

MILLE LACS BAND OF OJIBWE

Executive Branch of Tribal Government

COMMISSIONER'S ORDER NO. 04-15

A Commissioner's Order to Restricting Hunting on the Sher Property

WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe is a signatory and successor of the Treaty of 1837, 7 Stat. 536, and the Treaty of 1842, 7 Stat 591, and the Treaty of 1855, 10 Stat. 1165; and,

WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe has the power to maintain a government which may enact laws to preserve the sovereignty of the Band and to promote and maintain individual rights and promote the general welfare of the people of the Band pursuant to Title 2, Chapter 1 MLBSA § 1; and,

WHEREAS, the Commissioner of Natural Resources has the authority to regulate lands and natural resources within the jurisdiction of the Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe pursuant to 11 MLBSA § 2003, and 2 MLBSA §1153 et seq.; and,

WHEREAS, "[t]he Commissioner of Natural Resources shall have the power to issue Commissioner's Orders for the purpose of promulgating all rules and regulations for the exercise of usufructuary rights by Band members in all the territory ceded by the Treaty of 1837 regardless of state boundaries and borders." MLBSA §1107; and,

WHEREAS, the Sher property is owned by and is under the jurisdiction of the Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe; and,

WHEREAS, the Sher property was purchased for development and that development has begun; and,

WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band deems that hunting on the Sher property creates a safety hazard;

NOW THEREFORE IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, by the authority vested in me by the Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe, I, Susan Klapel, Commissioner of Natural Resources for the Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe, hereby declare the following reasonable and necessary restriction regarding the taking of wild animals:

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Band members are strictly prohibited from hunting on the land, commonly known as the Sher property, whose legal description is as follows:

Tract # 410TF193, Real Property described as follows: the East Half of the Northwest Quarter (E ½ NW ¼), the North Half of the Southeast Quarter (N ½ SE ¼), and the Northeast Quarter (NE ¼), all in Section Nineteen (19), Township Forth-three North (T43N), Range Twenty-seven West (R27W), Mille Lacs County, Minnesota, 4th Principal Meridian containing approximately 313.9 acres,

EXCEPT the North 650.00 feet of the East 403.0 feet of the said Northeast Quarter (NE 1/4), containing 6.1 acres more or less.

Tract #410TF179, Real Property described as follows: The South Half of the Southeast Quarter (S ½ SE ¼), of Section Nineteen (19), Township Forth-three North (T43N), Range Twenty-seven West (R27W), lying South and East of the center line of County State Aid Road No. 25, Mille Lacs County, Minnesota, 4th Principal Meridian containing approximately 70 acres more or less.

AND

Tract #410TF86, Real Property described as follows: the South One-half of the Southeast One-quarter (S ½ SE ¼), of Section Nineteen (19), Township Forth-three North (T43N), Range Twenty-seven West (R27W), except that part lying South and East of County State Aid Road No. 25, Mille Lacs County, Minnesota, 4th Principal Meridian containing approximately 313.9 acres,

Dated at Vineland, Minnesota this ____ day of ___October___, in the year 2015.

Effective Date: October , 2015 Expiration Date: October , 2040

Susan Klapel

Commissioner of Natural Resources

OFFICIAL SEAL OF THE BAND