

# CHIPPEWA NATIONAL FOREST LAND AND RESOURCE MANAGEMENT PLAN

## **Amendment 3** **Exemption to Standard S-WL-10 Mature and Older Jack Pine** **7/19/2013**

The CNF Land and Resource Management Plan (Forest Plan) has been amended to exempt meeting the following Standard (p. 2-32):

MIH 8: Mature and older jack pine forest

S-WL-10 Maintain at least 5,300 acres in mature or older jack pine forest types during the first 10 years of plan implementation.

This project specific, non-significant Forest Plan amendment provides an exemption to meeting Forest Plan Standard S-WL-10 for mature and older jack pine forest for the Blowdown Restoration Project. The amendment is included in the decision for this project signed July 19, 2013 by Walker District Ranger, Carolyn Upton. The analysis for the decision is documented in the Blowdown Restoration Project Environmental Assessment.

The amendment only applies to the Blowdown Restoration Project and is in effect until the end of the first decade of the 2004 Forest Plan. The Forest Plan Revision Record of Decision was signed July 30, 2004. This amendment does not change any Forest Plan goals, objectives, desired conditions or any associated outputs.

