

# ROSCOMMON FOREST MANAGEMENT UNIT COMPARTMENT REVIEW PRESENTATION

COMPARTMENT # 114 ENTRY YEAR: 2011

Compartment Acreage: 710 County: Roscommon

**Revision Date:** 3/11/09

Stand Examiner: D. Ekdom

**Legal Description:** T22N R3W Sections 22, 26, 27

Management Goals: Maintain current age and species diversity in a range of early and late successional

ecosystems.

**Soil and Topography:** Terrain is relatively flat to slightly rolling. Soil types are Grayling and Saugatuck sand on the higher ground and Rifle peat and Greenwood peat in the lower, wetter areas.

Ownership Patterns, Development, and Land Use in and Around the Compartment: Compartment is a mostly solid block of state land with several larger and smaller in-holdings. Private property in and around the compartment is both permanent and seasonal homes in sub-divisions and small acreages and larger non-developed parcels used for hunting and other recreation.

**Unique, Natural Features:** No T & E species recorded in compartment but potential exists based on records on surrounding lands.

**Archeological, Historical, and Cultural Features:** Compartment contains at least 1 turn-of-the-century occupation site.

**Special Management Designations or Considerations:** None

**Watershed and Fisheries Considerations:** Knappens Creek, one large marshy flooding, and one tributary of Knappens Creek.

**Wildlife Habitat Considerations:** Maintain ecosystem diversity in the compartment via habitat manipulation to benefit game species such as deer, grouse, rabbits, and turkeys as well as non-game species.

Mineral Resource and Development Concerns and/or Restrictions: Surface sediments consist of glacial outwash sand and gravel and postglacial alluvium. The glacial drift thickness varies between 600 and 800 feet. Beneath the glacial drift are the Pennsylvanian Saginaw Formation and the Mississippian Bayport Limestone and Michigan Formation. The Saginaw is quarried for clay for brick making, the Bayport for limestone and the Michigan for gypsum in other areas of the State. Most of the good gravel pits are associated with upland areas. A pit is located in Section 22, but this Compartment appears to have limited gravel potential. The Nellsville Field is located seven miles to the west. The field has produced over 59,000 BO from the Devonian Richfield Formation. Section 26 is currently leased for oil & gas development.

**Vehicle Access:** Excellent access on State Highway M-18, county non-seasonal and seasonal roads and forest two-tracks.

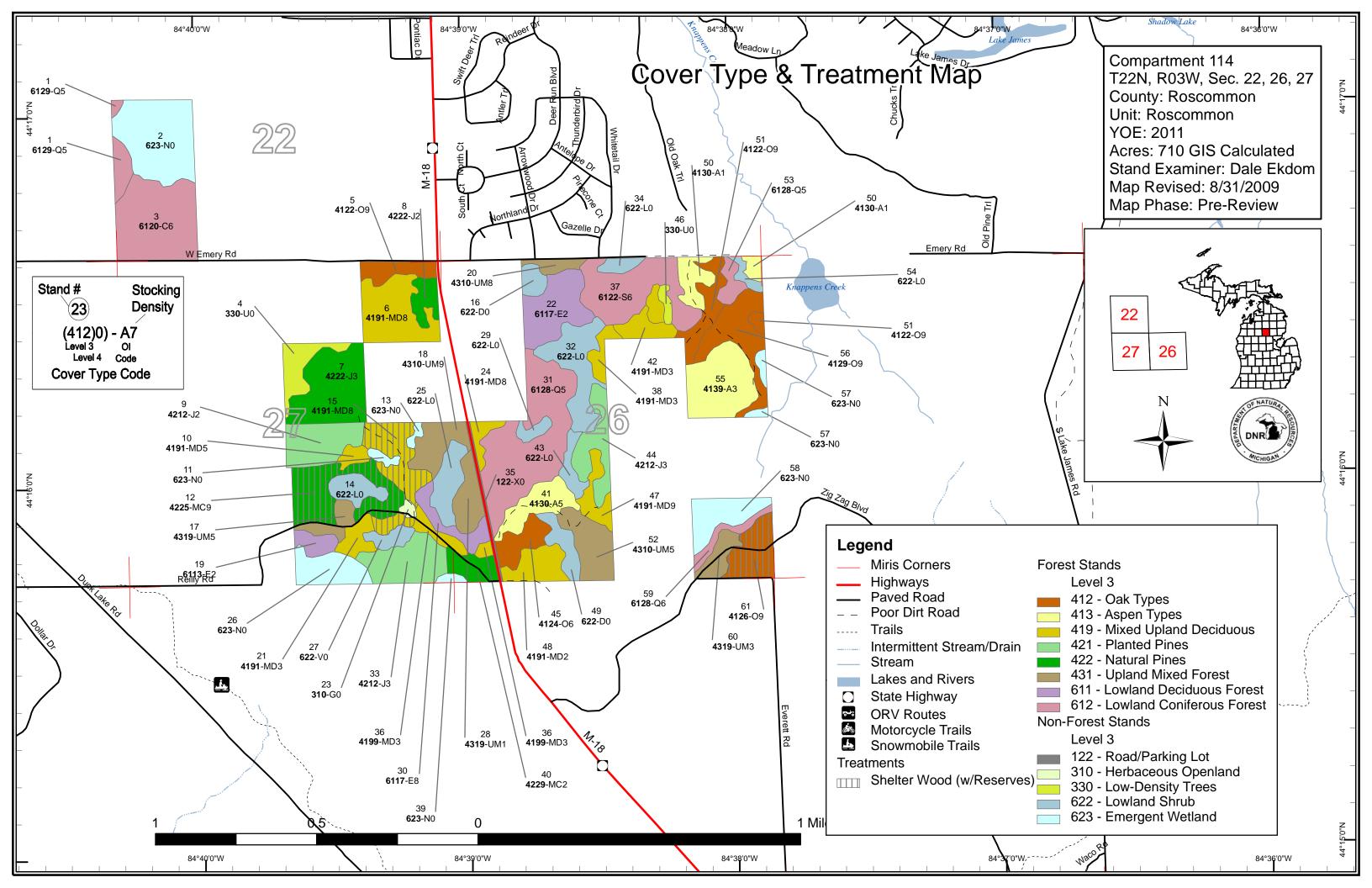
Survey Needs: None necessary at this time.

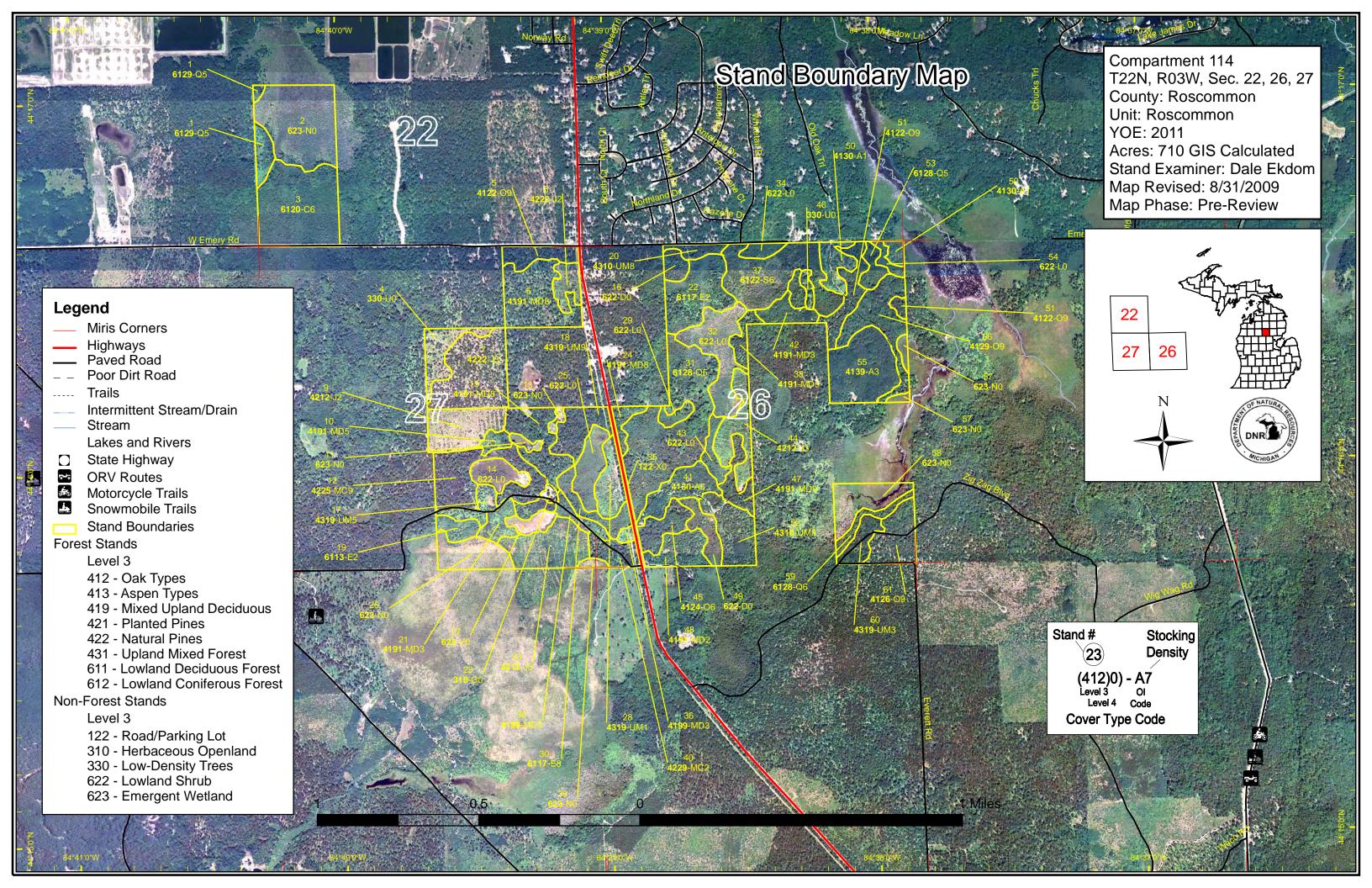
**Recreational Facilities and Opportunities:** No developed recreation facilities at this time but heavy hunting and snowmobile use during those seasons due to the proximity to Prudenville.

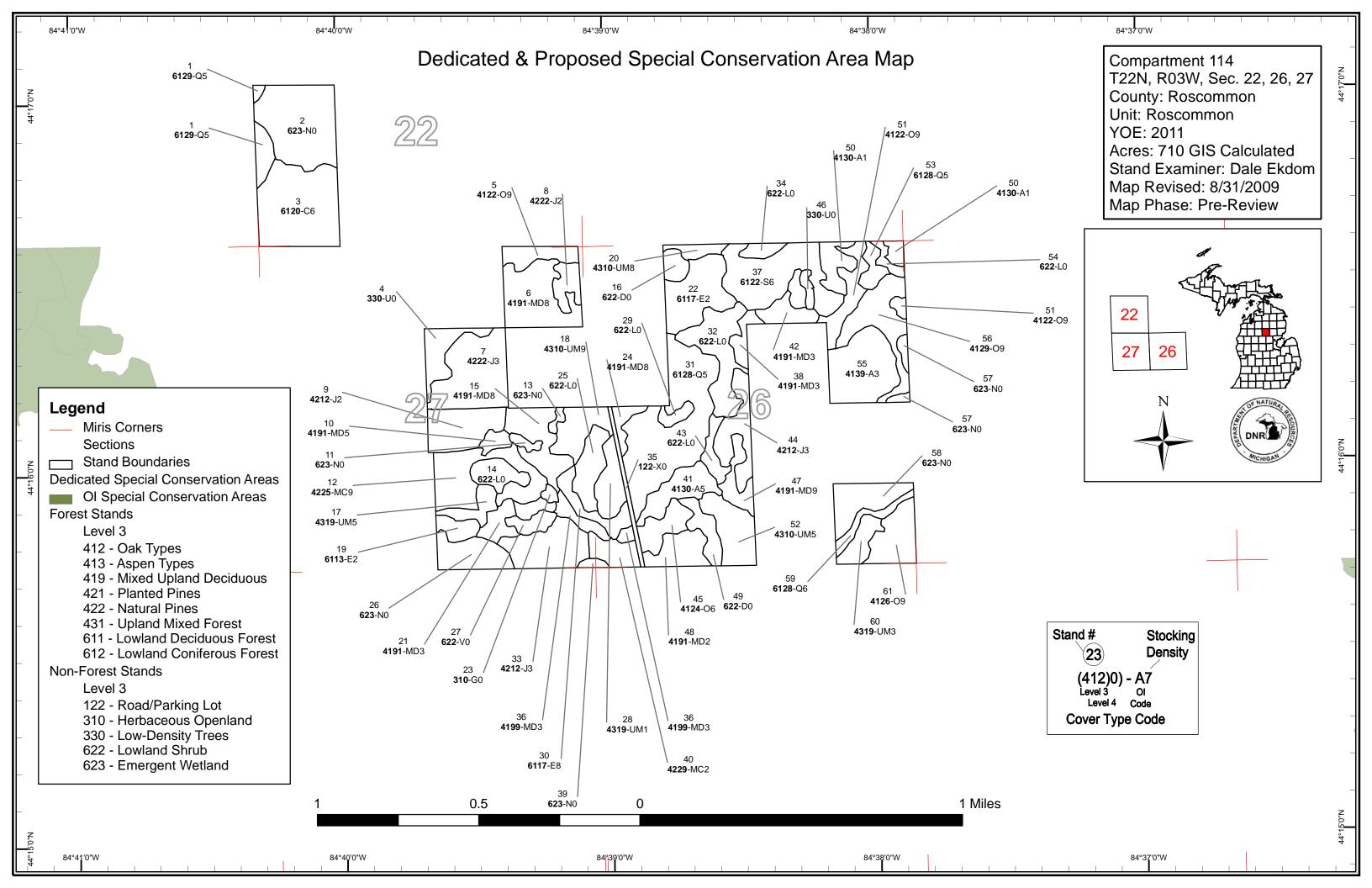
**Fire Protection:** No unusual needs anticipated due to terrain and proximity to suppression forces.

**Additional Compartment Information:** 59 acres of shelterwood harvests are prescribed in 3 oak stands with a management objective of oak/pine in these 3 stands.

- ➤ The following 5 reports from the Operations Inventory System (OIPC) are attached:
  - **♦** Cover Type by Age Class
  - **♦** Cover Type by Management Objective
  - **♦** Compartment Volume Summary
  - **♦** Proposed Treatments No Limiting Factors
  - **♦** Proposed Treatments With Limiting Factors
- > The following information is displayed, where pertinent, on the attached compartment maps:
  - ♦ Base feature information, stand numbers, cover types
  - **♦** Proposed treatments
  - **♦** Proposed road access system
  - **♦** Suggested potential old growth







## Covertype, Acres, and Age summary

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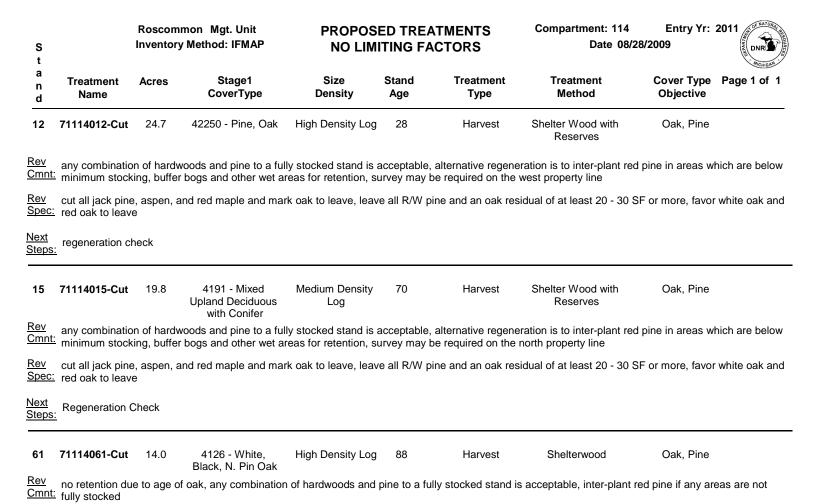
(Level 3 Cover Type)

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#### Age Class A CANADA "a"73 70,73 \$ \$\$ %× Aspen Types **Emergent Wetland** Herbaceous Openland **Low-Density Trees** Lowland Coniferous Forest Lowland Deciduous Forest Lowland Shrub Mixed Upland Deciduous **Natural Pines** Oak Types Planted Pines Road/Parking Lot Upland Mixed Forest Total



Rev cut all aspen, jack pine,red maple, pin oak and leave all white oak and R/W pine

58.5

Spec:

<u>Next</u>

Steps:

**Total Treatment** 

Acreage Proposed:

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PROPOSED TREATMENTS WITH LIMITING FACTORS

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а Acres Stage1 Size Stand Treatment **Treatment Cover Type** Page 1 of 1 **Treatment** n Cover Type Density Method Objective Age Type d Name

Limiting Factor and Comment:

Rev Cmnt:

Rev Spec:

Spec.

Next Steps:

No Treatment Reason

Total Treatment

Acreage Proposed:

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### PROPOSED SPECIAL CONSERVATION AREA\* (SCA) DETAILS

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\* 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.

**Inventory Method: IFMAP** 

Stand	SCA Name	Acres	Comments

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#### **DEDICATED CONSERVATION AREA DETAILS**

\* This is a list of Dedicated Biodiversity Areas for this compartment along with a 1/4 mile buffer surrounding the compartment. Refer to Dedicated Conservation Area Map for areas that the below listed Conservation Areas are located.

Conservation Area	Туре	Description	HCVA = High Conservation Value Area SCA = Special Conservation Area
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