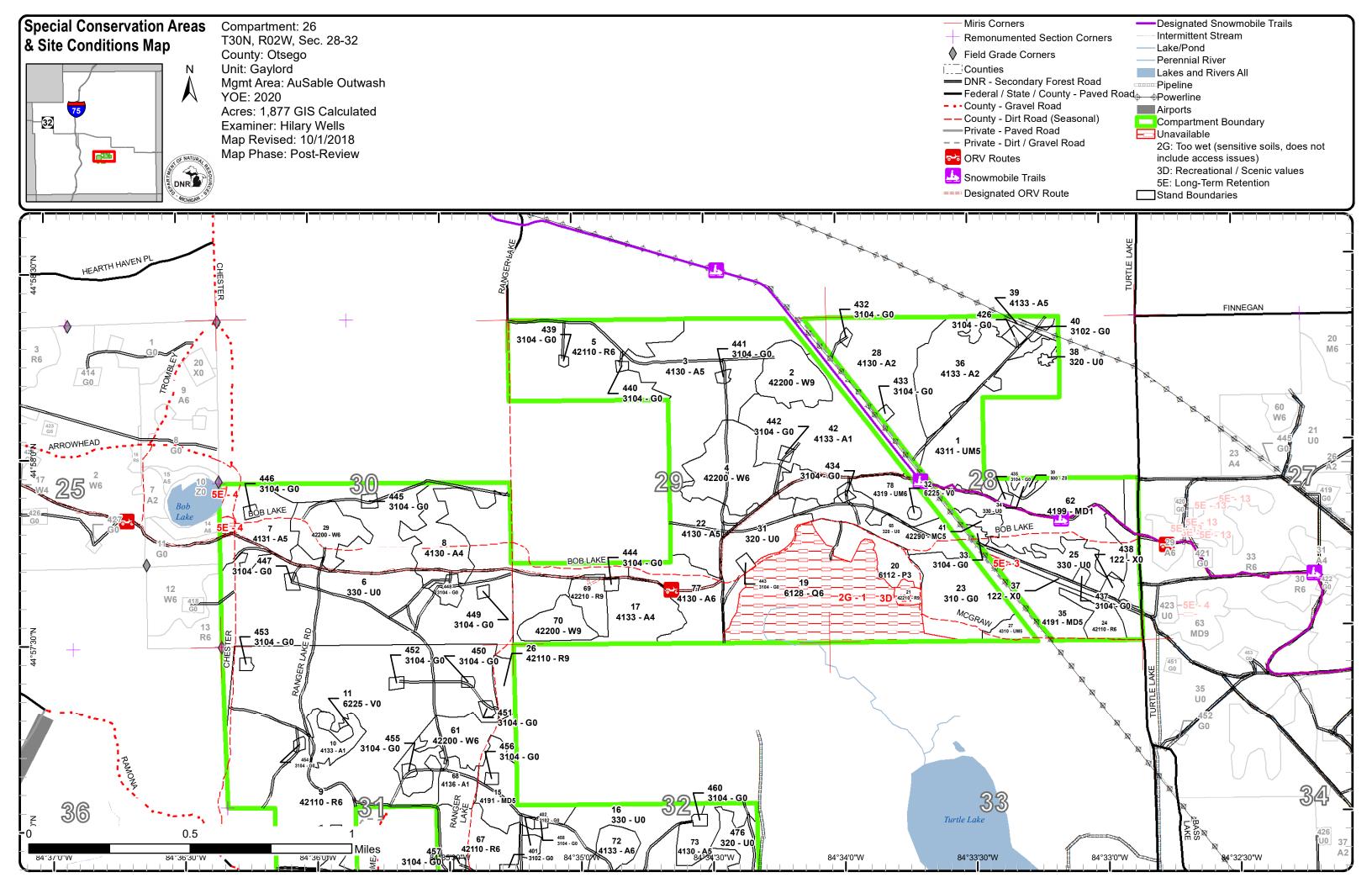


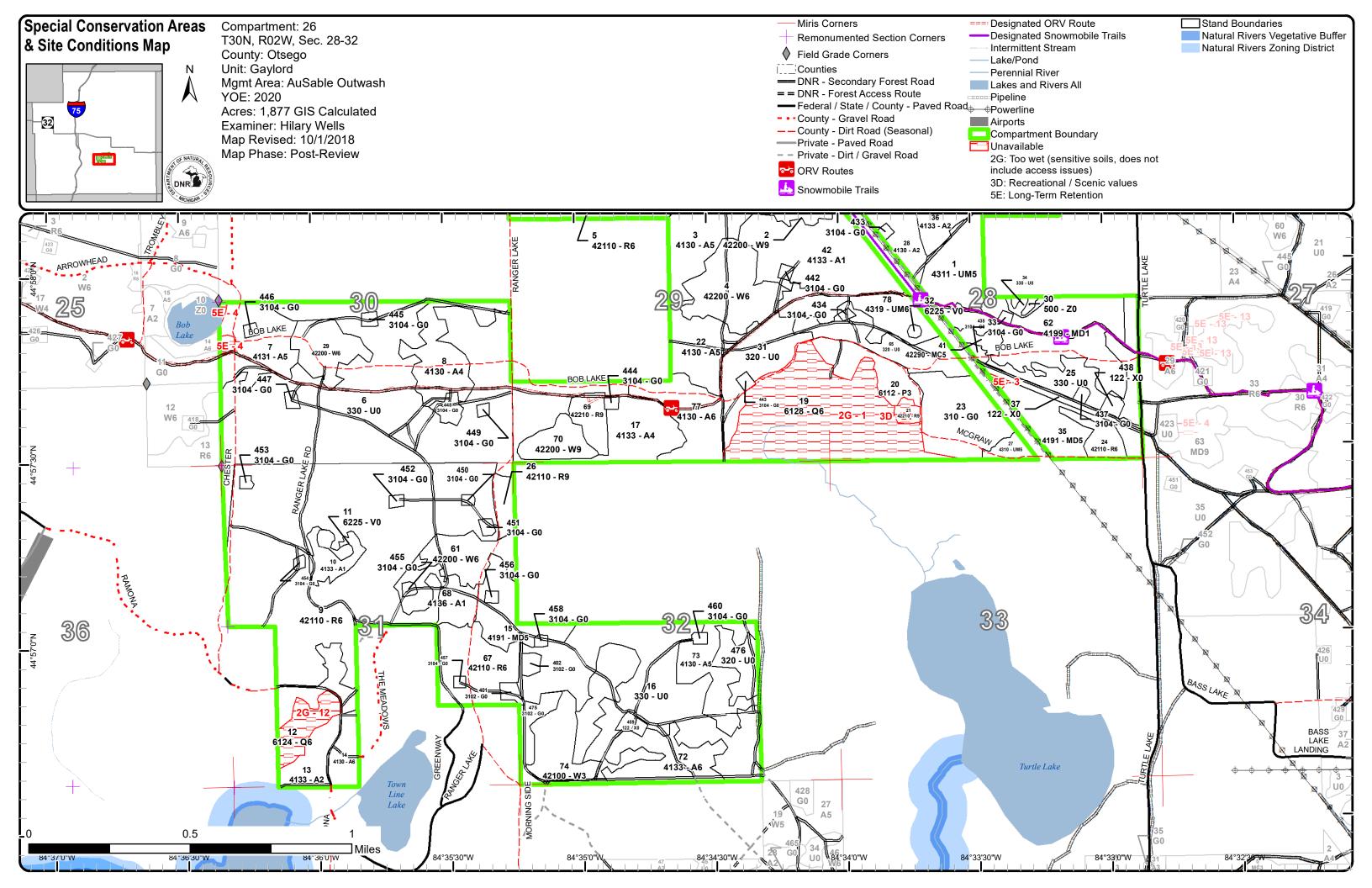












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Age Class

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Bog	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Herbaceous Openland	89	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	89
Low-Density Trees	339	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	339
Lowland Aspen/Balsam Poplar	0	0	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19
Lowland Conifers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	95	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	109
Mixed Upland Deciduous	0	61	0	0	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	26	109
Natural Mixed Pines	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Red Pine	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	342	0	10	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	362
Upland Mixed Forest	0	0	0	6	0	27	44	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	77
Upland Shrub	67	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	67
Urban	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12
Water	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
White Pine	0	0	22	0	0	0	35	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	55	132
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Report 2 – Treatment Summary

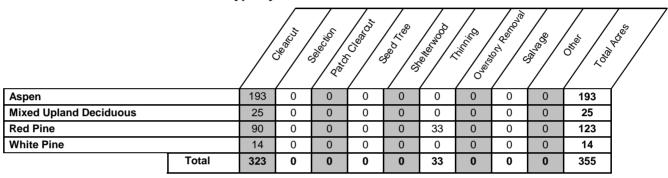
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Acres of Harvest

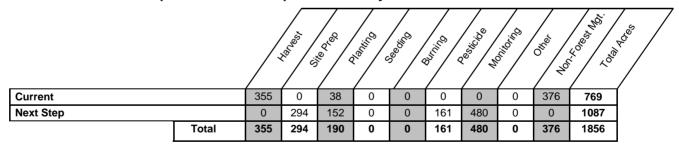
Compartment 26
Total Compartment Acres: 1,877

Commercial Harvest - 355
Harvests with Site Condition - 0
Next Step Harvest - 0
Habitat Cut - 0

Cover Type by Harvest Method



Proposed and Next Step Treatments by Method



Monitoring, Natural Regen (Re-Inventory) Next Step

Treatments:

Acceptable A mixture of aspen and oak, with minor components of northern hardwoods species and pine.

Regen:

Retention has already been desginated so no further retention is needed. Other

Comment:

Proposed Start Date: 10/1 /2019

52026016-NF 330 - Low-Density 320 - Upland Draft Field 104.6 Nonstocked 59 Unspec NonForestMgt Other - Specify Trees

ified

Shrub

Boundary

Habitat Cut: No Site Condition:

Prescription Mow, plant, burn, brush, or herbicide to maintain opening. Plant hard and/or soft mast.

Specs:

Next Step **Treatments:**

<u>Acceptable</u>

Regen:

Other

Comment:

Habitat Cut: No

Next Step

Acceptable A moderately stocked stand of aspen with minor components of red maple, oak, cherry, and pine. Regen:

Other Comment:

Proposed Start Date: 10/1 /2019

52026023-37.5 310 - Herbaceous 4211 - Planted 23 Nonstocked Unspec **Planting** Even-Aged Field Boundary Replant **Plant** Openland ified Red Pine

Habitat Cut: No Site Condition:

Prescription Replant red pine.

Specs:

Monitoring, Artificial Regen(1yr) Next Step

Treatments:

Acceptable Red pine stand that meets stocking requirements.

Regen: Other

Comment:

Acceptable A fully stocked red pine stand with scattered planted hard and soft mast species.

Regen:

Other Use recreational trail specs to protect trail.

Treatments: Artificial Regen(1yr); Monitoring, Artificial Regen(3yr)

Comment:

10/1 /2019 **Proposed Start Date:**

52026025-NF 28.2 330 - Low-Density Nonstocked 59 Unspec NonForestMgt Other - Specify 320 - Upland Draft Field **Trees** ified Shrub Boundary

Habitat Cut: No Site Condition:

Prescription Mow, plant, burn, brush, or herbicide to maintain opening. Plant hard and/or soft mast.

Specs:

Next Step **Treatments:**

Acceptable

Regen:

Other

Comment:

10/1 /2019 **Proposed Start Date:**

52026035-Cut 25.4 4191 - Mixed Poletimber 41 51-80 Harvest Clearcut with 4211 - Planted Even-Aged Draft Field **Upland Deciduous** Medium Retention Red Pine Boundary

with Conifer

Habitat Cut: No Site Condition:

Prescription Clearcut. Use minimum retention and speak with TMS on placement to facilitate with follow up cultivation work. Leave all oak. Ensure mast Specs:

producing species are also incorparated into replanting.

SitePrep, Roller Chopping; SitePrep, Trenching; Planting, Initial Plant; Pesticide, Aerial; Monitoring, Artificial Regen(1yr); Monitoring, Next Step

Treatments: Artificial Regen(3yr)

Acceptable Planted red pine that meet minimum stocking objectives with a component of mast producing species.

Regen:

Use recreational trail specs to protect trail. Other

Comment:

Proposed Start Date: 10/1 /2019

52026065-NF 26.1 320 - Upland Shrub Nonstocked 59 320 - Upland Draft Field Unspec NonForestMgt Other - Specify ified

Shrub

Boundary

Habitat Cut: No Site Condition:

Prescription Mow, plant, burn, brush, or herbicide to maintain opening. Plant hard and/or soft mast.

Specs:

Next Step

Treatments:

<u>Acceptable</u>

Regen:

Other Comment:

Specs:

Comment:

Proposed Start Date: 10/1 /2019

52026072-Cut 4133 - Aspen, Poletimber 51-80 Clearcut with Draft Field 47 1 46 Harvest 413 - Aspen Even-Aged Mixed Pine Well Retention Boundary

Habitat Cut: No Site Condition:

Prescription Clearcut. Leave minimum retention.

Specs:

Next Step Monitoring, Natural Regen (Re-Inventory)

Treatments:

Acceptable A mix of aspen with components of pine, maple, and oak to meet minimum stocking objectives.

Regen:

Other

Comment:

Gaylord Mgt. Unit Report 3 -- Treatments Compartment: 26 s Year of Entry: 2020 t а **Treatment** Acres Stand Size Stand BA **Treatment Treatment Cover Type** Approval Age n Method Objective Structure Status Name CoverType **Density** Age Range Type d Clearcut with 413 - Aspen Draft Field 73 52026073-Cut 25.5 4130 - Aspen Poletimber 47 51-80 Harvest Even-Aged Medium Retention Boundary **Habitat Cut: No Site Condition:** Prescription Clearcut with 72. Leave minimum retention. Specs: Next Step Monitoring, Natural Regen (Re-Inventory) Treatments: Acceptable A mix of aspen with components of pine, oak, and maple to meet minimum stocking requirements. Regen: Other Comment: **Proposed Start Date:** 10/1 /2019 77 52026077-Cut 4130 - Aspen 81-110 Draft Field 28.8 Poletimber 46 Harvest Clearcut with 413 - Aspen Even-Aged Well Retention Boundary **Habitat Cut: No Site Condition:** Prescription Clearcut with adjacent prescriptions to the west. Use minimum retention and focus it along the ORV trail. Specs: Next Step Monitoring, Natural Regen (Re-Inventory) **Treatments:** Acceptable Aspen with components of pine, red maple, oak, and cherry. Regen: Other Add trail protection specs. Comment: 10/1 /2019 **Proposed Start Date:** 476 52026476-NF 12.7 320 - Upland Shrub Nonstocked Unspec NonForestMgt Other - Specify 320 - Upland Draft Field

ified

Shrub

Habitat Cut: No

Site Condition:

Prescription Mow, plant, burn, brush, or herbicide to maintain opening. Plant hard and/or soft mast.

Specs:

Next Step

Treatments:

Acceptable

Regen:

<u>Other</u>

Comment:

Proposed Start Date: 10/1 /2019

Total Treatment Acreage Proposed:

768.7

Boundary

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Availability for Management

Total Acres Available With Condition Not Available

Acres Available With Condition Not Available

2G 3D 5E

Acres	Available	With Condition	Not Available		2G	3D	5E
550	547	0	2	Aspen			2
4	4	0	0	Bog			
89	89	0	0	Herbaceous Openland			
339	339	0	0	Low-Density Trees			
19	19	0	0	Lowland Aspen/Balsam Poplar			
109	0	0	109	Lowland Conifers	109		
109	109	0	1	Mixed Upland Deciduous			1
5	5	0	0	Natural Mixed Pines			
363	360	0	3	Red Pine		3	
77	77	0	0	Upland Mixed Forest			
67	67	0	0	Upland Shrub			
12	12	0	0	Urban			
1	1	0	0	Water			
133	133	0	0	White Pine			
1,877	1,761		116	Total Forested Acres	109	3	3
-	94%		6%	Relative Percent			

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

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Report 4 – Site Conditions

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4	Unavailable	5E: Long-Term Retention	2	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
(Comments:						
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12	Unavailable	2G: Too wet (sensitive soils, does not include access issues)	14	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
C	Comments:						
21	Unavailable	3D: Recreational / Scenic values	3	3L: Other wildlife concerns	4A: No Markets Available for these Forest Products	Unspecified	Unspecified
C	Comments:						

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Compartment: #Type! Year of Entry:



Report 5 - PROPOSED SPECIAL CONSERVATION AREA* (SCA) DETAILS

* This is a partial list of SCAs for this compartment. Not included are those areas identified under other Department initiatives (Natural Rivers, Deer Wintering Areas, etc.). Those will be identified in separate, future map and report products.

SCA Name	SCA Category	Detail Type	Recommendation	Acres
Comments				

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Report 6 – EXISTING SPECIAL CONSERVATION AREA DETAILS

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

Conservation Area	Туре	Description	HCVA = Ecological Reference Area HCVA = High Conservation Value Area SCA = Special Conservation Area
HCVA N	Natural Rivers	approved distance from the river centerlines. Th most Natural Rivers. The Vegetative Buffer rang	derived from spatial buffers set from an established and the Natural Rivers Zoning District is a 400 foot buffer for the gest from 25 to 100 feet. To view specific Zoning Districts the table located on the I:\Documentation\GDSE data

S t	Gaylord	d Mgt. Unit		Report 7	– Forested	Stands Compartment: 26 Year of Entry: 2020
a n d	Level 4 Cover Type	Size Density	Acres	Stand Age	BA Range	General Comments:
1	4311 - Pine, Aspen Mix	Poletimber Medium	44.0	51	51-80	OPIC - FMD: Transitioning from upland brush. Low quality trees with all species poorly formed. In east half, most aspen seems to fall out as poles. Some areas of grass and upland brush. 2017-Scattered supercanopy RP in a WP dominated stand. The deciduous species present are all clumpy and low quality. WP is branchy with split tops.
2	42200 - Natural White Pine	Sawtimber Well	21.0	61	81-110	Very similar to stand 4. WP of all size classes present. Aspen also in the subcanopy. WP logs are decent, but most are pretty branchy.
3	4130 - Aspen	Poletimber Medium	78.9	38	51-80	OPIC - FMD: COMMERCIAL HARVEST 1980. 1998 comment: this stand is a mosaic of A3, A4 and U types. A3 is most common. A few solo pine logs scattered in it. 2017-Scattered pine logs. Opening filling in with aspen. Some areas in the stand still pretty open with some upland brush. Low quality.
4	42200 - Natural White Pine	Poletimber Well	35.5	61	51-80	Similar to stand 2. Every size class of WP is present. WP is of very poor form and branchy.
5	42110 - Planted Red Pine	Poletimber Well	71.3	66	141-170	OPIC - FMD: 1998 comment: Occasional white pine logs. Aspen throughout. Red pine locally dense, but not enough to justify a sale yet. After another 10 years, it may be ready to row thin and species thin. Keep white pine protected for a pine mix in the long run. 2017-Rows weave and may be hard to follow. Quite a bit of porcupine damage.
7	4131 - Aspen, Oak	Poletimber Medium	32.2	47	51-80	OPIC - FMD: Previous comment: TREE CUTTER SITE 1960. 1998 comment: Good natural white pine regeneration in a few places, highly localized. Occasional mature clones in a sea of A4-5. 2008: Aspen of various ages. Occasional white pine regeneration and oak logs. It was agreed at compartment review that this stand could be cut with the adjacent aspen stand in Compartment 27 (if and when it is prescribed), because it does not, in and of itself, have volume adequate to make a viable sale. 2017-was not cut with stand in adjacent compartment. Scattered XL oak and WP. Decent quality aspen with pocket mortality in the QA. Pockets of pine.
8	4130 - Aspen	Poletimber Poor	29.2	33	1-50	OPIC - FMD: Previous comment: TREE CUTTER SITE 1960. 1998 comment: Good natural white pine regeneration in a few places, highly localized. Occasional mature clones in a sea of A4-5. 2008: Aspen of various ages. Occasional shite pine regeneration and oak logs. 2017-Aspen is low quality and covered in cankers. All size classes and various ages of aspen are present.
9	42110 - Planted Red Pine	Poletimber Well	229.3	62	111-140	OPIC - FMD: Row thin pine and species thin aspen. A possible candidate for FDF. STAND HARVESTED AND COMPLETED 10/2002. 2017-hold until next YOE, then thin again. Pocket of younger WP in the center of the stand.
10	4133 - Aspen, Mixed Pine	Sapling Poor	10.1	26	Immature	Young stand of aspen clones with scattered pine logs on the edge of a small lowland.

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a n d	Level 4 Cover Type	Size Density	Acres	Stand Age	BA Range	General Comments:
12	6124 - Lowland Spruce- Fir	Poletimber Well	14.1	63	51-80	OPIC - FMD: 2008: Variable terrain and erratic stocking/species composition. Includes small bogs of labrador tea and some upland pine, including an acre or so of small white pine logs in the northeast corner. 2017-4-5 different boggy areas with alder and leather leaf. Stocking is variable. Small pocket of upland WP surrounded by lowland.
13	4133 - Aspen, Mixed Pine	Sapling Medium	29.3	27	Immature	OPIC - FMD: 2008: Scattered residual conifers. 2017-Cut in 1992. Thick aspen regeneration. Scattered large conifers.
14	4130 - Aspen	Poletimber Well	11.4	39	81-110	OPIC - FMD: 2008: Larger aspen is often conked already. Aspen is overmature but this is a small acreage which would be further reduced by applying BMP to southeast corner at the lake. 2017-Same species composition as stand 13, but aspen is a bit more mature and falling out.
15	4191 - Mixed Upland Deciduous with Conifer	Poletimber Medium	22.5	38	1-50	OPIC - FMD: 1998 comment: This stand is a mosaic of A3 with patches of U type and sprinkled with pine poles and logs, soft maple poles, white birch poles and aspen poles. 2017-Scattered pockets of pine logs. Mostly a mosaic of A and U types. Filling in with quite a few WP saplings.
17	4133 - Aspen, Mixed Pine	Poletimber Poor	49.9	48	51-80	OPIC - FMD: Previous comment: RESIDUAL CUT 1980 GOOD REGENERATION. 1998 comment: A mosaic predominated by A4-5 with U, W1, W4, & W7. Occasional big oaks should be preserved. A few clones of A6-8 lack enough volume for a sale and are nursing young red and white pine.2017-A few pockets of mature pine within stand. Stocking and quality of aspen in pretty variable.
19	6128 - Lowland Coniferous, Mixed Deciduous	Poletimber Well	95.3	79	81-110	OPIC - FMD: 1998 Comment: Headwaters of Turtle Creek. Beaver pond present. Edge of stand appears dry enough to be workable when timber becomes marketable. 2008: Some mortality, probably beaver activity. 2017-operable portions of stand have been cherry-picked and remainder is pretty wet.
20	6112 - Lowland Aspen	Sapling Well	18.6	16	Immature	OPIC - FMD: 1998 comment: This stand now includes old Stand 22. Do not cut the narrow strip between Stands 19 and 21. 2008: Recently cut in 2002. Fair regeneration. 2017-Very thick aspen clones. Used to be part of the adjacent lowland stand.
21	42210 - Natural Red Pine	Sawtimber Well	3.4	91	111-140	OPIC - FMD: 1998 comment: Large relic red pine; nice timber but somewhat limby and erratically stocked with patches of white birch. No need of release. Allow it to act as a seed source for nearby U type. Should be maintained as a no cut stand. 2017-Pocket of legacy sized red pine. Maintain for scenic values.
22	4130 - Aspen	Poletimber Medium	25.2	43	1-50	OPIC - FMD: TREE CUTTER SITE 1960 ASPEN POOR QUALITY (PREVIOUS COMMENT). 1998 comment: Split out of Stand 4. 2008: Scattered clones of A6 and patches of U, A2 and A3.2017-Very similar to stand 77, but a little more open and QA isn't great quality.

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a n d	Level 4 Cover Type	Size Density	Acres	Stand Age	BA Range	General Comments:
24	42110 - Planted Red Pine	Poletimber Well	8.8	63	201+	OPIC - FMD: 1998 comment: The stand contains two clones of A5 ready to harvest and some of the defective red pine could be marked out but the pine is not generally suppressed and harvestable volume is low. Let it mature and act as a seed source for surrounding U type. 2017-small pocket of A4 in the middle of the plantation. Never managed so not the best quality. Mostly poor form trees with porcupine damage.
26	42110 - Planted Red Pine	Sawtimber Well	7.2	59	81-110	Lower BA than RP stand across the street.
27	4310 - Pine, Oak Mix	Poletimber Medium	5.5	26	51-80	Some red maple and some aspen clones. 2008: Old U type with a couple acres of aspen/oak/red maple on the south end. Poor quality. Save oak, but no other retention. Treat with Stand 23. Then replant to red pine with acorns. No herbicide. Roller chopped 8/16/2016. Trenched 8/31/2016. Site to be replanted in spring 2017 2017-This stand was left out of the surrounding treatment. Scattered pine and oak logs, but the majority is still immature. Canopy and subcanopy contain the same species just in different size classes.
28	4130 - Aspen	Sapling Medium	54.9	26	Immature	OPIC - FMD: 1998 comment: Now contains old stands 2 and 30. 2008: Patchwork of A3, U and some G. 2017-Patchwork of A3-4 with upland brush. Scattered WP and Oak.
29	42200 - Natural White Pine	Poletimber Well	19.8	51	81-110	OPIC - FMD: 2008: Aspen is poor quality and best left to shade the white pine which appears to be the better species on this site. White pine regeneration is coming up through the aspen nicely and is unevenaged 2017-Every class of white pine and aspen present. Almost all the WP has porcupine or weevil damage.
35	4191 - Mixed Upland Deciduous with Conifer	Poletimber Medium	26.4	41	51-80	OPIC - FMD: 1998 comment: In transition to M type with lots of open grown clumps of red maple and some aspen clones. 2017-Pockets of red maple, oak, and aspen clones. Significant oak regeneration. Large scattered oak. Old retention pocket of red pine logs in the NW corner of the stand.
36	4133 - Aspen, Mixed Pine	Sapling Medium	44.2	21	Immature	OPIC - FMD: 1998 comment: Now contains old stands 2 and 30. 2008: Patchwork of A3, U and some G. 2017-Thick pockets of aspen clones. RM and Oak stump sprouts. Couldn't find any record of harvest, but appeared to have been harvested in the last couple decades if not sooner.
39	4133 - Aspen, Mixed Pine	Poletimber Medium	7.6	37	1-50	OPIC - FMD: 1998 comment: Now contains old stands 2 and 30. 2008: Patchwork of A3, U and some G. 2017-Young aspen clones. Low quality. Parent stand of adjacent younger aspen.
41	42290 - Natural Mixed Pine	Poletimber Medium	4.5	41	51-80	Pocket of open grown, low quality pine.
42	4133 - Aspen, Mixed Pine	Sapling Poor	57.0	18	Immature	Cut in 2001. Some areas of thick WP regen.

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a n d	Level 4 Cover Type	Size Density	Acres	Stand Age	BA Range	General Comments:
61	42200 - Natural White Pine	Poletimber Well	21.0	56	81-110	OPIC - FMD: 2008: Limby, often with poor form. 2017-No rows or evidence of furrows so assumed to be a natural stand. Very limby and not much volume. A few scattered WP logs.
62	4199 - Other Mixed Upland Deciduous	Sapling Poor	60.6	6	Immature	OPIC - FMD: Low quality trees. Largely paper birch at east end. Pothole along north edge. Some U type present. Appears to be a former U type that has converted to woodland. AGREED TO CUT WITH 2010 POW. WILDLIFE REQUEST TO LEAVE OAK AND CUT ALL PINE. 2012 comment: Final harvested in 2012. 2017-Thick aspen clones. Good oak regeneration from stump sprouts. Trace jack pine.
67	42110 - Planted Red Pine	Poletimber Well	32.8	62	201+	OPIC - FMD: 1998: Row thin pine and species thin aspen. A possible candidate for FDF. STAND HARVESTED AND COMPLETED 10/2002. 2008: Stands 66 & 67 are the same plantation, split by Ranger Lake Road. Aspen and red maple removed in 2002. 2017-Rows are hard to define, but trees are good quality.
68	4136 - Aspen, Mixed Conifer	Sapling Poor	18.3	16	Immature	OPIC - FMD: Recovering U type. Scattered conifers. Variable stocking. 2017-Scattered oak logs. Higher BA south of stand 455.
69	42210 - Natural Red Pine	Sawtimber Well	10.4	81	171-200	No records of planting or past management of this stand. ORV/Snowmobile trails cut across the northern portion of the stand. Some very nice logs.
70	42200 - Natural White Pine	Sawtimber Well	13.5	56	81-110	OPIC - FMD: OI Stand Year Origin was 1960. Scattered XL WP, but most are falling out of stand or declining. A lot of porcupine damage. WP of all size classes present in the stand.
72	4133 - Aspen, Mixed Pine	Poletimber Well	47.1	46	51-80	OPIC - FMD: 2008: This half section was sampled and then broken into stands; as a result, table is the same for stands 63, 72 and 73. Low quality trees. Heavy to red maple in places. Highly variable as trees encroach into the U type. 2017-Pine is a little thicker/more mature is southern part of stand. Hardwoods are low quality. Pine is branchy.
73	4130 - Aspen	Poletimber Medium	25.5	47	51-80	OPIC - FMD: 2008: This half section was sampled and then broken into stands; as a result, table is the same for stands 63, 72 and 73. Low quality trees. Heavy to red maple in places. Highly variable as trees encroach into the U type. 2017-Low quality and poor stocking.
74	42100 - Planted White Pine	Sapling Well	21.8	18	Immature	OPIC - FMD: 2008: Planted to white pine last time around. Looks good. 2017-Looking very healthy. Very thick so no real understory.
77	4130 - Aspen	Poletimber Well	28.8	46	81-110	OPIC - FMD: TREE CUTTER SITE 1960 ASPEN POOR QUALITY (PREVIOUS COMMENT). 1998 comment: Split out of Stand 4. 2008: Scattered clones of A6 and patches of U, A2 and A3. 2017-Higher volume and better quality than adjacent aspen stands. Red maple and oak tend to be pretty clumpy. A few open areas within the stand.

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a n d	Level 4 Cover Type	Size Density	Acres	Stand Age	BA Range	General Comments:	MICHIGAN
78	4319 - Mixed Upland Forest	Poletimber Well	27.4	47	81-110	OPIC - FMD: TREE CUTTER SITE 1960 ASPEN QUALITY (PREVIOUS COMMENT). 1998 common of Stand 4. 2008: Scattered clones of A6 and patch and A3.2017-Heavy to BF. Tamarack isolated arou lowland area in SE of the stand. WP and RP logs	ent: Split out nes of U, A2 und the



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6	330 - Low-Density Trees	204.2	No	OPIC - FMD: 2008: Upland brush slowly converting with aspen and white pine present. 2017-Mosaic of upland brush, aspen pockets, and open grown pine. Pockets of mature pine and scattered mature oak. On the threshold of being a forested stand.
11	6225 - Bog	2.9	No	OPIC - FMD: OI Stand Year Origin was
16	330 - Low-Density Trees	104.6	No	OPIC - FMD: Previous comment: SCATTERED CLONES OF POOR QUALITY A3. 1998 comment: This stand is a mosaic of U and G types with lots of A1-5. Should try planting white pine mixed with oak in one or two of the larger openings, after a light burn to knock down the U type. 2017-Pockets of aspen and pine. Scattered red maple and oak poles/logs. Would benefit from a burn if desired to remain an opening.
23	310 - Herbaceous Openland	37.5		Final harvested in 2012. Roller chopped 8/16/16. Trenched 8/31/16. Red Pine planted by Superior Forestry 4/29/2017. 969 trees per acre. Oak and crabapple planted on 7/1/17. 2017-Pockets of mortality in the planting. Some caused by J-rooting, some is unknown. A lot of JP along the edge and volunteers within the stand. FTP 52-368 Failed Year 1 Regen check, release spraying completed 09/13/2018, will be replanted next spring.
25	330 - Low-Density Trees	28.2	No	OPIC - FMD: 1998 comment: In transition to M type with lots of open grown clumps of red maple and some aspen clones.2017-Very clumpy, low quality and stocking. Scattered oak logs. Pine is open grown and very branchy.
30	500 - Water	1.4	No	Lowland on edge of U/Aspen type that was harvested in 2012.
31	320 - Upland Shrub	27.5		OPIC - FMD: TREE CUTTER SITE 1960 ASPEN POOR QUALITY (PREVIOUS COMMENT). 1998 comment: Split out of Stand 4. 2008: Scattered clones of A6 and patches of U, A2 and A3. Final harvest and push into Stand 19 a chain or so to harvest aspen there and include some conifer. 2017-Right on the cusp of being an immature forested stand. Scattered pine and oak logs.
32	6225 - Bog	0.9	No	Bog within aspen stand.
33	3104 - Degraded	1.6	No	Gas well.
34	330 - Low-Density Trees	2.2	No	Buffer left around riparian area.
37	122 - Road/Parking Lot	7.2	No	Pipeline right-of-way and road.
38	320 - Upland Shrub	1.1	No	Opening in a white pine stand.
40	3102 - Grass	2.7	No	Pipeline right-of-way.



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65	320 - Upland Shrub	26.1	No	OPIC - FMD: 1998 comment: Some red maple and some aspen clones. Some low quality aspen clones. Pines are open grown and branchy. Old railroad grade running through the stand and into 31.
401	3102 - Grass	2.3	No	Old gas well pad.
402	3102 - Grass	2.3	No	Old gas well pad.
426	3104 - Degraded	1.8	No	OPIC - FMD: Gas well or facility.
432	3104 - Degraded	0.9	No	OPIC - FMD: Gas well or facility.
433	3104 - Degraded	1.0	No	OPIC - FMD: Gas well or facility.
434	3104 - Degraded	0.7	No	OPIC - FMD: Gas well or facility.
435	3104 - Degraded	0.9	No	OPIC - FMD: Gas well or facility.
437	3104 - Degraded	1.2	No	OPIC - FMD: Gas well or facility.
438	122 - Road/Parking Lot	2.2	No	OPIC - FMD: Gas facility.
439	3104 - Degraded	0.6	No	OPIC - FMD: Gas well or facility.
440	3104 - Degraded	0.7	No	OPIC - FMD: Gas well or facility.
441	3104 - Degraded	1.0	No	OPIC - FMD: Gas well or facility.
442	3104 - Degraded	1.1	No	OPIC - FMD: Gas well or facility.
443	3104 - Degraded	1.3	No	OPIC - FMD: Gas well or facility.
444	3104 - Degraded	1.1	No	OPIC - FMD: Gas well or facility.
445	3104 - Degraded	1.3	No	OPIC - FMD: Gas well or facility.
446	3104 - Degraded	1.1	No	OPIC - FMD: Gas well or facility.
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447	3104 - Degraded	1.3	No	OPIC - FMD: Gas well or facility.
448	3104 - Degraded	4.0	No	OPIC - FMD: Gas well and facility.
449	3104 - Degraded	0.9	No	OPIC - FMD: Gas well or facility.
450	3104 - Degraded	0.8	No	OPIC - FMD: Gas well or facility.
451	3104 - Degraded	1.4	No	OPIC - FMD: Gas well or facility.
452	3104 - Degraded	1.1	No	OPIC - FMD: Gas well or facility.
453	3104 - Degraded	1.0	No	OPIC - FMD: Gas well or facility.
454	3104 - Degraded	0.9	No	OPIC - FMD: Gas well or facility.
455	3104 - Degraded	1.1	No	OPIC - FMD: Gas well or facility.
456	3104 - Degraded	1.0	No	OPIC - FMD: Gas well or facility.
457	3104 - Degraded	0.8	No	OPIC - FMD: Gas well or facility.
458	3104 - Degraded	0.9	No	OPIC - FMD: Gas well or facility.
459	122 - Road/Parking Lot	2.6	No	OPIC - FMD: Gas well and facility.
460	3104 - Degraded	1.1	No	OPIC - FMD: Gas well or facility.
475	3102 - Grass	11.4	No	Power line and pipeline road.
476	320 - Upland Shrub	12.7	No	Clumpy cherry.