



## COMPARTMENT REVIEW RECORD OF CHANGES AND DECISIONS

### Crystal Falls Forest Management Unit

2011 Year-of-Entry

Crystal Falls Township Hall, Crystal Falls, MI

September 23, 2009

The following documents the changes and decisions made at the compartment review to the Inventory database, reports, and compartment maps presented at open house, for the Crystal Falls Forest Management Unit compartment review. This document is the official record of changes and decisions. Proposals originally presented were approved, unless noted below.

#### Attendees

Scott Sebero, FMFM; Bob Doepker, WLD; Steve Milford, FMFM; Doug Wagner, WLD; Monica Joseph, WLD; Linda Lindberg, FMFM; Ed Rice, FMFM; Otto Jacob, FMFM; Deb Goupell, FMFM; Terry Cryderman, FMFM; Deb Begalle, FMFM; Julie Graff, OLAF; Jennifer Burnham, FMFM; Jim Ferris, FMFM; Ron Yesney, FMFM; Cynthia Cooper, FMFM; John Hamel, FMFM; Rich Ahnen, FMFM; Jason Stephens, Gaylord; Robert Ziel, FMFM

#### Comments from Stakeholders

Open House at the Crystal Falls Field Office September 2, 2009 – five visitors came in, two from industry and the other three were more or less curious in what an open house was and not particularly interested in forest management. No written comments received

#### Compartment 1

Discussion of comments from individual outside parties:

- None

Changes made at compartment review:

- None

#### Compartment 3

Discussion of comments from individual outside parties:

- None

Changes made at compartment review:

- No limiting factors in compartment.
- Stand 16: Harvest in non-boating season.
- Stands 10, 16 and 36: Remove limiting factors.
- Stand 65: Reserve oak, fir, spruce and pine.
- Stand 50: Harvest about 1/3 only, or 15 acres, in five 3-acre clearcuts scattered about the stand. To locate area, a large crowned wildlife tree will be identified and clearcut then placed around this tree. This tree will not be harvested and will sit within the middle of the patch cut to be left for mast and other wildlife benefits. The remaining 2/3 of the stand will not be harvested. All trees (except center oak) will be harvested with the patch cut.

#### Compartment 6

Discussion of comments from individual outside parties:

- None

Changes made at compartment review:

- None

### **Compartment 22**

Discussion of comments from individual outside parties:

- None

Changes made at compartment review:

- Stands 25, 26, 28, 29 and 32: Take measures to minimize impact on snowmobile trail.
- Stand 28 (possibly Stand 29): If goshawk and/or nest is still present at time of harvest, follow current goshawk recommendations.
- Stands 45 and 48: Cancel prescribe burn FTPs.
- Stand 32: Remove "cut next entry". Add "retain all pine and strip between Big Brook and snowmobile trail".
- Stand 34: Double berm or slash along access road.

### **Compartment 26**

Discussion of comments from individual outside parties:

- None

Changes made at compartment review:

- Stand 31: Remove treatment. (no harvest)
- Stand 25: Make into two stands. Cut west of Schultz Road.
- Stand 28: Make into two stands. Cut west of Schultz Road. Remove "harvest east of road".

### **Compartment 42**

Discussion of comments from individual outside parties:

- None

Changes made at compartment review:

- Stand 4: Prefer summer harvest, if possible, to minimize impact on snowmobile trail.
- Stands 400 and 401: Opening maintenance.

### **Compartment 46**

Discussion of comments from individual outside parties:

- None

Changes made at compartment review:

- Stand 9: Remove limiting factor.

### **Compartment 63**

Discussion of comments from individual outside parties:

- None

Changes made at compartment review:

- Stand 30: Remove "WLD does not support harvest". Harvest if all pine is left and cedar drainage is marked out of sale.
- Stand 26: Hold hemlock.
- Stand 68: Add "underplant to white pine or hemlock".

### **Compartment 80**

Discussion of comments from individual outside parties:

- None

Changes made at compartment review:

- Stand 10: Summer cut.
- Stand 15: Prefer summer cut. If winter cut, restrict crossing of snowmobile trail.
- Stand 50: Prefer summer cut. Split stand to cut south side of road. No cut on north side of road.

### **Compartment 80 (cont.)**

- Stands 4, 10, 15, 27, 35, 45: Not limited. Remove limiting factors.
- Stands 400, 401, 402, 403, 404 and 405: Not prescribed for opening maintenance.

### **Compartment 81**

Discussion of comments from individual outside parties:

- None

Changes made at compartment review:

- Stand 24: Remove limiting factors.
- Stand 1: Remove potential old growth SCA.

### **Compartment 97**

Discussion of comments from individual outside parties:

- None

Changes made at compartment review:

- Stand 12: Request summer cut.

### **Compartment 100**

Discussion of comments from individual outside parties:

- None

Changes made at compartment review:

- Stand 21: Add wildlife comment to leave pine and oak.
- Stand 54: Prefer summer cut to minimize impact on snowmobile trail.

### **Compartment 106**

Discussion of comments from individual outside parties:

- None

Changes made at compartment review:

- No changes.

### **Compartment 125**

Discussion of comments from individual outside parties:

- None

Changes made at compartment review:

- Code 400 series for opening maintenance.

### **Compartment 129**

Discussion of comments from individual outside parties:

- None

Changes made at compartment review:

- Stand 40: Limiting factor for access.

### **Compartment 139**

Discussion of comments from individual outside parties:

- None

Changes made at compartment review:

- Stands 20, 21 and 28: Transition between upland and lowland left as retention.
- Stands 18 and 19: Transition between upland and lowland left as retention.

**Compartment 159**

Discussion of comments from individual outside parties:

- None

Changes made at compartment review:

- Stands 400, 401, 402 and 403: Remove code for opening maintenance.

**Compartment 172**

Discussion of comments from individual outside parties:

- None

Changes made at compartment review:

- YOE is now 2010, not 2011.
- Opening maintenance for hunter walking trail.
- Stand 32: Cut, leave oak. Remove burn.
- Stand 400: Remove burn.

**Compartment 183**

Discussion of comments from individual outside parties:

- None

Changes made at compartment review:

- Stands 10, 16 and 17: Prefer summer cut to minimize impact on snowmobile trail.

**Compartment 187**

Discussion of comments from individual outside parties:

- None

Changes made at compartment review:

- No changes.

**Compartment 194**

Discussion of comments from individual outside parties:

- None

Changes made at compartment review:

- Stands 13 and 53: Retention will be white pine, small spruce and balsam and cherry. Buffers around wetland in both stands.

**YOE 2010 – ADDITIONAL STANDS:**

**Compartment**

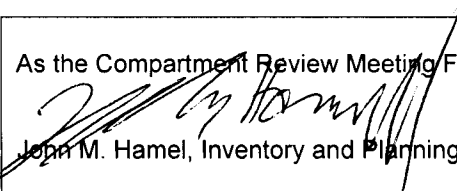
Discussion of comments from individual outside parties:

- None

Changes made at compartment review:

- Changes agreed upon, as Posted.

As the Compartment Review Meeting Facilitator, I certify that the above changes were agreed upon.

  
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