



Grand Council Treaty #3

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Treaty #3 Chiefs in Assembly

RESOLUTION #CA05-13

Resolution Concerning: Support of Lac Des Mille Lacs First Nations Veterinary Project

WHEREAS a veterinary infrastructure is integral for developed nations to establish the regulatory frameworks through which protocols allow for national and international meat strategies; provide for animal care and animal disease management strategies; be involved with all animal species in respect to care, inspection, regulation, use, transport, slaughter and consumption; and create the foundation for humane societies and dog pounds for use in the control of companion animal populations;

WHEREAS the Anishinabe Nation in Treaty #3 lacks a veterinary infrastructure available to other developed nations;

WHEREAS the absence of a veterinary infrastructure exposes the citizens of Treaty #3 to risks of eating uninspected meat and fish, exposure to preventable diseases from domestic and wild animals, and increased dog attacks, and leaves the Anishinaabe Nation in Treaty #3 without the management tools to sustain and excel in traditional lifestyles; including development of an international trade and commerce with wildlife harvest;

WHEREAS the proposed project by Lac des Milles Lacs would benefit the Anishinaabe Nation in Treaty # 3 communities;

WHEREAS Lac Des Mille Lacs is to provide periodic reporting;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Executive Council of the Anshinaabe Nation in Treaty # 3 provide appropriate technical support as required to Lac des Milles Lacs to develop a veterinary infrastructure,

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the Executive Council of Grand Council Treaty # 3 facilitate discussions with INAC to assist Lac des Milles Lacs to obtain and secure funds to establish a veterinary infrastructure on behalf of the Nation.

Agreed on October 6, 2005 at Big Grassy First Nation



CERTIFIED A TRUE RECORD

Moved by: Gary Kishiqueb, Lac Des Mille Lacs First Nation
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