

RESOLUTION NO. 223-04

WHEREAS, The Red Lake Tribal Council is the governing body of the Red Lake Band of Chippewa Indians, a federally recognized tribe; and,

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council has the authority and responsibility to regulate the harvest of game and fish on Red Lake lands through Title X, Chapter 1000 of Red Lake's Game and Fish Code; and,

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council has authorized non-members to purchase licenses to hunt waterfowl and to fish in designated areas within the Diminished Reservation; and,

WHEREAS, all non-members are required to be accompanied by a guide at all times while hunting waterfowl or fishing in designated areas; and,

WHEREAS, the Tribal council recognizes the importance of potential employment opportunities for members and income generated from non-member license sales; now,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, The Red Lake Tribal Council hereby adopts the attached regulations pertaining to Red Lake members who wish to guide non-member waterfowl hunters or fishermen on designated areas within the Diminished Red Lake Reservation; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, These regulations shall supercede all references made to guiding responsibilities that appear in previous Tribal Council actions.

Standards and Responsibilities for Red Lake Guides

- 1.) Guiding permits shall be issued to qualified individuals by Tribal Officers.
 - a. Guides must be enrolled Red Lake Band members and at least 18 years old.
 - b. Guides must possess a current Tribal Identification Card.
- 2.) To assist clients with acquiring a guide, a list shall be developed annually, and made available to Tribal Conservation Officers, Tribal Council Officers, and the Red Lake Department of Natural Resources.
- 3.) Guiding fees shall be determined by the guide and his / her client.
- 4.) Guides are responsible for their client's actions, must ensure all clients possess licenses, and ensure compliance with relevant hunting or fishing regulations.
 - a. State and federal seasons and bag limits and relevant regulations (tribal, state, and federal) for waterfowl.
 - b. Tribal season, limits and other relevant regulations for fishing.
 - c. Guides hunting or fishing with clients are subject to the same regulations as their clients.

5.) A single individual may not be responsible for more than six clients at one time, and must remain in contact with clients at all times. Clients cannot be left unattended.

a. Fishing guides must remain on the lake with clients (not necessarily in the same boat).

b. Waterfowl hunting guides must remain near all hunters they are responsible for.

6.) No preference for hunting or fishing spots shall be given. Use of hunting and fishing spots will be determined on a first come – first serve basis. Guides shall promote good sportsmanship at all times.

7.) Failure to comply with the above regulations could result in individuals having their guiding privileges revoked.