

# BAD RIVER BAND OF LAKE SUPERIOR TRIBE OF CHIPPEWA INDIANS

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Resolution No. 5-15-18-1028

## Adopting Tax Ordinance; Rights-of-Way

WHEREAS, the Bad River Band of the Lake Superior Tribe of Chippewa Indians is a federally recognized Indian Tribe with a Constitution enacted pursuant to the Indian Reorganization Act of 1934, 25 U.S.C. Sec. 476; and

WHEREAS, Article VI, Section 1(h) of the Bad River Constitution authorizes the Tribal Council to levy taxes upon members of the Band and their property and to levy taxes or license fees, subject to review by the Secretary of the Interior, upon non-members of their property located within the Reservation, provided that any such assessments upon members of the Band shall have the approval of a majority of the voters of the Band at a special election at which at least thirty percent of the eligible voters of the Band shall vote; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council has determined that a real need exists to implement and administer a rights-of-way tax ordinance within the boundaries of the Reservation.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Tribal Council adopts the tax ordinance; rights-of-way, effective June 1, 2018 and authorizes the Tribal Chairman to deliver the ordinance to the Secretary of the Interior for review.

## CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, as Secretary of the Bad River Band of Lake Superior Chippewa Indians of Wisconsin, hereby certify that the Tribal Council is composed of 7 members, of whom 6, constituting a quorum, were present at a meeting duly called, noticed, and held on the 15 day of May, 2018, that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of 5 for, 0 against and 0 abstaining.

  
Rae Ann Maday, Tribal Secretary