BAY MILLS INDIAN COMMUNITY
2019 – 2023
RECREATION PLAN

BAY MILLS INDIAN COMMUNITY
CHIPPEWA COUNTY
MICHIGAN

PREPARED BY:
THE BAY MILLS INDIAN COMMUNITY EXECUTIVE COUNCIL
&
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**COMMUNITY PARK, RECREATION, OPEN SPACE, AND GREENWAY PLAN CERTIFICATION CHECKLIST**

By Authority of Parts 19, 703 and 715 of Act 451, P.A. 1994, as amended. Submission of this information is required for eligibility to apply for grants.

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Complete, obtain certification signatures and submit this checklist with a locally adopted recreation plan.

All recreation plans are required to meet the content and local approval standards listed in this checklist and as outlined in the Guidelines for the Development of Community Park, Recreation, Open Space and Greenway Plans provided by the Michigan Department of Natural Resources (DNR). Plans must be submitted to the DNR with a completed checklist that has been signed by an authorized official(s) of the local unit of government(s) submitting the plan. Plans may be submitted at any time of the year, but no later than March 1 of the year the local unit of government is applying for grants.

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<td><strong>Name of Plan:</strong> BAY MILLS INDIAN COMMUNITY 2019-2023 RECREATION PLAN</td>
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List the community names (including school districts) that are covered under the plan and have passed a resolution adopting the plan.  

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**PLAN CONTENT**

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Please check each box to certify that the listed information is included in the final plan.

- ☐ 1. COMMUNITY DESCRIPTION
- ☐ 2. ADMINISTRATIVE STRUCTURE
  - ☐ Roles of Commission(s) or Advisory Board(s)
  - ☐ Department, Authority and/or Staff Description and Organizational Chart
  - ☐ Annual and Projected Budgets for Operations, Maintenance, Capital Improvements and Recreation Programming
  - ☐ Current Funding Sources
  - ☐ Role of Volunteers
  - ☐ Relationship(s) with School Districts, Other Public Agencies or Private Organizations
  - ☐ Regional Authorities or Tramway Commissions Only:
    - ☐ Description of the Relationship between the Authority or Commission and the Recreation Departments of Participating Communities
    - ☐ Articles of Incorporation
- ☐ 3. RECREATION INVENTORY
  - ☐ Description of Methods Used to Conduct the Inventory
  - ☐ Inventory of all Community Owned Parks and Recreation Facilities
  - ☐ Location Maps (site development plans recommended but not required)
  - ☐ Accessibility Assessment
  - ☐ Status Report for all Grant-Assisted Parks and Recreation Facilities
  - ☐ Waterways Inventory (if applicable)
- ☐ 4. RESOURCE INVENTORY (OPTIONAL)
- ☐ 5. DESCRIPTION OF THE PLANNING PROCESS
6. DESCRIPTION OF THE PUBLIC INPUT PROCESS

☐ Description of the Method(s) Used to Solicit Public Input Before or During Preparation of the Plan, Including a Copy of the Survey or Meeting Agenda and a Summary of the Responses Received

☐ Copy of the Notice of the Availability of the Draft Plan for Public Review and Comment

Date of Notice: October 26, 2018
Type of Notice: Newspaper announcement

Plan Location: SMLC Administrative Office & smlc-planning.org
Duration of Draft Plan Public Review Period (Must be at Least 30 Days): 30 days

☐ Copy of the Notice for the Public Meeting Held after the One Month Public Review Period and Before the Plan’s Adoption by the Governing Body(ies)

Date of Notice: October 26 and November 27
Name of Newspaper: The Grand Haven News
Date of Meeting: December 5, 2018

☐ Copy of the Minutes from the Public Meeting

7. GOALS AND OBJECTIVES

8. ACTION PROGRAM

9. POST-COMPLETION SELF-CERTIFICATION REPORT(S)

PLAN ADOPTION DOCUMENTATION

APPROVAL DOCUMENTATION: For multi-jurisdictional plans, each local unit of government must pass a resolution adopting the plan. Prepare and attach a separate page for each unit of government included in the plan.

☐ 1. Official resolution of adoption by the governing body dated: 2018

☐ 2. Official resolution of the Commission or Board, recommending adoption of the plan by the governing body, dated:

☐ 3. Copy of letter transmitting adopted plan to County Planning Agency dated: NONE

☐ 4. Copy of letter transmitting adopted plan to Regional Planning Agency dated: 12/20/18

OVERALL CERTIFICATION

NOTE: For multi-jurisdictional plans, Overall Certification must include the signature of each local unit of government. Prepare and attach a separate signature page for each unit of government included in the plan.

I hereby certify that the recreation plan for

BAY MILLS INDIAN COMMUNITY

(Local Unit of Government) includes the required content, as indicated above and as set forth by the DNR.

Authorized Official for the Local Unit of Government Date

This completed checklist must be uploaded in MiRecGrants.
Bay Mills Indian Community
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RESOLUTION

Resolution No. 18-12-11A
Adoption of Recreation Plan

WHEREAS: the Bay Mills Indian Community is a federally recognized Indian Tribe with a Constitution enacted pursuant to the Indian Reorganization Act of 1934, (28 Stat. 984) as amended by the Act of June 15, 1935 (49 Stat. 378) to promote the welfare of its members; and

WHEREAS: ARTICLE VI, Section 1. (a) of the Constitution empowers the General Tribal Council to negotiate with local governments to achieve its ends, which authority has been, by resolution adopted April 13, 1970, delegated to the Bay Mills Indian Community Executive Council; and

WHEREAS: the TRIBE has undertaken a Five Year Parks and Recreation Plan (the “Plan”) which Plan describes the physical features, existing recreation facilities, and the desired actions to be taken to improve and maintain recreations facilities during the period between 2019 and 2023; and

WHEREAS: the TRIBE, working in conjunction with the Eastern Upper Peninsula Regional Planning and Development Commission has developed the Plan for the benefit of the entire community and seeks to adopt the Plan as a document to assist it in meeting the recreation needs of the Community; and

WHEREAS: a public meeting has been held to provide an opportunity for the general public to express opinions, ask questions, and discuss all aspects of the Plan.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Bay Mills Executive Council hereby adopts the Bay Mills Indian Community Recreation Plan as a guideline for improving recreation for the residents of the Bay Mills Indian Reservation.

APPROVED:

Bryan T. Newland, President
Executive Council
Bay Mills Indian Community

ATTEST:

Brian P. Kinney, Secretary
Executive Council
Bay Mills Indian Community
CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, as Secretary of the Bay Mills Indian Community Executive Council, do hereby certify that the above Resolution 18-12-11A was adopted and approved at a meeting of the Bay Mills Executive Council held at Bay Mills, Michigan on the 11th day of December, 2018, with a vote of _4_ for _0_ absent and _4_ abstaining. As per provisions of the Bay Mills Constitution, the Tribal Chairman must abstain except in the event of a tie.

Brian P. Kinney, Secretary
Executive Council
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PURPOSE

Bay Mills Indian Community (BMIC) administers healthcare, housing programs, educational resources, conservation and biological services, and recreational opportunities for its members and the surrounding community. In different ways, each of these services encourages healthy lifestyles, and enjoyment and preservation of the outdoors.

Recreation fosters economic growth, physical well-being, and improved quality of life, and our region has unending opportunities for outdoor recreation.

While meeting Michigan Department of Recreation prerequisites for applications to the Land and Conservation Fund, this plan will inventory existing recreation assets and lay out a blueprint for how those facilities can be improved and expanded. These improvements will benefit community members and visitors alike, contributing to the economy as well as local health and quality of life.

This plan is meant to be a functioning plan that can be amended to respond to the changing needs of BMIC and will act as a guide for the continuing development and enhancement of recreational facilities in the area.

THROUGH OUR BUSINESS OPERATIONS, WE AIM TO CONSERVE OUR COMMON PROPERTY, DEVELOP OUR COMMON RESOURCES, PROMOTE THE WELFARE, SELF-SUSTAINABILITY, AND PROGRESS OF OURSELVES, AND OUR DESCENDANTS — THE ANISHINAABE PEOPLE OF GNOOZHEKANNING, THE PLACE OF THE PIKE, BAY MILLS INDIAN COMMUNITY

— BAY MILLS INDIAN COMMUNITY MISSION STATEMENT
COMMUNITY DESCRIPTION

The total population of the Bay Mills Indian Community, according to the 2010 census, was 1,198, tribal enrollment currently lists 2,144 members. The Enrollment Department provided a current breakdown of the membership by age, as seen below. The membership population is comparatively young, for the region and state.¹

![Age of Membership Population](image)

BMIC sits within the boundaries of Chippewa County, in the North West quadrant. The main road, West Lakeshore Drive, follows the shoreline and extends through much of the community's lands, while S. Red Pine, W. Spectacle Lake, W. Tower Road, S. Pine Village Road, all lead west to neighborhoods and residential areas. Beyond transportation by car, there are hundreds of miles off-road trails.

Area Residents enjoy four seasons, with average temperatures as low as 8 degrees Fahrenheit in January, and as warm as 76 degrees in July. Most months see over 2 inches of precipitation, with over 10 feet of snow each winter.²

As shown in the table below, the population of Chippewa County, which includes BMIC members and the Health Services target populations, suffers from high rates of poor health according to multiple indicators.

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<th>Indicator &amp; Data Source</th>
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<td>General Health Fair or Poor (2014-2016 BRFSS)</td>
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<td>Births to mothers who smoked while pregnant (2016 MDHHS Live Birth Files)</td>
<td>35%</td>
<td>18%</td>
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<td>Births Covered by Medicaid (2016 MDHHS live Birth Files)</td>
<td>55%</td>
<td>43%</td>
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<td>No leisure time physical activity (2014-2016 BRFSS)</td>
<td>34%</td>
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<td>Obesity Prevalence (2014-2016 BRFSS)</td>
<td>38%</td>
<td>31%</td>
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<td>Diabetes Prevalence(2014-2016 BRFS)</td>
<td>14%</td>
<td>11%</td>
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<td>No Dental Screening in Past Year (2014-2016 BRFSS)</td>
<td>36%</td>
<td>31%</td>
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¹ U.S. Census Bureau; Census 2010, BMIC Enrollment Department data, 6/13/2018.
² Usclimatedata.com.

BMIC 2019 – 2023 Recreation Plan
The Bay Mills Health Center Community Needs Assessment recommends programs to encourage smoking cessation, improved diet, alcohol and drug abuse prevention, and increasing physical activity. Increased recreation opportunities are essential to achieving these goals.

Emergency services are provided through the BMIC Tribal Police, BMIC Conservation Department, Bay Mills Tribe Type III Disaster Medical Assistance Team, Type II Stress Management Team, and the Bay Mills Health Center.

The Bay Mills Housing Authority operates 94 rental units. BMIC provides public water and sewer within the Reservation. The Bay Mills History Committee and Department protects, manages and preserves the culture, history and traditions for present and future generations. This includes all cultural, historical, and archaeological resources, as well as objects, places, knowledge, traditions, practices and beliefs. The Bay Mills Gaming Commission regulates the gaming establishments owned and operated by the sovereign nation of the Bay Mills Indian Community – Casinos & Resort, Golf Course, Campgrounds; Steep slopes/ridge; Great Lake coastal shoreline. The Tribal Government and Enterprise Operations currently employ 664 people, and the Bay Mills Community College currently has 67 full-time employees and 34 part-time employees.

BMIC has proportionally fewer households living on $10,000 or less than the state average (14.5%), but also has a lower percentage of households making above $150,000, 2% compared to 3.2%. The median income of $39,500 is well below the state median income of $50,803. 3 302 Elders (55+) receive a distribution through BMIC.

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3 U.S. Census Bureau, 2012-2016 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

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BMIC 2019 – 2023 Recreation Plan
ADMINISTRATIVE STRUCTURE

Bay Mills Indian Community’s administrative duties are handled by the Bay Mills Indian Community Executive Council, with many of the recreational resources overseen by the General Manager. This Board consists of five elected members: Chairman, Vice Chair, Secretary, Treasurer, and Council Person. For the purpose of this plan, the Spirit Stone Trail group, which meets at the Bay Mills Conservation District Offices, serves as the recreation committee.
PARKS AND RECREATION BUDGET & FUNDING

Monies invested in parks and recreation for Bay Mills Indian Community have come from the general fund, fundraising, grant monies, and donations. The recreation committee plans to work with the Chairman and Executive Council on future allocations.

Bay Mills Indian Community
YTD Revenue and Expense with Budget Comparison
9850 00 62 FAC Facility Fund
For 12/31/2017

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<th>Revenues</th>
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Bay Mills Indian Community
Statement of Activity
For the Period Ending 12/31/2017
1001 17 18 BIA Parks & Rec Maint Dept
January 1, 2015 to December 31, 2017

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RELATIONSHIPS WITH OTHER AGENCIES & ENTITIES

Bay Mills Indian Community works in conjunction with the following entities in regard to funding support, providing recreational opportunities, and technical assistance:

- Boys and Girls Club of Bay Mills
- Chippewa County Community Foundation
- Bay Mills Township
- Superior Township
- Michigan Department of Natural Resources
- Eastern Upper Peninsula Regional Planning & Development Commission
- United States Forest Service
- United States Coast Guard
- U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
- Little Traverse Conservancy
- Bay Mills Community College
- Lake Superior Watershed Conservancy

RECREATIONAL PROGRAMMING

The Bay Mills Fit-Nish Trail Walkers meet every Saturday to walk different local trails, and participate in other special events focused on regional fitness, for example a 5k to support diabetes awareness. BMIC also hosts annual softball tournaments and hosts regular open gym hours at the Waishkey Center.

Elder Fitness, Zumba and Yoga classes are offered at the Mukwa Health and Fitness Center.

The Boys and Girls Club of Bay Mills provides programming to area youth, ages five to nineteen. In 2017 they served 363 individuals and in the second quarter of 2018 they served an average of 142 daily participants.  Welcome to the Boys and Girls Club of Bay Mills – Program activities cover five areas:

1. Character and Leadership Development
2. Education and Career Development
3. Health and Life Skills
4. The Arts/Cultural Development
5. Sports, Fitness, and Recreation

Programs include mentoring, homework help, Running Club, Keystone (a teen-based program that helps develop good character and positive leadership skills among older Club members), SMART Moves (Skills Mastery and Resistance Training), and TRAIL (Together Raising Awareness for Indian Life, a diabetes prevention program).

Status of Previously Awarded Project 26-00959:

The Bay Mills Recreation Area grant was written in the early 1970s, and funded the development of two dugouts, one backstop, and two sets of bleachers. This project was completed nearly 45 years ago, so while the recreation area is still in use for public outdoor recreation, the improvements funded by this grant are outdated and run-down. This natural wear and tear is understandable given the timeframe, as well as the proximity to the St. Mary’s River. A replacement plaque is being requested and photo documentation will be sent in as soon as possible.
INVENTORY

The data provided in this section was collected by the Bay Mills Township Recreation Committee and the Eastern Upper Peninsula Regional Planning & Development Commission (EUPRPDC) using inventories created for past iterations of this plan, internet resources including Google, www.landtrust.org, www.michigandnr.com/parksandtrails/Default.aspx#map-tab, https://www.fs.usda.gov/recarea/hiawatha/recreation/, Conservation And Recreation Lands (CARL), GIS data obtained from Ducks Unlimited, and additional GIS data possessed by EUPRPDC.

ADA COMPLIANCE RANKING EACH FACILITY:

1 = None of the facilities/park area meets accessibility guidelines.
2 = Some of the facilities/park area meets accessibility guidelines.
3 = Most of the facilities/park area meets accessibility guidelines.
4 = The entire facility/park area meets accessibility guidelines.
5 = The entire facility/park area was developed/renovated using the principals of universal design.

PARKS AND RECREATION FACILITIES OWNED BY BAY MILLS INDIAN COMMUNITY

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<td>Bay Mills Resort &amp; Casino Amenities</td>
<td>46.422552, -84.602519</td>
<td>20 acres</td>
<td>In addition to the casino slots and gaming tables, restaurants and live entertainment, the Resort provides water access to the community with a boat launch, boat mooring area, and kayak launch area. Across the street the RV park can host up to 117 trailers. Each site includes a picnic table, fire pit, water, 30- and 50-amp electric hook up, cable, and Wi-Fi.</td>
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<td>The Farms/Memorial Park Walking Path &amp;</td>
<td>46.416685, -84.604668</td>
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<td>Large field with playground equipment and paved walking path.</td>
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<td>Gumshoes Campground</td>
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<td>3 acres</td>
<td>This asset has primitive campsites, a small playground, and bathrooms.</td>
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<td>Ice Rink/Basketball Courts</td>
<td>46.4665772, -84.6254908</td>
<td>2 acres</td>
<td>Centered in the residential area and located next to each other, the ice rink and basketball courts provide seasonal recreational opportunities.</td>
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<td>Mukwa Fitness Center &amp; Equipment</td>
<td>46.458823, -84.623717</td>
<td>5000 sq. ft.</td>
<td>With paid membership, clients have access to showers, the fitness center floor, cardio and strength training equipment, and can join group exercise class. 24/7 access year-round. The Center also hosts the Community Bike Share Program</td>
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<td>Residential Area Playgrounds</td>
<td>Various</td>
<td>&lt;2 acres each</td>
<td>Several playgrounds are located in central areas in the housing developments.</td>
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<td>Bay Mills Riverview Campground</td>
<td>46.422707, -84.604803</td>
<td>4 acres</td>
<td>Approximately 17 campsites with water, electric, and dump station access.</td>
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<td>Bay Mills Riverview Ball Diamond and Horseshoes</td>
<td>46.450315, -84.599637</td>
<td>4 acres</td>
<td>Located next to the Riverview Campground, visitors pass the ball fields, dugouts, horseshoe pits, and picnic area on their way to a sandy beach.</td>
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<td>Spectacle Lake Day-Use Area</td>
<td>46.454864, -84.632312</td>
<td>2 acres</td>
<td>This popular fishing spot is surrounded by multi-use trails but is in need to repair and upgrades.</td>
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<td>Waishkey Center</td>
<td>46.4497770, -84.6015166</td>
<td>18,000 sq. ft.</td>
<td>The Waishkey Center houses the Boys and Girls Club and supports their programming with meeting space and a fitness center.</td>
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<td>Wild Bluff Golf Course</td>
<td>46.420511, -84.604364</td>
<td>160 acres</td>
<td>This 18-hole golf course offers a driving range, chipping area, large putting green, and lounge. Wild Bluff also hosts events and offers golf instruction.</td>
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## OTHER PARKS AND RECREATION FACILITIES AROUND BAY MILLS INDIAN COMMUNITY

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<td>Round Island Point Nature Preserve</td>
<td>Cedar Dr. Brimley, MI 49715</td>
<td>A 1.5-mile trail and a viewing platform are accessible at the end of a paved road which bisects the property. Parking is available.</td>
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<td>Monocle Lake National Forest Campground</td>
<td>US Forest Service Rd 3700, Brimley, MI 49715</td>
<td>39 campsites nestled along Monocle Lake, which offers fishing, swimming, and boating. There’s a 14.5-mile trail and picnic area with amenities.</td>
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<td>Point Iroquois Lighthouse</td>
<td>12942 W Lakeshore Dr. Brimley, MI 49715</td>
<td>This USFS owned lighthouse also provides trails and a boardwalk down to the beach, a dog run, and restrooms.</td>
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<td>Big Pine Picnic Area</td>
<td>US Forest Service Rd 3696, Brimley, MI 49715</td>
<td>Tables, grills and benches welcome family and friends to enjoy a meal and the beauty of the Lake Superior shore. Restrooms are available as well.</td>
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<td>Bay View Forest Campground</td>
<td>19698-19872 W Lakeshore Dr. Brimley, MI 49715</td>
<td>24 campsites with beach access, potable water, and restrooms. Guests can swim or fish on the Lake Superior beaches.</td>
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<td>Township Park</td>
<td>14740 W Lakeshore Dr. Brimley, MI 49715</td>
<td>The park includes a picnic area, playground, basketball court, and water access at the Township Hall.</td>
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<td>Pendills Bay Boat Launch</td>
<td>21846-21904 W Lakeshore Dr. Brimley, MI 49715</td>
<td>The boat launch once provided access and parking to day boaters on Lake Superior, however it has fallen into disrepair.</td>
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<td>Spectacle Lake Overlook/Mission Hill</td>
<td>46.46877590, -84.64030506</td>
<td>This property is owned and managed by the USFS. Lake Superior, the Saint Mary's River, Spectacle Lake, the western shore of Canada, and the intervening dense forest are all viable from the overlook.</td>
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See the Bay Mills Indian Community: Recreation Inventory map on the following page; see maps in Appendix A to reference land cover, land ownership, elevation, and soil types.
DESCRIPTION OF PLANNING & PUBLIC INPUT

The Bay Mills Township Board appointed the Recreation Committee to carry out the necessary actions required when putting together a recreation plan. Throughout several meetings, the committee compiled and reviewed plan materials and survey results. The Recreation Committee, in conjunction with the Eastern Upper Peninsula Regional Planning & Development Commission, solicited public input in the following ways:

- **Public Input Questionnaire**
  - This questionnaire was made available online Thursday, June 28, 2018. The survey results are in Appendix C.

- **Public Comment Period**
  - The Plan was made available online at [www.eup-planning.org](http://www.eup-planning.org) and hard copies were also available for review at the Bay Mills Indian Community Administrative Office on October 26, 2018.

- **Public Hearing**
  - The Public Hearing was used to give members of the public an opportunity to speak and express their thoughts on the final draft of the plan. It was held on December 3, 2018.

To see the full questionnaire and public input results, including public notices place in the local papers, please refer to Appendixes C and E.
GOALS & OBJECTIVES

The purpose of this 5-year plan is to expand the recreational opportunities for residents and visitors. To make this a reality, this plan will work to achieve 4 main goals. Each goal will have objectives to guide progress through various initiatives and projects. The next section, Action Program, will delineate when, where, and how certain objectives will be met by Bay Mills Indian Community.

The rationale for these goals and objectives are rooted in the insights gathered from the Recreation Questionnaire and other discussions with community members.

Goal 1: Ensure that existing and new facilities and assets are regularly reviewed and maintained.
Rationale: The Bay Mills Indian Community Recreation Plan Questionnaire revealed more dissatisfaction with maintenance of existing facilities than with the number of opportunities available.

1.1 Develop a maintenance management system, site plans, and goals for each asset, organized by the appropriate department or committee to estimate and plan for life cycle maintenance and replacement costs.
1.2 Continue playground council and Biology Department’s adopt-a-beach program.
1.3 Provide adequate funding to operate and maintain existing and new recreational sites. New projects must have a sustainability plan.
1.4 Design and develop facilities that reduce overall facility maintenance and operation requirements and costs.
1.5 Where appropriate, use low maintenance materials, settings or other value engineering considerations that reduce care and security requirements, and retain natural conditions and experiences.
1.6 Ensure the newly paved section of the nonmotorized Spirit Stone Trail is maintained, particularly during the winter months.

Goal 2: Utilize the resources and programming of the Boys and Girls Club of Bay Mills to their full capacity and support their continued development
Rationale: The Boys and Girls Club currently has underutilized equipment, including snowshoes, cross-country skis, and canoes.

Objectives:

2.1: Develop winter-use trails close enough to the Waiskey Center to enable regular use.
2.2: Dedication of maintenance support to ensure availability of trails through clean-up and grooming.
2.3: Increase access to transportation to increase the number and variety of hiking excursions.
2.4: Develop regular access to a vehicle to pull the Club’s canoe trailer to increase canoe use.

Goal 3: Support trails development throughout the area.
Rationale: BMIC is located at the center of several major trail systems, and opportunities for more trail development abound.

Objectives:

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3.1 Support water trail development and increase boating access to Lake Superior.
3.2 Continue to meet and lead the development of the Spirit Stone Trail.
3.3 Continue to support the maintenance of existing snowmobile and ORV routes, including by adding signage at the casino.
3.4 Develop a nonmotorized connector trail from the top of Mission Hill to Plantation Road and to the Community Center.
3.5 Continue working with the USFS and Michigan DNR.

**Goal 4: Explore ways to use regional recreational assets.**

Rationale: The region has many resources in place which are underutilized. This would increase the range of offerings and strengthen relationship with surrounding communities.

Objectives:

4.1 Coordinate to provide transportation to community members to the LSSU facilities and/or the Rudyard Pool.
4.2 Encourage local entrepreneurs who want to expand recreation opportunities.

**Goal 5: Support environmentally friendly, low-impact recreation that preserves the ecological function of the surrounding land and water.**

Rationale: Enjoyable outdoor recreation and healthy populations depend on a healthy natural environment. To increase recreational access without also proactively taking steps to preserve the environment would be counterproductive.

Objectives:

5.1 Expand volunteer efforts in trash cleanup of beaches, streams, wetlands, forests, and campgrounds.
5.2 Mark trails and parking areas to decrease erosion and soil compaction.
5.3 Post signage that encourages the use of clean equipment and helps prevent the spread of invasive species.
5.4 Expand trash receptacles along trails to reduce litter.
5.5 Support recreation development that fosters coastal resiliency.
5.6 Support planting and maintenance of native vegetation along trails to reduce erosion and protect water quality.
5.7 Address erosion and sand dune protection at Riverview Campground.
ACTION PROGRAM

The action plan for this five-year plan will be dictated by the monies available through grants, fundraising, donations, and general tribal funds. These projects can be realized through the cooperation, assistance, and expertise of county, state and federal governments. This recreation plan may be amended at any time during its five years to change priority or to add or change goals and objectives with public opinion and input. All development projects will be held to universal compliance and American Disability Act standards.

FUNDING SOURCES:

- Tribal funds
- Local funds (local service organizations and businesses; donations and fundraising)
- MDNR: Land & Water Conservation Fund (LWCF)—50 percent match
- MDEQ: Coastal Zone Management (CZM)—50 percent match
- MDOT: Transportation Alternatives Program

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APPENDICES

APPENDIX A: ADDITIONAL MAPS

The maps on the following pages were produced by the Eastern Upper Peninsula Regional Planning & Development Commission using data procured from the following sources:

- **Bay Mills Indian Community: Land Cover**
  - **Source:** National Land Cover Database 2011, which was created by the Multi-Resolution Land Characteristics Consortium.

- **Bay Mills Indian Community: Land Ownership**
  - **Source:** Michigan Department of Natural Resources (2014) via the Center for Shared Solution, Michigan Department of Information Technology; and U.S. Department of Agriculture, Forest Service (2012).

- **Bay Mills Indian Community: Elevation**
  - **Source:** Michigan Department of Technology, Management and Budget via the Center of Geographic Information.

- **Bay Mills Indian Community: Soils**
  - **Source:** Soil Survey Geographic Database (2013) via Esri Arc Online.
Bay Mills Indian Community: Land Ownership

Legend
- Roads
- Lakes and Waterways
- Tribal Boundary
- State of MI Ownership
- State Land
- USFS Ownership
- Other (County, Township, Private)

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APPENDIX B: PHOTOGRAPHS

1. Monocle Lake National Forest Campground

2. Spectacle Lake Overlook/Mission Hill

3. Ice Rink/Basketball Courts

4. Mukwa Fitness Center & Equipment

5. Spectacle Lake Day-Use Area

6. Gumshoes Campground
7. Bay Mills Riverview
   Campground/Riverview Ball Diamond
   and Horseshoes

8. Waishkey Center

9. Bay Mills Resort & Casino Amenities
10. Wild Bluff Golf Course

11. The Farms/Memorial Park Walking Path & Play Ground

12. Round Island Nature Preserve

13. Point Iroquois Lighthouse
14. Big Pine Picnic Area

15. Bay View Forest Campground

16. Township Park

17. Pendills Bay Boat Launch
Bay Mills Indian Community Recreation
Survey Results

142
Total Responses

Date Created: Thursday, March 01, 2018
Complete Responses: 142

Q1: How long have you been a Bay Mills area community member (living, working or recreating in the community)?

Answered: 142  Skipped: 0

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Q2: Which kind of community member are you?
Answered: 142  Skipped: 0

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Q3: Overall,
Answered: 142  Skipped: 0
Q3: Overall, how satisfied are you with the present number of public parks and recreation facilities available in Bay Mills?

Answered: 142  Skipped: 0

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How satisfied are you with the maintenance of public parks and recreation facilities available in Bay Mills?

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How satisfied are you with the amount of land that is set aside for recreation purposes in Bay Mills?

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Q4: Approximately how often during the past year did you, or members of your household, use or visit any public park or recreation facility located within Bay Mills Indian Community?

Answered: 142  Skipped: 0

- Several times a week
- Once a week
- Rarely
- Only when it's warm
- Only during the winter
- Never

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Q4: Approximately how often during the past year did you, or members of your household, use or visit any public park or recreation facility located within Bay Mills Indian Community?

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<td>Rarely</td>
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Q5: Please rate your impression of the facilities that you use most frequently (check all that apply).
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Q6: What additional recreational facilities does your community need? (check all that apply)
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Total Respondents: 139

Q7: Which of your municipality’s recreation programs do you use?

Answered: 165    Skipped: 37
Q7: Which of your municipality’s recreation programs do you use?

Answered: 185  Skipped: 37

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Total Respondents: 105

Q8: What recreation programs would you like to have in your municipality?

Answered: 41  Skipped: 76
Q9: Would you be willing to pay a nominal fee for entrance to improved parks and recreational facilities?

Answered: 139  Skipped: 3

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APPENDIX D: PROJECT RESOURCES (SITE PLANS, ETC.)

As the plan is carried out, this is where site plans, resolutions of support, funding commitments, and the like should be placed.

Name of Document:

Photo of Document:
RECREATION SURVEY:
The Bay Mills Indian Community Recreation Survey was promoted in the Bay Mills News and shared on local popular social media pages via this link: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/BMICRec

30-Day Review Period notice

**Date of the Notice:** The Sault Evening News, October 25, 2018  
**Type of the Notice:** Newspaper announcement in the Sault Evening News  
**Plan Location:** At the Bay Mills Township Hall or online at eup-planning.org  
**Duration of Draft Plan Public Review Period:** October 26, 2018-December 2, 2018  
**Copy of the Notice:** see below
Date of Notice: October 25, 2018 and November 27, 2018
Name of Newspaper: The Sault Evening News
Date of Meeting: December 3, 2018
Copy of the Notice: see below

PROOF OF PUBLICATION

Chelsea Monroe, being duly sworn, says: I am the Representative of THE SAULT NEWS, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county. The annexed is a printed copy of a notice which was published in said paper on the following dates to wit:

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Signature: Chelsea Monroe

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of December A.D. 20

Notary Public, Chippewa County, Michigan
My Commission Expires: 09/15/2024

THE SAULT NEWS
109 Arlington St.
Sault Ste. Marie, MI 49783
Minutes from the Public Meeting

Bay Mills Indian Community
12140 West Lakeshore Drive
Brimley, MI 49715

A public hearing was held at the Bay Mills Indian Community Tribal Administration building on December 3, 2018 at 4:30pm to hear comments and/or concerns about the proposed Bay Mills Indian Community Recreation Plan.

Transportation Planner, Justin Carrick chaired the meeting. Rebecca Bolen from EUP Regional Planning and Development was in attendance.

No community members attended this meeting.

Justin Carrick adjourned the meeting at 5:30pm.

Submitted by

Justin Carrick
Transportation Planner
COPY OF ADOPTION MEETING MINUTES

BAY MILLS EXECUTIVE COUNCIL
Meeting Minutes
December 11, 2018

PRESENT: Bryan Newland, President, Brenda Bjork, Vice President, Brian Kinney, Secretary
Betty Jahnke, Treasurer, Arlen Karmik, Councilman

Call Meeting to Order - Meeting called to order at 2:03 p.m.

Approval of Agenda - Additions - Common Interest Agreement. Bryan asked that OCS be moved to the (a.) under New Business. The agenda was approved without objection with the changes.

Approval of Meeting Minutes of November 26, 2018 - Brian Kinney made a motion seconded by Brenda Bjork to approve the meeting minutes of November 26, 2018. Motion carried 4 for 0 opposed 1 abstaining.

Reports
Chairman Report

The following is a list of significant activities and developments since our last meeting:

- **Intertribal Fishing Negotiations** - Bryan attended a meeting of the 1836 Treaty Tribes in Traverse City on Monday, December 10th to continue intertribal negotiations for a new consent decree. The meetings are progressing well, and there will be several more intertribal meetings before engaging with the State of Michigan; the next meeting will be held on Friday, January 24th in Petoskey.

- **CORA Meeting** - He attended a CORA meeting on Thursday, December 6th in Petoskey. A new budget was approved for CORA for 2019, which allows Bay Mills to save approximately $27,000 on our annual contributions to CORA. There is also a potential dispute brewing between some of the CORA tribes and the State of Michigan regarding Lake Trout harvest near Bay de Noc.

- **Tribal Action Plan** - He has been working with Ron Carrick, Tara Tremblay, and Brianna Gunka on finalizing a draft Tribal Action Plan. He expects to have a draft presented to the Council at the working session next week, and hope to have final approval of our Tribal Action Plan at the first Executive Council meeting of 2019.

- **Health Center Planning** - DSGW met with our Health & Wellness staff from December 4th through the 6th. A site was selected for the new health center, near the Mukwa Fitness Center. In addition, DSGW worked with staff to develop a preliminary building and site layout. They are working to develop a final project budget that will keep our
borrowing needs below $10 million, and will seek financing approval from the GTC at the January meeting.

- **Ambulance** - Bryan is recommending that the Council authorize the purchase of a new ambulance with traditional financing, with a maximum purchase price of up to $200,000. He met recently with Carol Carrick, Audrey Breakey, Albert Bertram, and Duane Bedell to discuss this matter, and we have a model available to purchase for $186,000.

- **Marijuana Legalization** - The State of Michigan voted to authorize the recreational use of marijuana. Many tribal members have expressed confusion and concern over the impact this will have on our own lands. In addition, the United States Attorney’s Office has provided virtually no guidance to tribes regarding how federal law will be enforced in Indian country in the face of this change in laws. He is recommending a presentation of this issue to the General Tribal Council at our regular meeting in January.

- **Enbridge Line 5 Pipeline** - Michigan Senator Tom Casperson has introduced legislation to authorize the Mackinac Bridge Authority to approve the construction of a tunnel for the Enbridge Line 5 Pipeline, and regulate its operation. This would limit the ability of the incoming Governor – and, potentially, tribes – to weigh-in on the operation of the pipeline and mitigate its risks. He said they are working with our legal and lobbying teams, as well as allies, to fight this proposed legislation in the lame-duck legislative session. In addition, we are having some discussions with the Governor’s staff about the terms of an agreement that will ensure Michigan’s tribes will have a sovereign role to play, with respect to the dozens of other locations where the Line 5 Pipeline crosses rivers and lakes. Many tribes are skeptical about this matter, but we continue to search for a way to protect our treaty rights.

- **Governor-Elect** – Michigan Governor-elect Whitmer, and her transition team, met with representatives from all of the tribes in Michigan on Friday, December 7th. Chad DePetro represented Bay Mills at this meeting.

- **Chippewa County Jail Agreement** – Bryan, Chad DePetro, Judge Gravelle met with the Chippewa County Sheriff and others to discuss revisions to our jail services agreement. We were finally able to reach agreement on how to provide prescription medications to Tribal Court inmates who are incarcerated at the Chippewa County Jail. Chad and Whitney Gravelle are working on those revisions.
- **Bay Mills Police** – Ron Carrick, Jr. was sworn-in as the Captain of the Bay Mills Police Department on Friday, December 7th and began work yesterday.

- **Candy’s Return** – Candy Tierney will return to work this week, after an extended leave. We are grateful and excited to have her back!

**IMPORTANT DATES**

- **Wednesday, January 16th, General Tribal Council** - Our next General Tribal Council meeting is on Wednesday, January 16th at BMCC. It is important that we get a quorum for this meeting to gain approval of financing for our new health center, and to resolve outstanding issues relating to marijuana.

- **Friday, January 25th, Intertribal Fishing Negotiations** – The 1836 Treaty Tribes will reconvene at the Odawa Hotel in Petoskey to discuss a new consent decree.

**Council Member Reports** – None

**Tribal Manager – Duane Bedell**

Duane said that Rachael is working on a grant for the Boys and Girls Club. He said that he spoke with Jason Oberle from the BIA last week and $165,000 has been released for the fire management program. He and Albert will meet with Jason to discuss concerns that he has with the draw down practices. He also reported on Public Works, fiber and the strategic plan.

**Chief Financial Officer – Albert Bertram**

Albert said that he and Ken are still working on a Kronos upgrade. He also gave updates on IT, the AOT furnace installation, Pouts Grant, Planation Hills, Boys and Girls Club and PNC Trust Meeting. He answered questions.

**General Manager Report - Richard LeBlanc**

Richard said that the chiller was removed and replaced. They are working on the hotel fire suppression project and will have a time table after the first of the year. He said that they had a good weekend that the coin-in and win was up. The Suites are done and he said they will discuss price ranges for these rooms.

**Old Business:**

AIA Contract for DSGW Architect Firm

The contract was reviewed by Chad. **Brenda Bjork made a motion, seconded by Arlen Kuznik to approve the Contract with DSGW Architect Firm. Motion carried 4 for 0 opposed 1 abstaining.**
Tribal Member Requests – None

New Business

Request for Donation – OCS Robotics

OCS students were present and requested a $1,000.00 donation for their Robotics Team “Accidental Success”. They discussed their fund raising activities and upcoming competitions. Brenda Bjork made a motion, seconded by Arlen Kuzmik to approve a $1,000.00 donation to the OCS Robotics Team. Motion carried 4 for 0 opposed 1 abstaining.

Resolution No. 18-12-11A – Recreation Plan – Justin Carrick

Justin presented the resolution of support for the Recreation Plan. The Recreation Plan which describes the physical features, existing recreation facilities and the desired actions to be taken to improve and maintain recreation facilities during the period 2019 and 2023. Justin said the plan is needed to apply for grants. Arlen Kuzmik made a motion, seconded by Brenda Bjork to approve Resolution No. 18-12-11A – Recreation Plan. Motion carried 4 for 0 opposed 1 abstaining.

Resolution No. 18-12-11B – Northern White Cedar Project – Frank Zomer

Frank presented the resolution of support for the Northern White Cedar Project. The resolution is authorization for the Inter-Tribal Council of Michigan to enter into a 638 Contract with the Bureau of Indian Affairs. Brenda Bjork made a motion, seconded by Betty Jahnke to approve Resolution No. 18-12-11B for the Northern White Cedar Project. Motion carried 4 for 0 opposed 1 abstaining.

Resolution No. 18-12-11C – 401 (k) Plan

Albert said that this resolution is to keep the 401 (k) Plan the same. The tribe will match 2.5 percent. The employee contributes five percent to get the 2.5 percent. Arlen Kuzmik made a motion, seconded by Betty Jahnke to approve Resolution No. 18-12-11C for the 401 (k) Plan. Motion carried 4 for 0 opposed 1 abstaining.

Judicial Contract for Chief Judge – Leah Parish

Chad explained that the Judicial Contract runs until the next election which is November 10th and that’s why the installments are not 12 equal payments. Brenda Bjork made a motion, seconded by Betty Jahnke to approve the Judicial Contract for Leah Parish, Chief Judge. Motion carried 4 for 0 opposed 1 abstaining.

Non-Disclosure Agreement – Gaming Vendor
Brenda Bjork made a motion, seconded by Arlen Kuznik to approve the Non-Disclosure Agreement. Motion carried 4 for 0 opposed 1 abstaining.

**Ambulance Purchase**

Bryan said we found a brand new ambulance for $186,000 and we do have a line of credit with Old Mission Bank for up to $250,000. He is asking for approval to borrow up to $200,000. **Brian Kinney made the motion, seconded by Betty Jahnke to authorize borrowing up to $200,000 for a new ambulance. Motion carried 4 for 0 opposed 1 abstaining.**

**Waiver of Prohibition – Stacey Walden**

Stacey Walden sent in a request for a waiver of prohibition as defined in Rule 18, Code of Ethics, section IX-A from the Executive Council:

> No spouse, parent, step-parent, child, step-child, sibling or other immediate family (as defined by Bay Mills Gaming Ordinance) of a Commissioner shall be licensed as a key employee for employment by a casino licensee or applicant unless such member requests a waiver of this prohibition from the Executive council prior to licensing.

Brenda Bjork made the motion, seconded by Betty Jahnke to approve the Waiver of Prohibition for Stacey Walden. Motion carried 4 for 0 opposed 1 abstaining.

**Request for Donation – Boys and Girls Club – Fence Decorating Contest**

Sandy requested $150.00 for the fence decorating contest. **Betty Jahnke made the motion, seconded by Arlen Kuznik to approve a $150.00 donation for the Fence Decorating Contest. Motion carried 4 for 0 opposed 1 abstaining.**

**UPEA Engineering – Albert Bertram**

Albert said we received preliminary news that we will be funded. This is the other half of the sewer project. He said they will start in the spring pending test results and hopefully people can start working on their lots by next summer. This was informational.

**Other Business**

**Medical Fund Transfer**

Albert said that he transferred 3 million dollars from the general fund checking into the medical center savings. Starting in January 2019, the medical center funding will be segregated so that they are accounted for separately.
Tribal Member Comment (and Non-Member Guests with Council Consent) None

With no other business, meeting adjourned at 3:16 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by,

Kathi Carrick
Executive Secretary

Attachment
Resolution No. 18-12-11A
Resolution No. 18-12-11B
Resolution No. 18-12-11C
RESOLUTION

Resolution No. 18-12-11A
Adoption of Recreation Plan

WHEREAS: the Bay Mills Indian Community is a federally recognized Indian Tribe with a Constitution enacted pursuant to the Indian Reorganization Act of 1934, (28 Stat. 984) as amended by the Act of June 15, 1935 (49 Stat. 378) to promote the welfare of its members; and

WHEREAS: ARTICLE VI, Section 1. (a) of the Constitution empowers the General Tribal Council to negotiate with local governments to achieve its ends, which authority has been, by resolution adopted April 13, 1970, delegated to the Bay Mills Indian Community Executive Council; and

WHEREAS: the TRIBE has undertaken a Five Year Parks and Recreation Plan (the “Plan”) which Plan describes the physical features, existing recreation facilities, and the desired actions to be taken to improve and maintain recreations facilities during the period between 2019 and 2023; and

WHEREAS: the TRIBE, working in conjunction with the Eastern Upper Peninsula Regional Planning and Development Commission has developed the Plan for the benefit of the entire community and seeks to adopt the Plan as a document to assist it in meeting the recreation needs of the Community; and

WHEREAS: a public meeting has been held to provide an opportunity for the general public to express opinions, ask questions, and discuss all aspects of the Plan.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Bay Mills Executive Council hereby adopts the Bay Mills Indian Community Recreation Plan as a guideline for improving recreation for the residents of the Bay Mills Indian Reservation.

APPROVED:

Bryan T. Newland, President
Executive Council
Bay Mills Indian Community

ATTEST:

Brian P. Kinney, Secretary
Executive Council
Bay Mills Indian Community

BMIC 2019 – 2023 Recreation Plan
CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, as Secretary of the Bay Mills Indian Community Executive Council, do hereby certify that the above Resolution 18-12-11A was adopted and approved at a meeting of the Bay Mills Executive Council held at Bay Mills, Michigan on the 11th day of December, 2018, with a vote of 4 for, 2 absent and 1 abstaining. As per provisions of the Bay Mills Constitution, the Tribal Chairman must abstain except in the event of a tie.

Brian P. Kinney, Secretary
Executive Council
Resolution of Support for Involvement in Northern White Cedar Project

WHEREAS: The Bay Mills Indian Community is a federally recognized Indian Tribe with a Constitution enacted pursuant to the Indian Reorganization Act of 1934, (25 USC §5101, et seq.), and

WHEREAS: The general tribal council, by resolution adopted April 13, 1970 delegated to the Executive Council, the power to negotiate and execute agreements on behalf of the Bay Mills Indian Community, and

WHEREAS: The tribe wishes to protect culturally and ecologically important species and long-term tribal gathering opportunities

WHEREAS: Changes in climate may alter Michigan forests in the future, such as Northern white cedar habitat.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Bay Mills Executive Council supports the tribe’s involvement in a northern white cedar project with Inter-Tribal Council of Michigan and authorizes Inter-Tribal Council of Michigan to enter into a 638 contract with the Bureau of Indian Affairs. This project will inform efforts to protect cedar populations and long-term tribal gathering opportunities by working to understand how tribal members decide where, when, and how to gather cedar and applying this information to the development of a cedar monitoring protocol.

APPROVED:

Bryan Newland, Chairman
Bay Mills Executive Council

ATTEST:

Brian Kinney, Secretary
Bay Mills Executive Council

CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, as Secretary of the Bay Mills Indian Community Executive Council, do hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted and approved by the Bay Mills Executive Council at Bay Mills, Michigan on the 11th day of December 2018, with a vote of □ for, □ opposed □ absent and □ abstaining. As per provisions of the Bay Mills Constitution, the Tribal Chairman must abstain except in the event of a tie.

Brian Kinney, Secretary
Bay Mills Indian Community
Executive Council
RESOLUTION NO. 18-12-11C
Employer Contribution to 401 (k) Retirement Plan for 2019

WHEREAS: The Bay Mills Indian Community is a federally recognized Indian tribe with a Constitution enacted pursuant to the Indian Reorganization Act of 1934, 25 U.S.C. sec. 461, et seq., and

WHEREAS: The Tribe established the Bay Mills Indian Community 401 (k) Retirement Plan by Resolution No. 96-11-8D in order to attract and retain well-qualified employees and thereby ensure efficient and effective services are available to tribal families and visitors to the Community, and

WHEREAS: The operation of the Bay Mills Indian Community 401 (k) Retirement Plan requires an employer contribution for each employee, determined at a percentage of wages paid.

NOW THEREFORE IS IT RESOLVED, that the Executive Council hereby establishes as and for the employer contribution to the Plan the amount of two and one-half percent (2.5%) to each eligible employee’s 401 (k) retirement fund for plan year 2019. The Tribe will match one-half percent (0.5%) per one percent (1%) contributed by each eligible employee up to two and one-half percent (2.5%). The employee may contribute above the five percent (5%) needed to get the maximum match of two and one-half percent (2.5%).

APPROVED: ATTEST:

Bryan T. Newland, President
Bay Mills Indian Community

Brian P. Kinney, Secretary
Bay Mills Indian Community

CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, as Secretary of the Bay Mills Indian Community Executive Council, do hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted and approved at a meeting of the Bay Mills Executive Council held at Bay Mills, Michigan on the 11th day of December 2018, with a vote of _ for _ opposed _ absent and _ abstaining. As per provisions of the Bay Mills Constitution, the Tribal Chairman must abstain except in the event of a tie.

Brian P. Kinney, Secretary
Bay Mills Indian Community
January 16, 2019

Eastern Upper Peninsula Regional Planning
& Development Commission
ATTN: Rebecca Bolen
1118 E. Easterday Ave.
Sault Ste. Marie, MI 49783

Dear Ms. Bolen:

Subject: Bay Mills Indian Community 0219-2023 Recreation Plan

The Bay Mills Indian Community is pleased to send you a copy of the Bay Mills Indian Community 2019-2023 Recreation Plan. Please keep this for your records.

The Bay Mills Indian Community Executive Council adopted the plan on December 11, 2018 and will be submitting the plan to Michigan’s Department of Natural Resources promptly.

Please contact us with any questions. Thank you.

Sincerely,

[Signature]
Duane Bedell
Tribal Manager

Enclosure: Bay Mills Indian Community 2019-2023 Recreation Plan
APPENDIX F: POST-COMPLETION SELF-CERTIFICATION REPORTS

Michigan Department of Natural Resources - Grants Management

PUBLIC OUTDOOR RECREATION GRANT

POST-COMPLETION SELF-CERTIFICATION REPORT

This information required under authority of Part 19, PA 451 of 1994, as amended,

GRANT TYPE: ☐ MICHIGAN NATURAL RESOURCES TRUST FUND ☐ CLEAN MICHIGAN INITIATIVE
☐ LAND AND WATER CONSERVATION FUND ☐ RECREATION PASSPORT ☐ BOND FUND

(Please select one)

GRANTEE: Bay Mills Indian Community-Chippewa County

PROJECT NUMBER: 26-00959  PROJECT TYPE: Construction

PROJECT TITLE: Bay Mills Recreation Area

PROJECT SCOPE: Develop 2 dugouts, 1 backstop, bleachers, and LMCF sign

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| Are the facilities and the site being properly maintained? If no, please explain. | ☑ Yes ☐ No |

| Is vandalism a problem at this site? If yes, explain the measures being taken to prevent or minimize vandalism. | ☑ Yes ☐ No |
### Post Completion Self-Certification Report - Cont’d

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What are the hours and seasons for availability of the site?

*Open for use all year round.*

**Comments (Attach separate sheet if more space is needed)**

This grant was authored in 1995, and according to our Tribal Attorney, a final report was submitted following the completion of the grant period. Documentation, including the name of the individual responsible for authoring the proposal, have not been located. For additional information please contact Kathryn Tierney, Tribal Attorney at 906-248-8101.
CERTIFICATION

I do hereby certify that I am duly elected, appointed and/or authorized by the Grantee named above and that the information and answers provided herein are true and accurate to the best of my personal knowledge, information and belief.

Brian Newland, Chairman

[Signature]

Date: 10.22.18

Please print

Brian Graue

[Signature]

Date: 10.22.18

Witness Signature

Send completed report to:

POST COMPLETION GRANT INSPECTION REPORTS
GRANTS MANAGEMENT
MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
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LANING MI 48909-7925