



Little River Band of Ottawa Indians
Natural Resources Commission
 2608 Government Center Drive
 Manistee, Michigan 49660

August 10, 2026
 Open Session Minutes
[Zoom Info](#)
 Meeting ID: 567 831 8925 PW: 1994

I. General Business

A. Call to Order: 5:00pm

B. Roll Call:

Virgil Johnson ChairPresent
 Chris CampeauPresent
 Connie Eno Present
 Martha Howell.....Present
 Greg Walters Recorder.....Present

Others Present: Lt Robles, Larry Campeau, Carrie Frias, Frank Beaver, Sean Hollowell, David Heit, Misty Silvis

C. Approval of Agenda

Motion to approve August 10th, 2026, agenda:
 made by: Campeau
 supported by: Eno

Johnson - yes Eno - yes Campeau – yes
 Howell - yes Walters - yes
Motion approved 5-0-0-0

D. A: Approval of Open Session Minutes:

Motion to approve: Open Session Minutes – July 13th, 2026
 made by: Campeau
 supported by: Eno

Johnson - yes Eno - yes Campeau - yes
 Howell – yes Walters – Abstain
Motion approved 4-0-1-0

II. Law Enforcement Update: Lt Robles > Campgrounds are running smoothly, patrolling 2,3 times a shift. Hunter safety coming up (August 28-29th) Recreational Baiting (300ft) Earn a Buck with MDNR.

III. Natural Resources Department: Frank Beaver > Sturgeon Release Saturday the 12th, Alot of activity trying to save Lake Whitefish, no information on the Grayling, Dan work will not affect Grayling. Sean Hollowell > Elk orientation will be in early November *Possible an issue with the MSNR. David Heit > NRC survey 81 responses at the spring membership meeting, it was about Gathering and Harvesting, most members did not know what opportunities were available to them in the 1836 ceded territory.

IV. Natural Resources Commission Business: None

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V. **Legal Dept. Update:** None

VI. **New Business:**

A: Motion to move the Amendments to the 1836 hunting, Trapping and Gathering Regulations to next meeting

made by: Campeau
supported by: Walters

Johnson – yes Eno – yes Campeau – yes
Howell – yes Walters – yes

Motion approved 5-0-0-0

B: Motion to approve Migratory Bird Season Dates and times.

made by: Campeau
supported by: Eno

Johnson – yes Eno – yes Campeau – yes
Howell – no Walters – yes

Motion approved 4-1-0-0

VII. **Continuing Business:**

VIII. **Public Comment:** Larry Campeau > would like to see a year-round season on Cormorants

IX. **Next Agenda and meeting: 09-14-2026**

**By Laws
Foul hook Fishing
1836 Hunting Regulations
Graying Report
Deer Baiting**

X. **Adjourn Meeting: 6:00 pm**

Motion: Campeau
Support: Eno

Johnson – yes Eno – yes Campeau- yes
Howell – yes Walters – yes

Motion approved 5-0-0-0