



State Land Management

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State Forest Land



- 4 million acres
- Dual-certified forests, 10 years
- Manage for diverse values



Forest Inventory Data



National leader in forest inventory

- **GIS supported**
- **Totally updated every 10 years**
- **Use of new technology and imagery**



Data Analysis Capacity



- State inventory data
- U.S. Forest Service FIA data
- Provide info for investment
- Example: ARAUCO



Timber Production



- 61,000 acres/year average
- Approx. 900,000 cords/year
- Sales offered every month
- 2-3 year contracts

Quick Response



Salvage

- Emerald ash borer
- Heavy summer winds in Traverse City
- Spruce budworm



Fire Protection



County Road 601 Fire



Duck Lake Fire



Sustainable Management



- Plant over 6 million seedlings/year
- Naturally regenerate thousands of acres
- Research



Support of Forest Management



- Commercial Forest Program
- Forest Stewardship
- Provide training
 - Soil Conservation District Foresters
- Good Neighbor Authority



Work With Industry



- Lowland harvesting demos
- Stable of portable bridges and mats
- Best Management Practice audits



Working Together



- **Timber Advisory Council**
 - Data and analysis
 - Priority projects
 - Overcome impediments
 - Look for solutions
- **Forest Management Advisory Committee**
- **MEDC**
- **MDARD**
- **USFS**



Thank you!

