## **Compartment Review Presentation**

Traverse City Forest Management Unit

Former Compartment 61012

Entry Year 2019

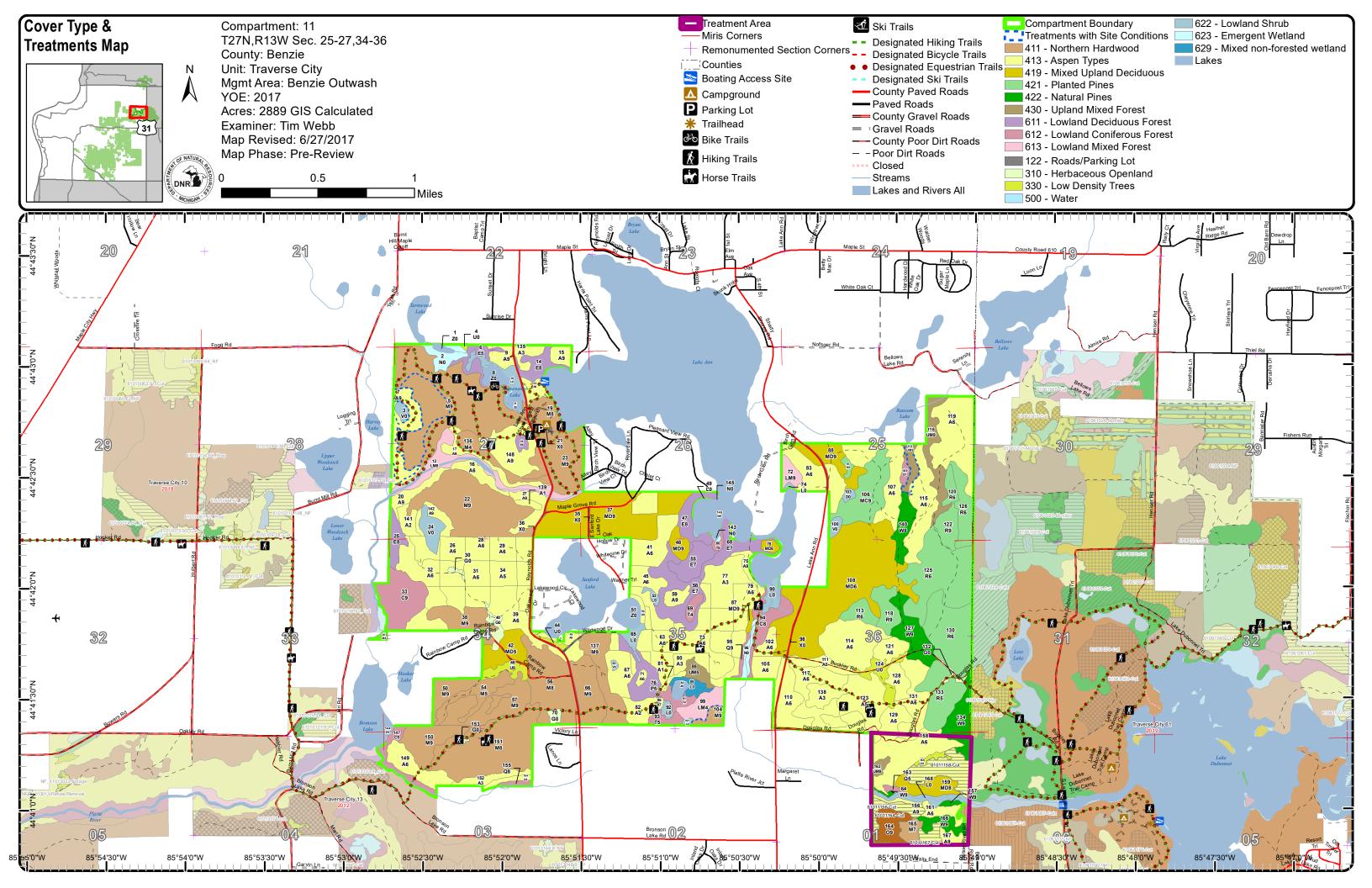
Inland Township, Benzie County

Stand Examiner: Tim Webb

Legal Description: T26N R13W, sections 1, 3, 15

The three disjunct parcels of state forest land comprising the former compartment 61012, corresponding to the three sections listed above, have recently been reapportioned into adjacent compartments for more efficient management. However, because these lands were due for review along with other year-of-entry 2019 compartments, they were re-inventoried during the current review cycle. All forest cover type data for the stands within these parcels have been updated. Subsequently, we are proposing forest management prescriptions within two of these parcels for inclusion in the 2019 plan of work, those being state land in sections 1 and 15. Thus, these prescriptions, if approved, will be out of their normal year-of-entry based on their new compartment designations.

Maps showing forest cover types and proposed treatments have been developed for these 2 parcels. These proposed prescriptions are being posted for public review along with the other 2019 compartments in the Traverse City Forest Management Unit. Public input received, including any from the July 12, 2017 Open House to be held at the Traverse City Customer Service Center, will be considered during the final Compartment Review scheduled for August 3, 2017.



Traverse City Mgt. Unit

Report 3 -- Treatments

Compartment: 11 Year of Entry: 2017

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**Treatment** Acres Stand Size Stand BA **Treatment Treatment Cover Type** Age **Approval** Method Name Objective Structure d CoverType Density Age Range Type Status 61011156-Cut 156 9.5 4130 - Aspen Sawtimber 54 Harvest Clearcut with 4130 - Aspen Even-Aged Draft Proposal Well Retention

**Habitat Cut: No Site Condition:** 

Prescription Clearcut to a 2" diameter limit. Leave a buffer along the riparian edge. Mark some scattered leave trees of various species. Create some CWD via Specs:

harvest operations

Next Step Monitoring, Natural Regen (Re-Inventory)

Treatments:

Acceptable aspen sprouts, plus some oak and white pine

Regen: Other Comment:

Proposed Start Date: 10/01/2018

158 61011158-Cut 25.6 4130 - Aspen Poletimber Unspec Harvest Clearcut with 413 - Aspen Even-Aged Draft Proposal Well ified Retention

**Habitat Cut: No** Site Condition:

Prescription Clearcut to 2" dbh, retaining all white oak, some mixed species trees, and a couple of "islands" where mature oak is concentrated.

Specs:

Next Step Monitoring, Natural Regen (Re-Inventory)

Treatments:

Acceptable Predominantly aspen sprouts, plus some hardwood and oak stump sprouts and seedlings and white pine seedlings.

Regen:

A strip along the creek bottom was kept out of the proposed harvest area as permanent retention in the riparian zone. Other

Comment:

**Proposed Start Date:** 10/01/2018

164 61011164-Cut 17.3 4123 - Red Oak Sawtimber 81-110 Harvest Crown Thinning 4123 - Red Oak Even-Aged Draft Proposal Well

Site Condition: **Habitat Cut: No** 

Prescription Thin to about 90 BA residual. Remove beech, older aspen, and some over-mature oak and maple. Release better oak crop trees.

Specs:

Next Step Treatments:

Acceptable

Regen:

Other Comment:

**Proposed Start Date:** 10/01/2018

167 61011167-Cut 6.0 4131 - Aspen, Oak Sawtimber 51 111-Harvest Clearcut with 4131 - Aspen, Even-Aged Draft Proposal

Well 140 Retention Oak

**Habitat Cut: No** Site Condition:

Prescription Clearcut to a 2" diameter limit. Leave some CWD. Leave retention in several small patches totaling 1/4 to 1/2 acre.

Specs:

Next Step Monitoring, Natural Regen (Re-Inventory)

Treatments:

Acceptable aspen and oak sprouts; some white pine and red maple also acceptable

Regen:

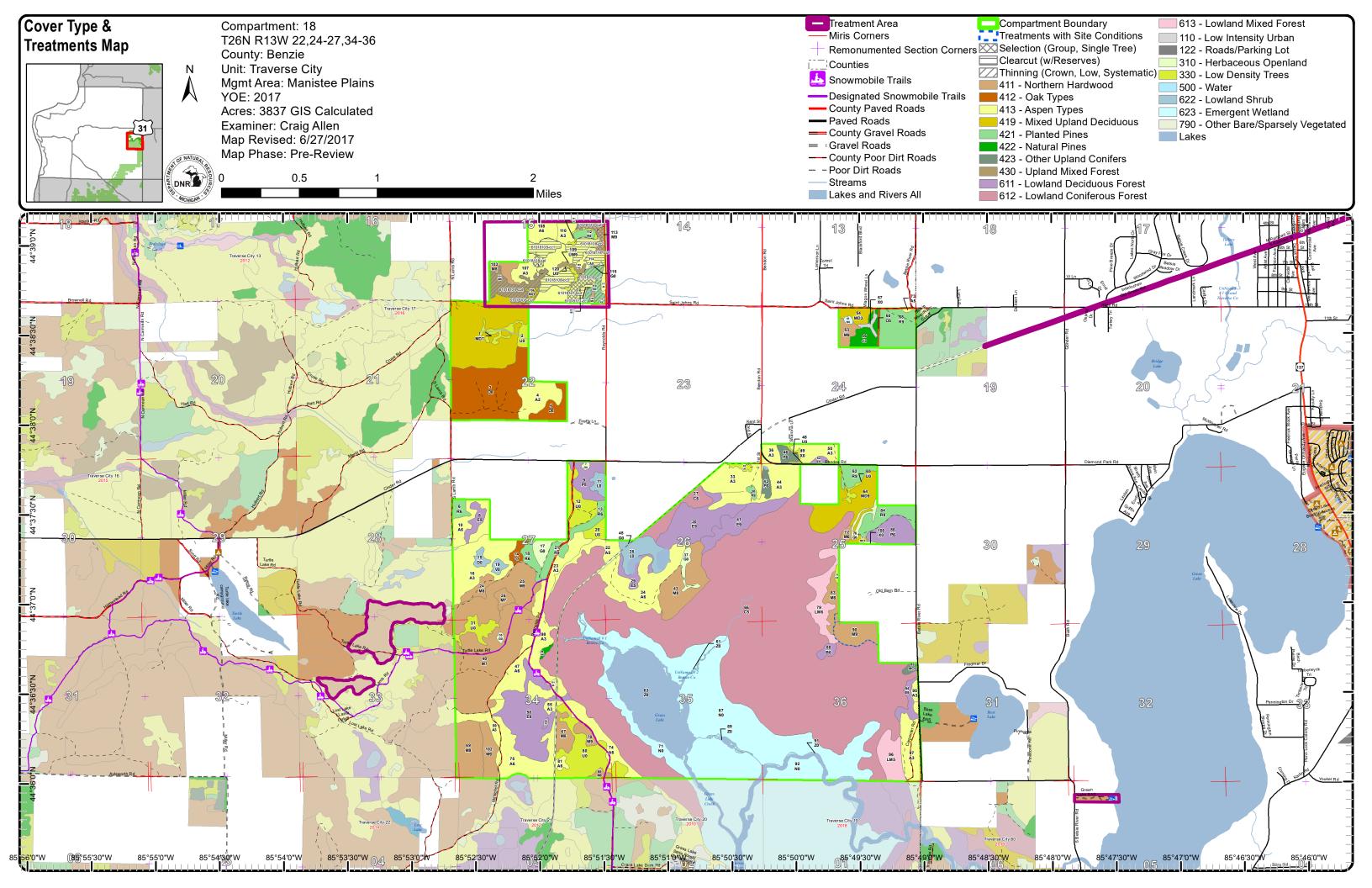
Other

Comment:

**Proposed Start Date:** 10/01/2018

**Total Treatment** Acreage Proposed:

58.4



Next Step Monitoring, Natural Regen (Re-Inventory)

Treatments:

Acceptable aspen sprouts; also some red maple stump sprouts and white pine seedlings

Regen:

Other Comment:

**Proposed Start Date:** 10/01/2018

108 61018108-cc2 11.6 4130 - Aspen Poletimber 55 Unspec Clearcut with 413 - Aspen Even-Aged Draft Proposal Harvest Retention ified

Well **Site Condition:** 

Prescription Clearcut to a 2" dbh. Retention: leave small reserve islands, about 5% of acreage. Leave some or all of the white pine as well.

Specs:

Next Step Monitoring, Natural Regen (Re-Inventory)

Treatments:

**Habitat Cut: No** 

Acceptable aspen sprouts; also some red maple stump sprouts and white pine seedlings

Regen:

Other Comment:

**Proposed Start Date:** 10/01/2018

Traverse City Mgt. Unit Report 3 -- Treatments Compartment: 18 s Year of Entry: 2017 а **Treatment** Acres Stand Size Stand BA **Treatment Treatment Cover Type** Approval n Age Method Name Objective Structure Status d CoverType Density Age Range Type 61018108-cc3 108 12.9 4130 - Aspen Poletimber 55 Unspec Harvest Clearcut with 413 - Aspen Even-Aged **Draft Proposal** Well ified Retention **Habitat Cut: No Site Condition:** Prescription Clearcut to a 2" dbh. Retention: leave small reserve islands, about 5% of acreage. Leave some or all of the white pine as well. Specs: Next Step Monitoring, Natural Regen (Re-Inventory) Treatments: Acceptable aspen sprouts; also some red maple stump sprouts and white pine seedlings Regen: Other Comment: Proposed Start Date: 10/01/2018 108 61018108-sel 2.8 4130 - Aspen Poletimber Unspec Harvest Single Tree 4110 - Sugar Uneven-**Draft Proposal** Well ified Selection Maple Aged Association **Habitat Cut: No Site Condition:** Prescription Mark for a selection. Residual BA about 90. Specs: Next Step Monitoring, Natural Regen (Re-Inventory) Treatments: Acceptable Any mix of hardwood seedlings and sprouts in gaps. Regen: Other Comment: **Proposed Start Date:** 10/01/2018 113 61018113-Cut 9.1 4110 - Sugar Maple Sawtimber 111-Harvest Single Tree 4110 - Sugar Even-Aged Draft Proposal Association Well 140 Selection Maple

Habitat Cut: No

<u>Prescription</u> Mark for selection with a residual BA of about 90. Create some regeneration gaps and some coarse woody debris.

Specs:

Next Step Monitoring, Natural Regen (Re-Inventory)

Treatments:

Acceptable Any mix of northern hardwood seedlings and stump sprouts.

**Site Condition:** 

Regen:

Other

Comment:

Proposed Start Date: 10/01/2018

114 61018114-Cut 6.5 4130 - Aspen Sawtimber 53 Unspec Harvest Clearcut with 4130 - Aspen Even-Aged Draft Proposal Well ified Retention

Association

Habitat Cut: No Site Condition:

Prescription Clearcut to 2" dbh. Retain all oak and cherry; mark some pine and maple for retention (maybe clumps?), especially along the road and the edge of

<u>Specs:</u> the opening to the south. Create some CWD.

Next Step Monitoring, Natural Regen (Re-Inventory)

Treatments:

Acceptable aspen sprouts; hardwood seedlings and sprouts and white pine seedlings also acceptable in the mix

Regen:

Other Comment:

Proposed Start Date: 10/01/2018

Traverse City Mgt. Unit Report 3 -- Treatments Compartment: 18 s Year of Entry: 2017 а **Treatment** Acres Stand Size Stand BA **Treatment Treatment Cover Type** Age Approval n Method Objective Structure Name CoverType Density Age **Status** d Range **Type** 61018116-Cut 12.5 42110 - Planted Red Sawtimber 171-42110 - Planted 116 Harvest Crown Thinning Even-Aged Draft Proposal Red Pine Pine Well 200 **Habitat Cut: No Site Condition:** Prescription Mark for thinning; residual BA 120-130. Specs: Next Step Treatments: Acceptable Regen: Other May need crane mats to cross the intermittent stream. Comment: Proposed Start Date: 10/01/2018 121 61018121-cc 4.2 4139 - Aspen, Mixed Sawtimber 141-Harvest Clearcut with 4130 - Aspen Even-Aged Draft Proposal Deciduous Retention Well 170 **Habitat Cut: No Site Condition:** Prescription Clearcut to a 2" dbh limit. Mark individual trees for retention (about 5% cover). Specs: Next Step Monitoring, Natural Regen (Re-Inventory) Treatments: Acceptable aspen sprouts Regen: Other Comment: **Proposed Start Date:** 10/01/2018 121 61018121-Cut 7.1 4139 - Aspen, Mixed Sawtimber 141-Harvest Single Tree 4110 - Sugar Uneven-**Draft Proposal** 

Habitat Cut: No Site Condition:

Prescription Mark for selection, focusing on removal of aspen. Residual BA 80-90.

Deciduous

Specs:

Next Step Monitoring, Natural Regen (Re-Inventory)

Treatments:

Acceptable Any mix of northern hardwood seedlings and sprouts; some aspen sprouting also expected in larger gaps.

Well

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Selection

Maple

Association

Aged

Regen:

Other Comment:

Proposed Start Date: 10/01/2018

Total Treatment Acreage Proposed: 107.2