

Good Neighbor Authority
Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources
Washburn Ranger District
Chequamegon-Nicolet National Forest
Bayfield County, WI

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1 inch = 0.25 miles

Timber Sale:
 Black Bear Bonanza

Township/Range/Section:
 T49N R5W Sec 30, T49N R6W Sec 24,25

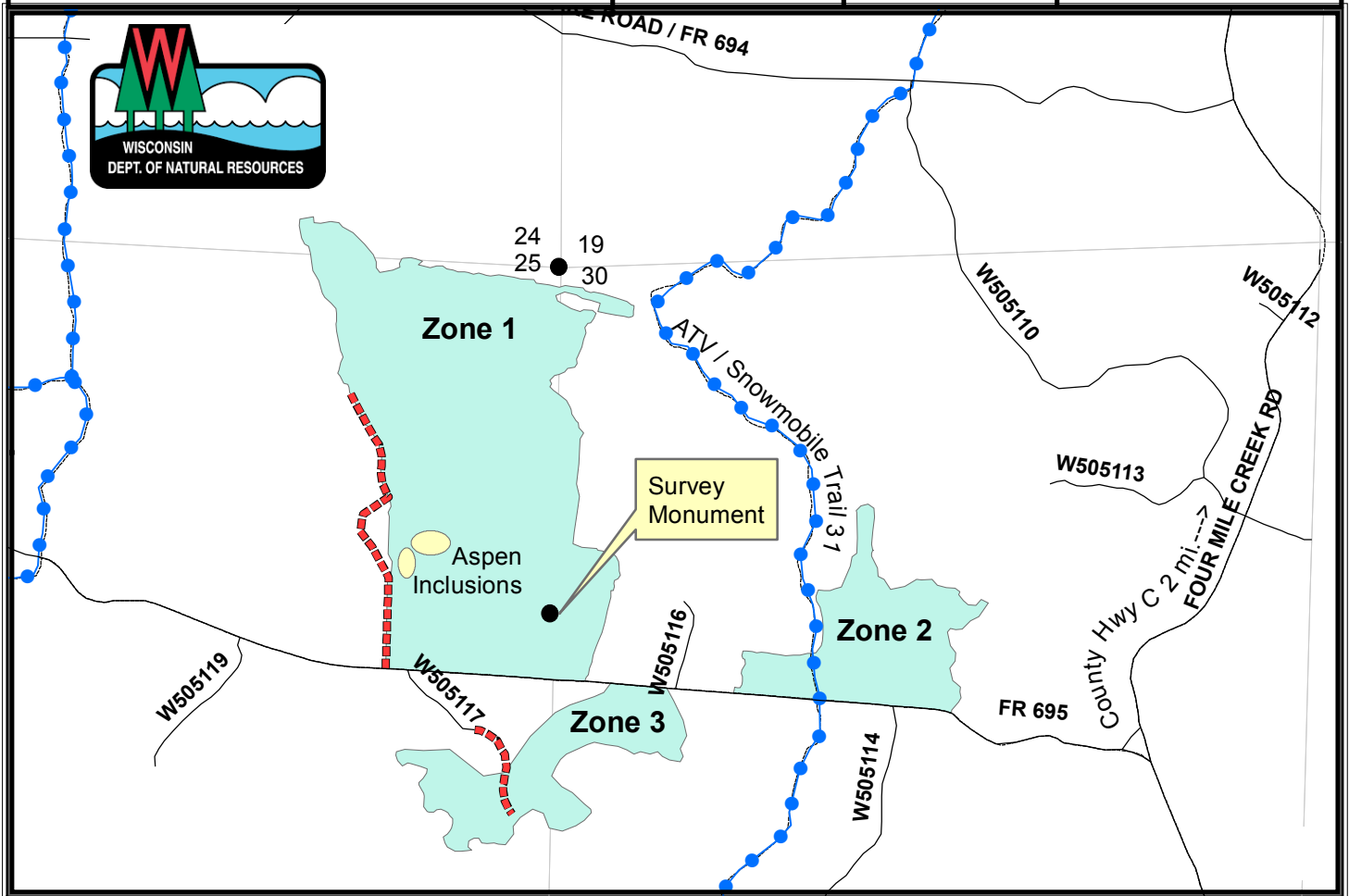
Tract Number:
 8001-08-17

Acres:
 159

Number of Zones:
 3

Legend

- Roads
- ▬ Contractor Builds Temp. Road
- ATV/ Snowmobile Trail
- Sale Area
- Sections
- Streams 24k
- Lakes 24k



Cutting Prescription:

- **Zone 1 (C.205 S.5):** Harvest every 3rd row of red pine (rows are not marked with paint). Contractor must start with harvesting third row from the edge of the plantation. Harvest all aspen and jack pine within cut rows, leave all other aspen and jack pine. There are two small aspen inclusions in the southwest portion of the zone. Harvest all aspen and jack pine within the inclusions. Leave all maple, oak, and red pine.
- **Zone 2 (C.205 S.33):** Harvest every 3rd row of red pine (rows are not marked with paint). Contractor must start with harvesting third row from the edge of the plantation. Harvest all aspen and jack pine within cut rows, leave all other aspen and jack pine.
- **Zone 3 (C.185 S.8):** Harvest all rows marked with **Blue Paint**. Harvest all red pine, aspen and jack pine in cut rows; leave all other red pine, aspen and jack pine. Ignore all aspen marked with **Orange Paint** within cut rows, they are to be cut.

General Sale Conditions:

- Sale boundaries and reserve areas are established using **Orange Paint**
- Do not harvest orange painted trees or operate equipment across Orange Paint lines.
- Utilization will be to a 4" top. Whole tree harvesting and/or utilization of tops (less than 4" diameter) will not be allowed.
- Leave all standing snag and den trees that do not pose a safety hazard uncut.
- Equipment must be cleaned before entering or leaving sale area to prevent the introduction/spread of invasive species, equipment must be inspected by sale administrator.
- All pine products cut between May 1 and September 1 must be removed from the sale area within three weeks from time of cutting. Pine products cut during the remainder of the year must be removed prior to May 1 of each year.
- Purchaser required to post signs on USFS roads alerting recreationalists of thinning activities
- In all zones a 10' wide strip along FR695 and along Snowmobile Trail 33 where they are adjacent to the sale must be kept free of slash. All slash resulting from Purchaser's operations shall be removed.
- All slash in all zones shall be lopped and scattered so as to lie within 2 ft. of the ground.
- Chequamegon-Nicolet Forest Plan requires that all native surfaced approaches to paved or graveled roads have 100 ft. of gravel, 6 in. deep, 12 ft. wide put down when used during non-frozen conditions.
- The location and clearing widths of all Temporary Roads shall be agreed to in writing before construction is started. "Temporary Roads" are roads other than Specified Roads that are constructed by Purchaser for the purpose of harvesting included timber.



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“Black Bear Bonanza” Sale- Prospectus
Tract No.: 8001-08-17

Location: T49N R5W Section 30, T49N R6W Sec 24 and 25, Washburn Township, Bayfield County WI

Sale Area: 159 Acres

<u>SPECIES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED VOLUME</u>	<u>ADVERTISED VALUE*</u>
RED PINE	1986 CDS**	\$33.90/CD
JACK PINE	108 CDS	\$11.50/CD
ASPEN	86 CDS	\$12.70/CD

Minimum Acceptable Bid: \$69,659.60

*Individual species/product bids may be less than advertised value, but must be more than \$0.00, and the total bid must meet or exceed the total minimum acceptable bid of \$69,659.60.

**Red Pine will be sold as mixed product class and contains 74 MBF of sawtimber.

Red pine conversion rate will be 2.25 tons per cord. Jack pine, 2.125 and aspen 2.25 tons/cord.

- Mill Ticket Sale
- No bid bond required
- A performance bond in the amount of 15% of the total sale bid value is required within 30 business days of bid opening, or before operations begin, whichever is sooner.
- The contract period is 2 years
- Sale bounded by **Orange** paint and FR695. See sale maps for specifics.
- Zone 1 Cutting Prescription: Red Pine Intermediate Thinning (110 acres):
 - Harvest every third row (rows are not marked with paint). Contractor must start with harvesting third row from the edge of the plantation.
 - Harvest all aspen and jack pine within cut rows. Leave all other aspen and jack pine.
 - There are two small aspen inclusions in the southwest portion of zone 1. Harvest all aspen and jack pine within the inclusions. Leave all maple, oak, and red pine.
 - Sale boundaries and reserve areas are established using **ORANGE paint.**
 - Do not harvest orange painted trees or operate equipment across **Orange** paint line.
 - Damage to any residual trees will not be tolerated.
 - Utilization will be to a 4” top. Whole tree harvesting and/or utilization of tops (≤4” diameter) will not be allowed.
- Zone 2 Cutting Prescription: Red Pine Intermediate Thinning (26 acres):
 - Harvest every third row (rows are not marked with paint). Contractor must start with harvesting third row from the edge of the plantation.
 - Harvest all aspen and jack pine within cut rows. Leave all other aspen and jack pine.
 - Sale boundaries and reserve areas are established using **ORANGE paint.**
 - Do not harvest trees or operate equipment across **Orange** paint line.
 - Damage to any residual trees will not be tolerated.
 - Utilization will be to a 4” top. Whole tree harvesting and/or utilization of tops (≤4”

diameter) will not be allowed.

- Zone 3 Cutting Prescription: Red Pine Intermediate Thinning (23 acres):
 - Harvest all rows marked with **Blue paint**. Harvest all red pine, aspen and jack pine in cut rows; leave all other red pine, aspen and jack pine.
 - Ignore all aspen marked with **Orange paint** in cut rows, these will be cut.
 - Sale boundaries and reserve areas are established using **ORANGE paint**.
 - Do not harvest trees or operate equipment across **Orange** paint line.
 - Damage to any residual trees will not be tolerated.
 - Utilization will be to a 4" top. Whole tree harvesting and/or utilization of tops (≤ 4 " diameter) will not be allowed.

Special Conditions;

- **NO SALE MAY BEGIN WITHOUT PRIOR NOTIFICATION AND AN ON-SITE MEETING WITH A WISCONSIN DNR SALE ADMINISTRATOR.**
- Purchaser required to post signs on USFS roads alerting recreationalists of thinning activities.
- Equipment must be cleaned before entering and leaving sale area to prevent the introduction/spread of invasive species. Sale administrator must inspect all equipment for compliance.
- All pine products cut between May 1 and September 1 must be removed from the sale area within three weeks from time of cutting. Pine products cut during the remainder of the year must be removed prior to May 1 of each year.
- All Zones: A 10' wide strip along FR695 and along Snowmobile/ATV Trail 33 where they are adjacent to the sale must be kept free of slash. All slash resulting from Purchaser's operations shall be removed.
- No cutting of red painted survey bearing trees.
- All slash in all zones shall be lopped and scattered to lie within 2 ft. of the ground.
- Chequamegon-Nicolet Forest Plan requires that all native surfaced approaches to paved or graveled roads have 100 ft. of gravel, 6 in. deep, 12 ft. wide put down when used during non-frozen conditions
- The location and clearing widths of all Temporary Roads shall be agreed to in writing before construction is started. "Temporary Roads" are roads other than Specified Roads that are constructed by Purchaser for the purpose of harvesting included timber.
- Temporary Roads shall have the road base constructed to a width of 12 feet or narrower, and with vegetative clearing of trees and brush not to exceed a width of 25 feet. Exceptions to the 12 foot maximum width of the road base may be granted by the sale administrator. Exceptions would typically be granted for sections of temporary roads where tight turns, curves, and terrain create a need so that trucks and equipment can be operated safely.
- When the snowmobile trail is open a mat of hard packed snow must be maintained
- No hauling activities allowed on ATV/snowmobile trail during spring closure (March 15 – April 30th), on weekends or holidays (weekends are Friday 6 pm through Sunday at midnight; holidays include Memorial Day, 4th of July, Labor Day, Thanksgiving, Christmas Eve, Christmas, New Year's Eve, and New Year's).
- Skidding and forwarding are not allowed on the ATV/snowmobile trail except right angle crossings.
- All Temporary Roads and other Roads noted in Prescription for use in Sale will be decommissioned when sale is completed. Due to excessive ATV use and "sand country" the Washburn District utilizes logging slash/stumps/debris for **300 feet beyond the berm**. GNA sales will need to be consistent with current Washburn District Forest Service practice.