

**SUMMARY COMMENTS**

**Harrison Crawford State Forest**      **Compartment 23 Tract 4**      **30 Day Comment Period Ending: 7/6/2013**      **Comments Received: 1**

The table below is a summary of public comments received concerning the draft Resource Management Guide. The public comments received have been reviewed in their entirety and given due consideration summarized in the Division of Forestry response below.

<b>Comment Summary</b>	<b>Division of Forestry Response</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Concerned that management progression does not follow the 2009 Process flow chart.</li> <li>• Recommends DoF should publish timber sales in largest newspapers of affected counties.</li> <li>• Concern about soil erosion and impact on sink hole in area</li> <li>• Concern on impact to Indiana bat.</li> <li>• Concern prescription would reduce tract below 60% canopy cover</li> <li>•</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Per the Resource Management Process, the flowchart order and timeline are for reference and are approximate. Actual process activities may occur somewhat out of the shown order. Comments received during comment periods are given consideration as part of the overall management process.</li> <li>• The Division of Forestry will advertise timber sales publically through multiple outlets, including newspapers serving the area.</li> <li>• The Division of Forestry will utilize guidance from the US Fish and Wildlife Service to avoid take impacts to the Indiana bat.</li> <li>• Best management practices will be implemented and monitored to address the soil erosion concerns.</li> <li>• The prescribed activities is projected to maintain tract canopy cover at over 60%</li> </ul>