



MISSING-PERSON BETA:

VICTIM'S PERSONAL GEAR & WILDERNESS EQUIPMENT FORM



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Michigan Backcountry Search & Rescue (MiBSAR)

As a US Department of Homeland Security *Community Emergency Response Team* (CERT), MiBSAR is dedicated to assisting—free of charge—law enforcement agencies and families with missing-person cold cases in remote, wilderness regions of Northern Michigan and the eastern Lake Superior watershed area of Ontario, Canada.

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Official use only	Victim:	Location:		Date went missing:
	Informant:	Initials:	Location:	Date:
	Informant:	Initials:	Location:	Date:
	Informant:	Initials:	Location:	Date:
	Informant:	Initials:	Location:	Date:
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Victim's personal gear & wilderness equipment

Pack: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Brand:
	Model:
	Style: <input type="checkbox"/> butt pack <input type="checkbox"/> external frame back pack <input type="checkbox"/> internal frame backpack <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe)
	Color:
	Size:
	Material: <input type="checkbox"/> nylon <input type="checkbox"/> canvas <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe)
	Logo/graphic:
	Color of rain cover:
Shelter: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Brand:
	Model:
	Style: <input type="checkbox"/> dome tent <input type="checkbox"/> A-frame tent <input type="checkbox"/> tarp <input type="checkbox"/> bivouac sack <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe)
	Color:
	Size: <input type="checkbox"/> 1-person <input type="checkbox"/> 2-person <input type="checkbox"/> 3-person <input type="checkbox"/> 4-person <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe)
	Logo/graphic:
	Type of stakes (describe shape, length, material):
Sleeping bag: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Brand:

	Model: Style: <input type="checkbox"/> rectangular <input type="checkbox"/> mummy <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe) Color: Size: <input type="checkbox"/> short <input type="checkbox"/> regular <input type="checkbox"/> long <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe) Zipper: <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> yes Logo/graphic:
Sleeping pad: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Brand: Model: Style: <input type="checkbox"/> closed-cell foam <input type="checkbox"/> inflatable <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe) Color: Size: <input type="checkbox"/> short <input type="checkbox"/> long <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe) Logo/graphic:
Cook stove: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Brand: Model: Style: <input type="checkbox"/> 1-piece unit <input type="checkbox"/> separate fuel tank <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe) Color: Fuel type: <input type="checkbox"/> coleman (white gas) <input type="checkbox"/> kerosene <input type="checkbox"/> compressed gas <input type="checkbox"/> wood <input type="checkbox"/> Esbit <input type="checkbox"/> alcohol <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe) Extra fuel cells: <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> yes (describe size, material, & color):
Cook pots: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Brand: Model: Style: <input type="checkbox"/> pot without lid <input type="checkbox"/> pot & lid <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe) Color: Side handles: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes Wire bail: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes Material: <input type="checkbox"/> aluminum <input type="checkbox"/> steel <input type="checkbox"/> titanium <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe)
Cup: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Brand: Model: Cover: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes Handle: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes Color: Side handles: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes

	Wire bail: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes Material: <input type="checkbox"/> aluminum <input type="checkbox"/> steel <input type="checkbox"/> titanium <input type="checkbox"/> plastic <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe)
Spoon: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Type: <input type="checkbox"/> aluminum <input type="checkbox"/> steel <input type="checkbox"/> titanium <input type="checkbox"/> plastic <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe) Color:
Fork: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Type: <input type="checkbox"/> aluminum <input type="checkbox"/> steel <input type="checkbox"/> titanium <input type="checkbox"/> plastic <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe) Color:
Knife: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Type: <input type="checkbox"/> aluminum <input type="checkbox"/> steel <input type="checkbox"/> titanium <input type="checkbox"/> plastic <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe) Color:
Pot holder: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Type: <input type="checkbox"/> aluminum <input type="checkbox"/> steel <input type="checkbox"/> titanium <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe) Color:
Food carried: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (describe item, brand, container material, container color):	
Towel: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Brand:
	Material: <input type="checkbox"/> synthetic <input type="checkbox"/> cotton <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe):
	Color:
	Size:
Toilet paper: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (describe container):	
Toilet shovel: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Brand:
	Color:
	Material: <input type="checkbox"/> plastic <input type="checkbox"/> metal <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe):
Toothbrush: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Brand:
	Color:
Toothpaste: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Brand:
	Size of container:
	Color of container:
Sunscreen: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Brand:
	Type of container:
	Size of container:

	Color of container:		
Lipbalm: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Brand:		
	Type of container:		
	Size of container:		
	Color of container:		
Carried medications: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes:	Medicine	Strength	Dose
Wrist watch: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Type: <input type="checkbox"/> digital <input type="checkbox"/> analog <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe):		
	Brand:		
	Model:		
	Watch color:		
	Strap color:		
	Strap material: <input type="checkbox"/> fabric <input type="checkbox"/> plastic <input type="checkbox"/> rubber <input type="checkbox"/> leather <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe):		
Wallet: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (describe wallet and contents such as money, credit cards, video rental cards, licenses, IDs, membership cards, photos, etc.):			
Jewelry: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (describe rings, bracelets, necklaces, anklets, piercings, studs, pins, etc.):			
Cell phone: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (describe):			
Keys: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (describe keyring, number of keys, type of keys, labels on keys, etc.):			

First-aid kit: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Brand:
	Case: <input type="checkbox"/> fabric <input type="checkbox"/> hard plastic <input type="checkbox"/> metal <input type="checkbox"/> zip-lock bag <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe)
	Size:
	Color:
	Tweezers: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (describe):
	Scissors: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (describe):
	Pill bottles: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (describe):
	Tape: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (describe):
	Bandages: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (describe):
	Other contents:
Repair kit: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Case: <input type="checkbox"/> fabric <input type="checkbox"/> hard plastic <input type="checkbox"/> metal <input type="checkbox"/> zip-lock bag <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe)
	Size:
	Color:
	Tools: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (describe):
	Tape: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (describe):
	Wire: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (describe):
	Cordage: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (describe):
	Sewing kit: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (describe):
Other contents:	
Pocket knife: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Brand:
	Model:
	Color:
	Number of blades/tools:

	Length folded:	
Multi-tool: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Brand:	
	Model:	
	Color:	
	Number of blades/tools:	
	Length folded:	
Sheath knife: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Brand:	
	Model:	
	Color:	
	Total length:	Blade length:
	Sheath color:	
	Sheath material: <input type="checkbox"/> plastic <input type="checkbox"/> leather <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe):	
Saw: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Brand:	
	Model:	
	Handle color:	
	Type: <input type="checkbox"/> fixed <input type="checkbox"/> folding <input type="checkbox"/> break down <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe):	
	Blade length:	
	Sheath color:	
	Sheath material: <input type="checkbox"/> plastic <input type="checkbox"/> leather <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe):	
Ax: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Brand:	
	Model:	
	Handle color:	
	Handle length:	
	Sheath color:	
	Sheath material: <input type="checkbox"/> plastic <input type="checkbox"/> leather <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe):	
Compass: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Brand:	
	Model:	
	Color:	
	Style: <input type="checkbox"/> baseplate <input type="checkbox"/> baseplate with folding mirror lid <input type="checkbox"/> wrist <input type="checkbox"/> ball <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe):	
	Material: <input type="checkbox"/> clear plastic <input type="checkbox"/> colored plastic <input type="checkbox"/> metal <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe):	
GPS unit: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Brand:	
	Model:	
	Color:	

	Case color:
	Case material:
Matches: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Brand:
	Container material: <input type="checkbox"/> cardboard <input type="checkbox"/> fabric <input type="checkbox"/> hard plastic <input type="checkbox"/> metal <input type="checkbox"/> zip-lock bag <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe)
	Container color:
	Strike type: <input type="checkbox"/> stike anywhere <input type="checkbox"/> safety
	Waterproof: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes
	Waterproof: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes
Lighter: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Type: <input type="checkbox"/> butane disposable <input type="checkbox"/> butane refillable <input type="checkbox"/> liquid fuel <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe):
	Brand:
	Model:
	Container material: <input type="checkbox"/> hard plastic <input type="checkbox"/> metal <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe)
	Color:
Firestarters: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (describe):	
Magnesim firestarter with striker: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (brand):	
Flint striker: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Brand:
	Color:
Whistle: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Color:
	Shape:
	Material: <input type="checkbox"/> plastic <input type="checkbox"/> metal <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe):
Signal mirror: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Brand:
	Size:
	Material: <input type="checkbox"/> plastic <input type="checkbox"/> metal <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe):
Candles: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Color:
	Size:
Insect repellent: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Type: <input type="checkbox"/> DEET lotion <input type="checkbox"/> DEET liquid <input type="checkbox"/> DEET spray <input type="checkbox"/> non-DEET formulation <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe):
	Brand:
	Container size:
	Container color:
Light: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Brand:
	Model:
	Color:

	Style: <input type="checkbox"/> headlamp with strap <input type="checkbox"/> small handheld flashlight <input type="checkbox"/> large handheld flashlight <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe):
	Type: <input type="checkbox"/> LED <input type="checkbox"/> incandescent bulb <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe):
	Battery size: <input type="checkbox"/> AAA <input type="checkbox"/> AA <input type="checkbox"/> C <input type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe):
	Battery number: <input type="checkbox"/> one <input type="checkbox"/> two <input type="checkbox"/> three <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe):
	Material: <input type="checkbox"/> plastic <input type="checkbox"/> metal <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe):
Book: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Type: <input type="checkbox"/> paperback <input type="checkbox"/> hardback
	Size:
	Subject:
	Author:
	Title:
Magazine: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Title:
	Date(s)
	Subject matter:
Monocular: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Brand:
	Color:
	Size:
	Strap or lanyard color: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (describe):
Binocular: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Brand:
	Color:
	Size:
	Strap or lanyard color: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (describe):
Water bottles/canteens: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Brand:
	Color:
	Number:
	Material: <input type="checkbox"/> rigid clear plastic <input type="checkbox"/> rigid colored plastic <input type="checkbox"/> metal <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe):
	Size: <input type="checkbox"/> pint <input type="checkbox"/> quart <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe):
Water purification: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Method: <input type="checkbox"/> boil <input type="checkbox"/> iodine tablets <input type="checkbox"/> mechanical filter <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe):
	Brand:
	Model:
	Waterfilter color:
	Case color:
Water bladder: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Brand:

	Color: Size: <input type="checkbox"/> pint <input type="checkbox"/> 1 quart <input type="checkbox"/> 2 quart <input type="checkbox"/> 3 quart <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe):				
Map: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Type: <input type="checkbox"/> county map <input type="checkbox"/> 1:24,000 topographic <input type="checkbox"/> trail brochure <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe):				
	Color: <input type="checkbox"/> black and white <input type="checkbox"/> full color <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe):				
	Size:				
	Case: <input type="checkbox"/> none <input type="checkbox"/> ziplock plastic bag <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe):				
Walking pole(s): <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Origin: <input type="checkbox"/> homemade wood <input type="checkbox"/> commercial wood <input type="checkbox"/> commercial aluminum				
	Brand:				
	Model:				
	Color:				
	Size (diameter and length):				
	Number: <input type="checkbox"/> one <input type="checkbox"/> two				
	<table border="1" style="width:100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width:30%;">Basket: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes</td> <td>Diameter:</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td>Shape/pattern:</td> </tr> </table>	Basket: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Diameter:		Shape/pattern:
	Basket: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Diameter:			
		Shape/pattern:			
	Sections: <input type="checkbox"/> fixed length <input type="checkbox"/> 2-piece adjustable <input type="checkbox"/> 3-piece adjustable <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe):				
Snow shovel: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Brand:				
	Model:				
	Color:				
	Adjustable handle: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes				
	Handle shape: <input type="checkbox"/> T <input type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> other (decribe):				
	Maximum length:				
	Material: <input type="checkbox"/> metal <input type="checkbox"/> plastic <input type="checkbox"/> other (decribe):				
Snow saw: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Brand:				
	Model:				
	Color:				
	Handle shape: <input type="checkbox"/> T <input type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> other (decribe):				
	Length:				
	Material: <input type="checkbox"/> metal <input type="checkbox"/> plastic <input type="checkbox"/> other (decribe):				
Rope: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Material: <input type="checkbox"/> cotton <input type="checkbox"/> nylon <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe):				
	Length:				
	Diameter:				
	Color:				

	Carabiners: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (describe number, color, brand, size):		
Camera: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Brand:		
	Model:		
	Color:		
	Size:		
	Type: <input type="checkbox"/> digital <input type="checkbox"/> disposable <input type="checkbox"/> regular film (size):		
	Case <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Color:	
		Material:	
	Strap: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes		
Battery size: <input type="checkbox"/> AA <input type="checkbox"/> AAA <input type="checkbox"/> other (describe):			
Items commonly carried in pockets (describe):			
Other possessions (describe):			

Interviewee's signature:	Date:
Interviewer's signature:	Date: