



Compartment Review Presentation

Escanaba Forest Management Unit

Compartment 33027

Entry Year 2017

Acreage: 382

County Menominee

Management Area: Menominee End Moraine

Revision Date: 2015-07-10

Stand Examiner: Dustin Salter

Legal Description:

T35N R29W Sections 34, 35, and 36

Identified Planning Goals:

This compartment is primarily upland with a few lowland stands mixed in. The upland area are primarily aspen, pin oak, and some red maple. These areas are very well drained. There are 6 upland sites that will be clearcut, managing for a mix of aspen, oak, and maple. There will be three lowland conifer stands harvested along with a lowland hardwood stand as well. There are pockets of tamarack mortality within the compartment due to the Eastern Larch Beetle. The three lowland conifer stands prescribed for treatment all have pockets of tamarack mortality. In the recent past we have treated a number of oak wilt pockets within the compartment, if any new ones are identified they will be treated. This could include: trenching, dozing, and clearcutting.

Soil and topography:

Some of the soil map units within this compartment are: Pemene-Rubicon Complex, Deford Mucky Fine Sand, and Grayling Sand. On the upland sites there is fine sand, which is well to excessively drained and nearly level with some gently rolling slopes. In the lower areas there is black muck over fine sand. These areas are poorly drained and level.

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

This compartment is on the south end of a block of state land that is approximately 7 miles wide and 20 miles long. There are quite a few private in holdings, in and around this compartment. The west edge of the compartment borders the Menominee River, near this area there are some permanent residences, summer homes, and camps.

Unique Natural Features:

The Menominee River flows along the western edge of the stand.

Archeological, Historical, and Cultural Features:

None Known

Special Management Designations or Considerations:

None within the compartment, but compartment 109 to the north and west of this compartment is a recognized Natural Area. This area is an Oak-Pine Barrens.

Watershed and Fisheries Considerations:

The Menominee flows along the western edge of the compartment.

Wildlife Habitat Considerations:

Currently, this compartment is mainly aspen, hardwood, and mixed lowland forest. Much of the pin oak is mature and subject to death by oak wilt infestations. Two mature stands of mixed lowland conifer will be harvested this decade. In addition, some aspen and mixed upland deciduous stands will be clear cut. Scattered oak and pine trees will be retained within mixed upland deciduous stands to benefit wildlife and provide a future seed source. Management activities this decade will encourage white pine and oak regeneration in mixed oak-hardwood stands that have a pine component present. Mechanical scarification may be considered if we are unable to get adequate regeneration following harvests. Wildlife staff encourages the protection of healthy mature oaks wherever they are found and enhancement of acorn production by thinning around the tops of mast-producing trees.

Mineral Resource and Development Concerns and/or Restrictions

Surface sediments consist of an end moraine of coarse-textured till, glacial outwash sand and gravel and postglacial alluvium, and lacustrine sand and gravel. The glacial drift thickness varies between 10 and 50 feet. Beneath the glacial drift is the Cambrian Munising Formation. The Munising may have been used as a building stone in the past and it overlies Precambrian-aged rocks that may have metallic and non-metallic mineral potential. State land is currently leased more than two miles to the northeast for metallic mineral exploration. Much of Section 36 is classified as non-leasable. No gravel pits

are located in the area and potential appears to be limited. No economic oil and gas production has been found in the UP.

Vehicle Access:

There are a number of two track roads through this compartment that originate from the Z-1 road and the Sturgeon Landing Road. Access is good through most of the compartment.

Survey Needs:

Three to four registered survey corners will probably need to be set.

Recreational Facilities and Opportunities:

There are no developed facilities within the compartment. There is an abandoned state forest campground and access site along the Menominee River. The access site on the Menominee River is still used by the public. The main use of this area is hunting, trapping, camping, and ORV riding.

Fire Protection:

Most of the compartment consists of soils that are well drained, allowing the vegetation to dry out faster than normal. Most fires in this area would be ground fires due to the vegetation. Water is available from the Menominee River and a small creek/drain running through the eastern half of the compartment.

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

The following information is displayed, where pertinent, on the attached compartment maps:

- Base feature information, stand boundaries, cover types, and numbers
- Proposed treatments
- Site condition boundaries
- Details on the road access system

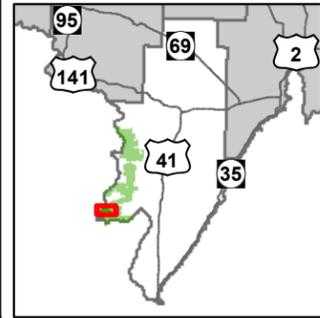
Report 1 – Total Acres by Cover Type and Age Class



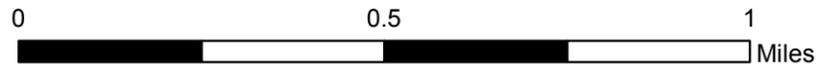
Age Class

	Non-Forest	0-9	10-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70-79	80-89	90-99	100-109	110-119	120-129	130-139	140-149	150+	Uneven-Aged	Total
Aspen	0	66	0	39	1	42	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	148
Cedar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	6	0	0	0	0	15
Lowland Conifers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	48	0	0	0	0	0	48
Lowland Deciduous	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	10
Lowland Mixed Forest	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	31	0	0	0	0	0	0	33
Lowland Shrub	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16
Mixed Upland Deciduous	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	74	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	81
Natural Mixed Pines	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	22
Upland Mixed Forest	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9
Total	16	66	0	55	1	42	0	0	0	98	0	88	6	0	0	0	0	10	382

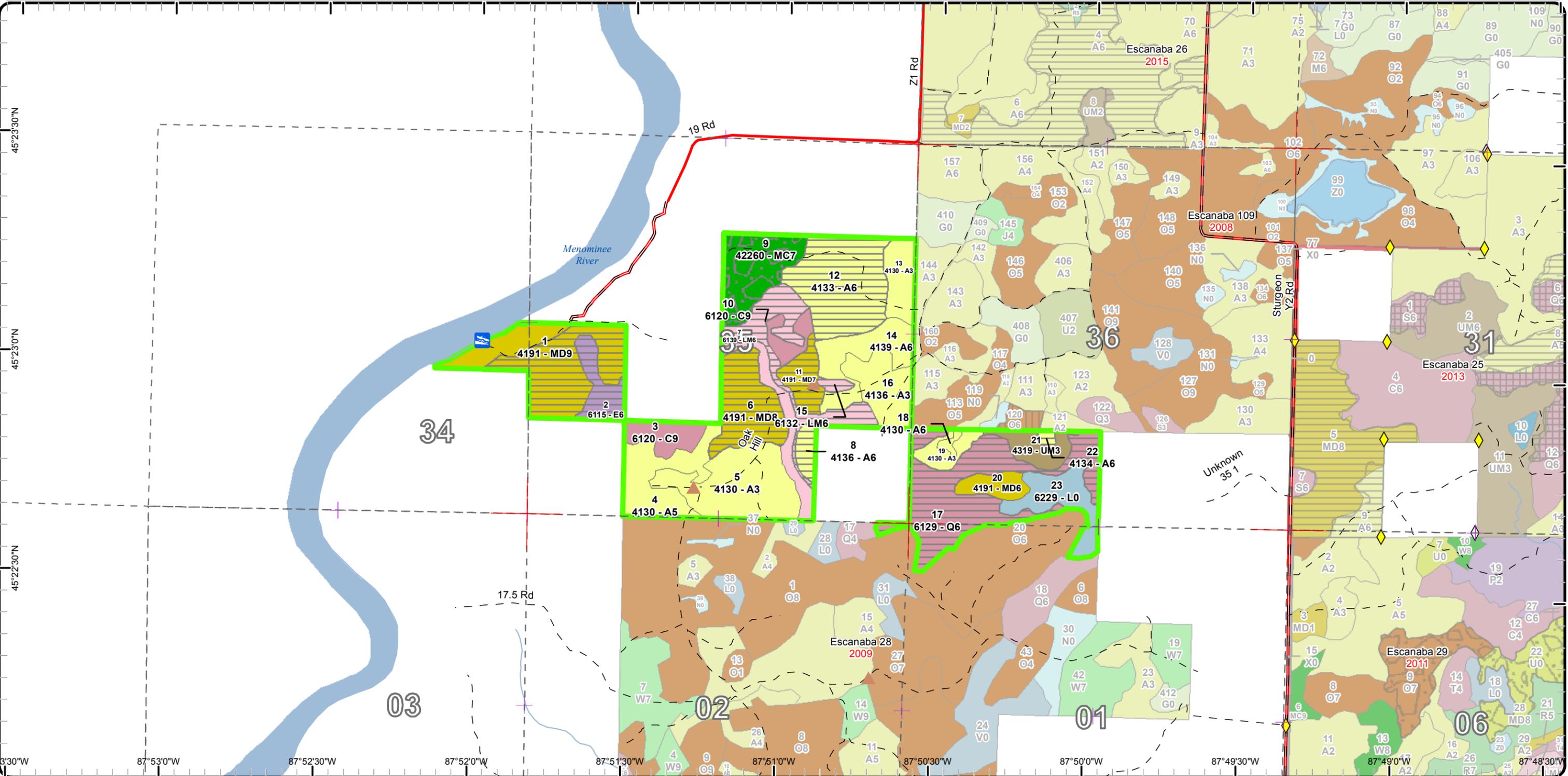
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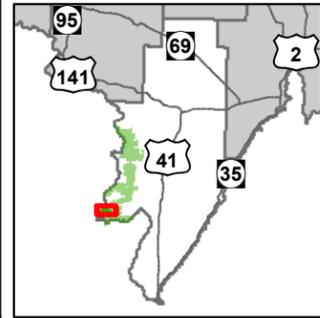
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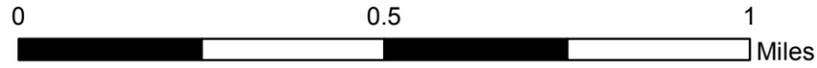
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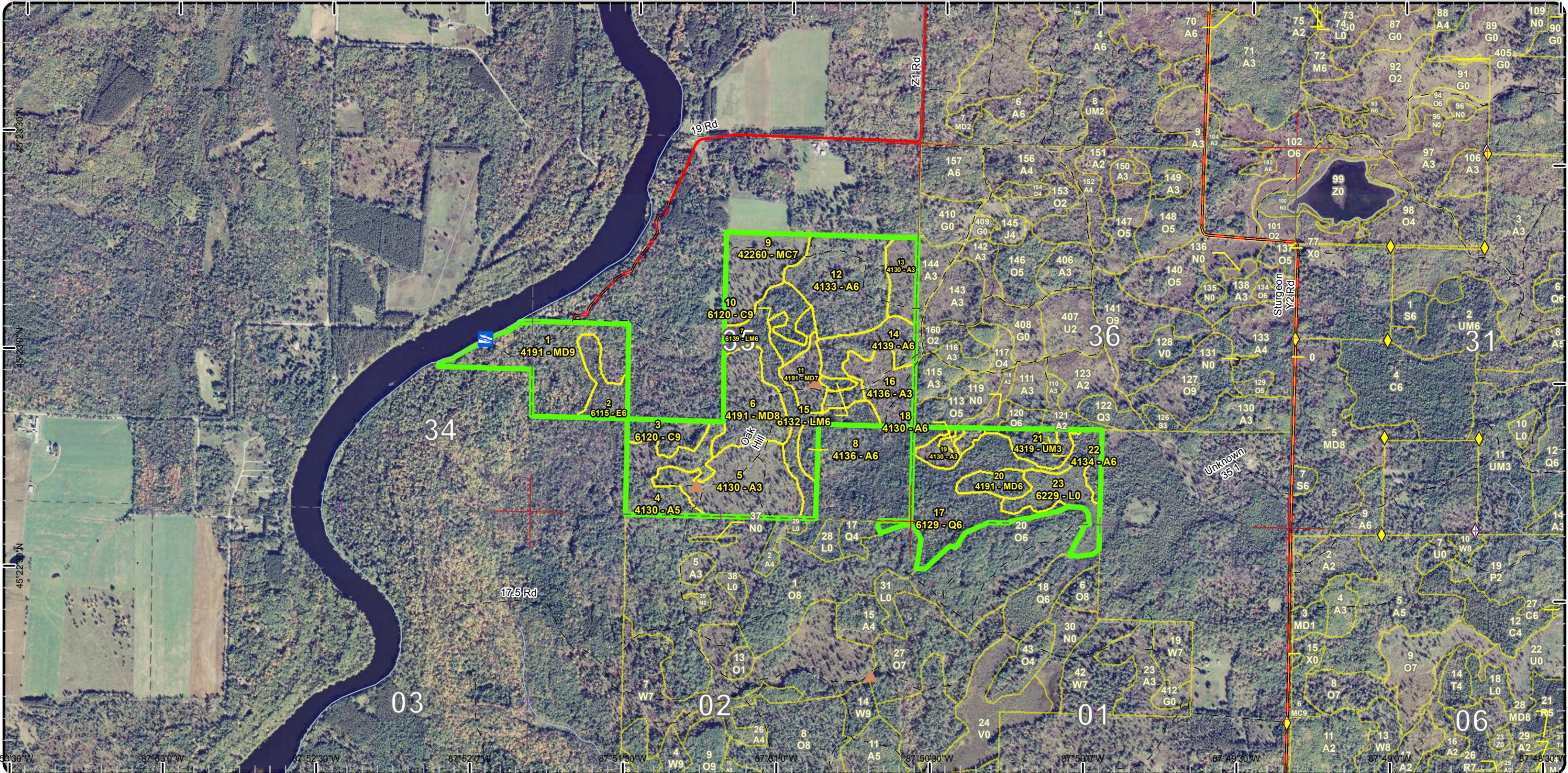
Stand Boundary Map



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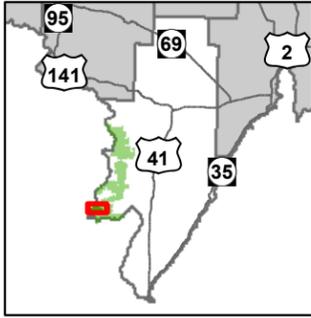
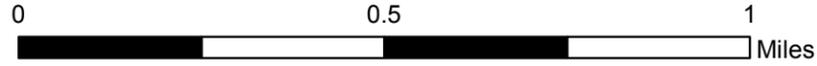


- + Remonumented Section Corners Forest Covertypes
 - 413 - Aspen
 - 419 - Mixed Upland Deciduous
 - 422 - Natural Pines
 - 430 - Upland Mixed Fores
 - 611 - Lowland Deciduous Forest
 - 612 - Lowland Coniferous Forest
 - 613 - Lowland Mixed Forest
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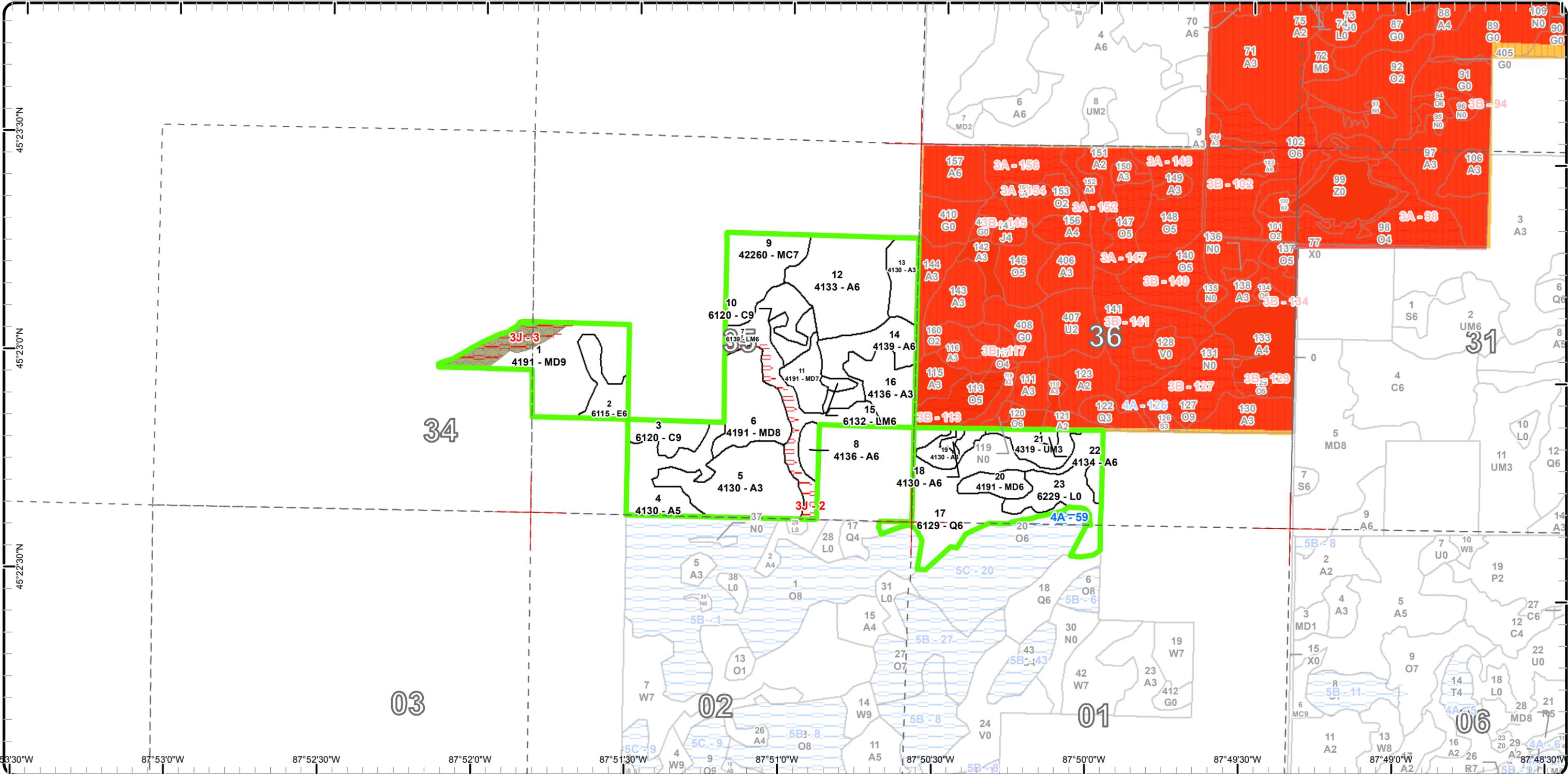


Special Conservation Areas & Site Conditions Map

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- Miris Corners
 - Stand Boundaries
 - SCA Removal
 - Site Condition
 - Available w/ Constraints
 - Unavailable
 - Available Factors W/ Constraints
 - 4A: No Markets Available for these Forest Products
 - Unavailable Factors
 - 3J: Water quality / BMPs (stream, river, or lake)
- Special Conservation Areas**
 Ecological Reference Areas
 Non-Dedicated Natural Areas and National Natural Landmarks





Report 2 – Treatment Summary

Escanaba Mgt. Unit

Year of Entry: 2017

Acres of Harvest

Compartment 27

Total Compartment Acres: 382

Commercial Harvest - 0
 Harvests with Site Condition - 0
 Next Step Harvest - 0
 Habitat Cut - 22

Cover Type by Harvest Method

	Clearcut	Selection	Patch Clearcut	Seed Tree	Shelterwood	Thinning	Overstory Removal	Salvage	Other	Total Acres
Aspen	42	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	42
Lowland Conifers	48	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	48
Lowland Deciduous	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
Lowland Mixed Forest	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	23
Mixed Upland Deciduous	63	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	63
Total	186	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	186

Proposed and Next Step Treatments by Harvest Method

	Harvest	Site Prep	Planting	Seeding	Burning	Pesticide	Monitoring	Other	Non-Forest Mgt.	Total Acres
Current	186	0	0	0	0	0	22	0	0	208
Next Step	0	0	0	0	0	0	186	0	0	186
Total	186	0	0	0	0	0	208	0	0	393



Stand	Treatment Name	Acres	Stand CoverType	Size Density	Stand Age	BA Range	Treatment Type	Treatment Method	Cover Type Objective	Age Structure	Approval Status
1	33027001-Cut	30.6	4191 - Mixed Upland Deciduous with Conifer	Sawtimber Well	97	111-140	Harvest	Clearcut with Retention	4136 - Aspen, Mixed Conifer	Two-Aged	Proposal

Habitat Cut: No

Site Condition:

Prescription Cut all trees greater than 4" inches; except mark 10 to 20 BA to retain. The majority of the leave trees will be oak, pine, and hemlock. The area to the west of County Road Z-1 will be retained along with the residual stems marked to leave.

Next Step
Treatments:

Acceptable Aspen, maple, oak, pine, balsam fir, and spruce.
Regen:

Other Stand was cut in 1988 on contract 019-87-01. All short lived species were cut and the other longer lived species were marked to cut. This is a two-aged stand with a mix of mature hardwoods with pine and hemlock over younger aspen and red maple. There is a lot of poor quality red maple stems that should be harvested. The area between the road and the river was an old campground and there was an access site to the Menominee River. This site is not maintained anymore, but it is still used by the public. There was a strip of Bitternut Hickory along the river, but it died out in 2011-12 form Hickory Decline. Old next step comments:

Proposed Start Date: 10/1 /2016

2	33027002-Cut	10.1	6115 - Lowland Ash	Poletimber Well	126	111-140	Harvest	Clearcut with Retention	6117 - Lowland Deciduous, Mixed Coniferous	Even-Aged	Proposal
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Habitat Cut: No

Site Condition:

Prescription Cut all trees greater than 3" inches; except mark to retain some cedar, spruce, and white pine seed trees.
Specs:

Next Step
Treatments:

Acceptable A mix of lowland hardwoods and mixed conifers.
Regen:

Other Mature ash stand with some scattered good quality cedar. Old next step comments:
Comment:

Proposed Start Date: 10/1 /2016

6	33027006-Cut	23.1	4191 - Mixed Upland Deciduous with Conifer	Sawtimber Medium	95	1-50	Harvest	Clearcut with Retention	4121 - Oak, Aspen	Even-Aged	Proposal
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Habitat Cut: No

Site Condition:

Prescription Cut all trees greater than 4" inches; except mark to retain some scattered oak and pine. Leave enough stems to have 3% retention. If there isn't adequate regeneration following the harvest mechanically scarify the stand.

Next Step
Treatments:

Acceptable Oak, aspen, maple, and pine.
Regen:

Other Stand was shelterwood cut in 2009 on contract 024-07-01. There was about 40 BA of mixed species retained. In the areas where the BA was reduced there is aspen, oak, and maple regeneration. In other areas where the BA was left at 40 to 50 there is significantly less regeneration, especially the oak. The oak is mature and we are going to lose the ability to regenerate it, via stump sprouts if it is not harvested soon. Also, the aspen and maple regeneration will provide too much shade to regenerate the oak. Old next step comments:

Proposed Start Date: 10/1 /2016



Stand	Treatment Name	Acres	Stand CoverType	Size Density	Stand Age	BA Range	Treatment Type	Treatment Method	Cover Type Objective	Age Structure	Approval Status
7	33027007-Cut	20.9	6139 - Mixed Lowland Forest	Poletimber Well	116	111-140	Harvest	Clearcut with Retention	6139 - Mixed Lowland Forest	Even-Aged	Proposal

Habitat Cut: No **Site Condition:**

Prescription Cut all trees greater than 3 inches; except retain a 50' foot buffer on each side of the creek. Also in areas of the stand that are over 100' feet
Specs: from the buffer mark to retain a mix of conifer species for seed and diversity.

Next Step
Treatments:

Acceptable Ash, maple, white pine, spruce, tamarack, cedar, balsam fir, and balm.
Regen:

Other Mature mixed lowland hardwood and conifer stand. There is a small creek that flows through parts of this stand. The north end of the stand has
Comment: some high quality tamarack. The Eastern Larch Beetle has already caused pockets of tamarack mortality. The treatment area is approximate, currently we don't have the exact position of the creek. During sale prep we will GPS the creek to make sure the appropriate buffer is left in place. Old next step comments:

Proposed Start Date: 10/1 /2016

8	33027008-Cut	4.5	4136 - Aspen, Mixed Conifer	Poletimber Well	48	81-110	Harvest	Clearcut	413 - Aspen	Even-Aged	Proposal
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Habitat Cut: No **Site Condition:**

Prescription Cut all trees greater than 3" inches; except mark a few scattered mature pine and oak to retain for diversity. Mark these trees to leave along the
Specs: east property line to prevent shading over the narrow stand. Due to the small stand size there will not be 3% retention left.

Next Step
Treatments:

Acceptable Aspen, maple, oak, pine, balsam fir and spruce.
Regen:

Other Stand is a mix of mature aspen and balsam fir with older pine and oak. Old next step comments:
Comment:

Proposed Start Date: 10/1 /2016

9	33027009-Monitor	22.2	42260 - Natural Pine, Mixed Deciduous	Sawtimber Poor	95	1-50	Monitoring	Natural Regen (Intermediate)	4310 - Pine, Oak Mix	Two-Aged	Proposal
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Habitat Cut: Yes **Site Condition:**

Prescription Check for regeneration in 3 years to determine if mechanical scarification was effective. If the stand hasn't adequately regenerate clearcut and
Specs: plant red pine per TMS instructions.

Next Step
Treatments:

Acceptable Pine, oak, aspen, and spruce/fir.
Regen:

Other This stand was shelterwood cut in 2010 on contract 024-07-01. Overall there was about 20 BA retained. This stand was mechanically scarified
Comment: on FTP 33-668 in November of 2012 with a dozer and skidder with anchor chains. The purpose was to expose mineral soil to allow the oak and pine to seed in. There was 8"+ of snow when I looked at it, will have to check again later in the year when the snow is gone. Quite a few of the oaks that were cut have stump sprouted, but the ones along the edges of the stand have been heavily browsed by deer. If this stand does not adequately regenerate this stand should be clearcut and planted with red pine. Check the regeneration in 3 years to determine if any other treatments are needed. Old next step comments:

Proposed Start Date: 10/1 /2016



S t a n d	Treatment Name	Acres	Stand CoverType	Size Density	Stand Age	BA Range	Treatment Type	Treatment Method	Cover Type Objective	Age Structure	Approval Status
11	33027011-Cut	9.2	4191 - Mixed Upland Deciduous with Conifer	Sawtimber Poor	95	1-50	Harvest	Clearcut with Retention	4122 - Oak, Pine	Two-Aged	Proposal

Habitat Cut: No

Site Condition:

Prescription Cut all trees greater than 4" inches; except mark to retain some scattered oak and pine. Leave enough stems to have 3% retention. If there isn't adequate regeneration following the harvest mechanically scarify the stand.
Specs:

Next Step
Treatments:

Acceptable Oak, pine, aspen, maple, and spruce/fir.
Regen:

Other Stand was shelterwood cut in 2009 on contract 024-07-01. There was about 30 to 40 BA of mixed species retained. In the areas where the BA was reduced there is aspen, oak, and maple regeneration. In other areas where the BA was left at 40 there is significantly less regeneration, especially the oak. The oak is mature and we are going to lose the ability to regenerate it, via stump sprouts if it is not harvested soon. Also, the aspen and maple regeneration will provide too much shade to regenerate the oak. Old next step comments:

Proposed Start Date: 10/1 /2016

12	33027012-Cut	36.7	4133 - Aspen, Mixed Pine	Poletimber Well	49	81-110	Harvest	Clearcut with Retention	413 - Aspen	Even-Aged	Proposal
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Habitat Cut: No

Site Condition:

Prescription Cut all trees greater than 3" inches; except leave enough retention patches and scattered oak and pine to have 3% retention.
Specs:

Next Step
Treatments:

Acceptable Aspen, oak, and pine.
Regen:

Other Good quality aspen stand with some dense pockets of white pine. Old next step comments:

Proposed Start Date: 10/1 /2016

15	33027015-Cut	1.8	6132 - Mixed Lowland Forest with Cedar	Poletimber Well	98	141-170	Harvest	Clearcut	6139 - Mixed Lowland Forest	Even-Aged	Proposal
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Habitat Cut: No

Site Condition:

Prescription Cut all trees greater than 3" inches; except mark some scattered cedar, spruce, and white pine for a seed source and diversity. There will not be 3% retention left due to the small stand size.
Specs:

Next Step
Treatments:

Acceptable Tamarack, spruce, white pine, cedar, ash, and red maple.
Regen:

Other Mature mixed lowland stand with overall low quality. There is already some tamarack mortality from the Eastern Larch Beetle. Old next step comments:

Proposed Start Date: 10/1 /2016

17	33027017-Cut	47.5	6129 - Mixed Coniferous Lowland Forest	Poletimber Well	117	81-110	Harvest	Clearcut with Retention	6121 - Tamarack	Even-Aged	Proposal
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Habitat Cut: No

Site Condition:

Prescription Cut all trees greater than 3" inches; except mark to retain some cedar seed trees/clumps. Leave enough residual to have 3% retention.
Specs:

Next Step
Treatments:

Acceptable Tamarack, cedar, spruce, balsam fir, and ash.
Regen:

Other Overall the stand has good quality mature tamarack with poor quality cedar mixed in. There are pockets of tamarack mortality throughout the stand from the Eastern Larch Beetle. Old next step comments:

Proposed Start Date: 10/1 /2016



S t a n d	Treatment Name	Acres	Stand CoverType	Size Density	Stand Age	BA Range	Treatment Type	Treatment Method	Cover Type Objective	Age Structure	Approval Status
22	33027022-Cut	1.2	4134 - Aspen, Spruce/Fir	Poletimber Well	47	81-110	Harvest	Clearcut	413 - Aspen	Even-Aged	Proposal

Habitat Cut: No

Site Condition:

Prescription Cut all trees greater than 3" inches. No retention will be left due to the small stand size.

Specs:

Next Step

Treatments:

Acceptable Aspen, oak, pine, spruce/fir.

Regen:

Other Good quality aspen stand with a mix of other species mixed in. Old next step comments:

Comment:

Proposed Start Date: 10/1 /2016

**Total Treatment
Acreage Proposed: 207.7**

Dominant Site Conditions

Aspen
Cedar
Lowland Conifers
Lowland Deciduous
Lowland Mixed Forest
Lowland Shrub
Mixed Upland Deciduous
Natural Mixed Pines
Upland Mixed Forest
Total Forested Acres
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.*

Site No.	Dominant Site Cond Availability	Dominant Site Condition	Acres	Other Site Condition	Other Site Condition	Other Site Condition	Other Site Condition
2	Unavailable	3J: Water quality / BMPs (stream, river, or lake)	10	3L: Other wildlife concerns	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
Comments: This part of stand 7 provides a buffer along a small creek that flows through part of the stand. This stand also provides a riparian corridor for wildlife.							
3	Unavailable	3J: Water quality / BMPs (stream, river, or lake)	11	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
Comments: This stand provides a buffer along the Menominee River and also protects an old state forest campground and access site.							
59	Available	4A: No Markets Available for these Forest Products	3	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
Comments:							



Report 6 – 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
Unspecified	Potential Old Growth		SCA Removal	6
Comments				
This stand is listed as potential old growth. This stand contains the old boat access site for the old campground. This stand is adjacent to the Menominee River. Nice hardwood stand, which contains some of the eastern hardwood species that are only fo				
Unspecified	Potential Old Growth		SCA Removal	4
Comments				
This stand is listed as potential old growth. This stand contains the old Menominee River Campground. It has a mature overstory with a thick understory of hardwood species. A white pine has recently been illegally cut.				



Report 7 – 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.

ERA = Ecological Reference Area
HCVA = High Conservation Value Area
SCA = Special Conservation Area

Conservation Area	Type	Description
SCA	Non-Dedicated Natural Areas and National Natural Landmarks	This category is comprised of those Natural, Wilderness and Wild Areas that have been nominated or proposed for legal dedication, but for which legal dedication by legislature has not occurred. The nomination process is defined by Part 351, Wilderness and Natural Areas, of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451. The program is administered by the DNR. Nominations require the submittal of a Natural Areas Nomination Packet to the DNR. This is an active program, with proposed sites in various stages of review. Final dedication of nominated Natural, Wilderness and Wild Areas is accomplished through legislative action.
HCVA	Legally dedicated Natural Areas, Wilderness or Wild Areas	The nomination process is defined by Part 351, Wilderness and Natural Areas, of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451. The program is administered by the DNR. Nominations require the submittal of a Natural Areas Nomination Packet to the DNR. This is an active program, with proposed sites in various stages of review. Final dedication of nominated Natural, Wilderness and Wild Areas is accomplished through legislative action.
ERA	Ecological Reference Areas	Ecological Reference Areas (ERAs) are high quality examples of natural communities that have been identified as Element Occurrences (EOs) by the Michigan Natural Features Inventory (MNFI) within the context of their natural community classification system. Element Occurrences with viability ranks of A (Excellent) or B (Good) and a Global (G) or State (S) element (rarity) ranking of endangered (1), threatened (2), or rare (3) serve as an initial base of ERAs. They may be located upon any ownership in the State. The system is comprised of individual or associations of natural community types that are managed for restoration and maintenance of natural ecological processes and values. The public may submit recommendations for lands as ERAs using the DNR Conservation Area Recommendation Form.



	Level 4 Cover Type	Size Density	Acres	Stand Age	BA Range	General Comments:
1	4191 - Mixed Upland Deciduous with Conifer	Sawtimber Well	41.9	97	111-140	Stand was cut in 1988 on contract 019-87-01. All short lived species were cut and the other longer lived species were marked to cut. This is a two-aged stand with a mix of mature hardwoods with pine and hemlock over younger aspen and red maple. There is a lot of poor quality red maple stems that should be harvested. The area between the road and the river was an old campground and there was an access site to the Menominee River. This site is not maintained anymore, but it is still used by the public. There was a strip of Bitternut Hickory along the river, but it died out in 2011-12 form Hickory Decline.
2	6115 - Lowland Ash	Poletimber Well	10.1	126	111-140	Mature ash stand with some scattered good quality cedar.
3	6120 - Lowland Cedar	Sawtimber Well	9.2	115	Unspecified	Good quality cedar stand that provides good wintering cover.
4	4130 - Aspen	Poletimber Medium	21.2	26	Immature	Stand was clearcut in 1989 on contract 019-87-01; except the pine and oak was retained. The aspen is average quality.
5	4130 - Aspen	Sapling Well	33.1	5	Immature	Stand was clearcut in 2010 on contract 024-07-01; except some pine and oak were marked to retain. This stand has fully regenerated to aspen with a significant amount of oak and maple mixed in.
6	4191 - Mixed Upland Deciduous with Conifer	Sawtimber Medium	23.1	95	1-50	Stand was shelterwood cut in 2009 on contract 024-07-01. There was about 40 BA of mixed species retained. In the areas where the BA was reduced there is aspen, oak, and maple regeneration. In other areas where the BA was left at 40 to 50 there is significantly less regeneration, especially the oak. The oak is mature and we are going to lose the ability to regenerate it, via stump sprouts if it is not harvested soon. Also, the aspen and maple regeneration will provide too much shade to regenerate the oak.
7	6139 - Mixed Lowland Forest	Poletimber Well	31.3	116	111-140	Mature mixed lowland hardwood and conifer stand. There is a small creek that flows through parts of this stand. The north end of the stand has some high quality tamarack. The Eastern Larch Beetle has already caused pockets of tamarack mortality.
8	4136 - Aspen, Mixed Conifer	Poletimber Well	4.5	48	81-110	Stand is a mix of mature aspen and balsam fir with older pine and oak.
9	42260 - Natural Pine, Mixed Deciduous	Sawtimber Poor	22.2	95	1-50	This stand was shelterwood cut in 2010 on contract 024-07-01. Overall there was about 20 BA retained. This stand was mechanically scarified on FTP 33-668 in November of 2012 with a dozer and skidder with anchor chains. The purpose was to expose mineral soil to allow the oak and pine to seed in. There was 8"+ of snow when I looked at it, will have to check again later in the year when the snow is gone. Quite a few of the oaks that were cut have stump sprouted, but the ones along the edges of the stand have been heavily browsed by deer. If this stand does not adequately regenerate this stand should be clearcut and planted with red pine. Check the regeneration in 3 years to determine if any other treatments are needed.
10	6120 - Lowland Cedar	Sawtimber Well	5.6	129	141-170	Very good quality cedar stand, but some of the cedar has blown over. This stand provides good winter cover.



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11	4191 - Mixed Upland Deciduous with Conifer	Sawtimber Poor	9.2	95	1-50	Stand was shelterwood cut in 2009 on contract 024-07-01. There was about 30 to 40 BA of mixed species retained. In the areas where the BA was reduced there is aspen, oak, and maple regeneration. In other areas where the BA was left at 40 there is significantly less regeneration, especially the oak. The oak is mature and we are going to lose the ability to regenerate it, via stump sprouts if it is not harvested soon. Also, the aspen and maple regeneration will provide too much shade to regenerate the oak.
12	4133 - Aspen, Mixed Pine	Poletimber Well	36.7	49	81-110	Good quality aspen stand with some dense pockets of white pine.
13	4130 - Aspen	Sapling Well	10.6	6	Immature	Stand was clearcut in 2009 on contract 024-07-01. All oak and pine were retained. The stand has fully regenerated with aspen.
14	4139 - Aspen, Mixed Deciduous	Poletimber Well	17.7	27	Immature	Stand was clearcut in 1988 on contract 025-87-01; except some pine and oak was retained. Overall the stand has fully regenerated to a mix of aspen, oak, and red maple. With some dense pockets of the residual oak and pine, especially on the west side of the stand.
15	6132 - Mixed Lowland Forest with Cedar	Poletimber Well	1.8	98	141-170	Mature mixed lowland stand with overall low quality. There is already some tamarack mortality from the Eastern Larch Beetle.
16	4136 - Aspen, Mixed Conifer	Sapling Well	16.5	7	Immature	Stand was clearcut in 2007-08 on contract 023-07-01. About 4 acres of this stand oak wilt, which had a vibratory plow line placed around it. There was also another oak wilt pocket cut out of this stand in the 1980's in the southeastern part of the stand. This stand has fully regenerated to a mix of aspen and oak.
17	6129 - Mixed Coniferous Lowland Forest	Poletimber Well	47.5	117	81-110	Overall the stand has good quality mature tamarack with poor quality cedar mixed in. There are pockets of tamarack mortality throughout the stand from the Eastern Larch Beetle.
18	4130 - Aspen	Poletimber Well	1.2	38	1-50	Very low site index aspen, the stand is growing very slowly. There are not enough merchantable stems to harvest the stand.
19	4130 - Aspen	Sapling Well	5.9	7	Immature	Stand was clearcut in 2008 on contract 023-07-01; except some pine, oak, and cedar were retained. Most of the stand has regenerated with aspen; except the southern part is filling in with a mix of conifers. A high percentage of the oak that was cut has stump sprouted.
20	4191 - Mixed Upland Deciduous with Conifer	Poletimber Well	7.0	26	Immature	Stand was clearcut in 1989 on contract 025-87-01; except the mature oak was retained. Stand is fully stocked with a wide variety of species, manage this stand on a 50 to 60 year rotation.
21	4319 - Mixed Upland Forest	Sapling Well	8.7	25	51-80	Stand was clearcut in 1990 on contract 025-87-01; except some pine and oak was retained. Parts of this stand has dense aspen and other areas have a mix of conifer regeneration. The stand is fully stocked.
22	4134 - Aspen, Spruce/Fir	Poletimber Well	1.2	47	81-110	Good quality aspen stand with a mix of other species mixed in.



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23	6229 - Mixed lowland shrub	16.2	No	Thick tagalder swamp with scattered tamarack and cedar.