

GREAT LAKES INDIAN FISH & WILDLIFE COMMISSION

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MICHIGAN

Bay Mills Community
Keweenaw Bay Community
Lac Vieux Desert Band

WISCONSIN

Bad River Band
Lac Courte Oreilles Band
Lac du Flambeau Band

MINNESOTA

Fond du Lac Band
Mille Lacs Band

Request for Proposals

June 15, 2022

Overview

The Great Lakes Indian Fish & Wildlife Commission (GLIFWC) is an intertribal agency consisting of eleven Ojibwe Bands in Wisconsin, Minnesota, and Michigan. GLIFWC provides assistance to the bands in activities necessary for the implementation of treaty-reserved rights and the effective management of treaty-protected resources.

The Public Information Office (PIO) at GLIFWC is seeking a qualified contractor to complete a short video as part of the “Ogichidaa Storytellers” series.

Expectations

Qualified contractors will submit a proposal for the planning, filming, sound, editing and final production of one short film. The video will highlight the period following the Lac Courte Oreilles/Voigt Decision, which reaffirmed Ojibwe treaty rights in the Wisconsin Ceded Territory. The video should highlight the challenges of implementing treaty seasons while negotiating harvest seasons with the state and facing violent boatlanding protests during the spring spearfishing season.

The final product should be consistent with the “Ogichidaa Storytellers” framework, a series which can be viewed here www.ogichidaa.org or visit GLIFWC’s YouTube channel.

Contractors will be expected to coordinate with GLIFWC’s Public Information Office throughout the production. The final video must be approximately 6-8 minutes in length and may require filming at multiple different locations in Wisconsin. In addition, acquisition of original and archival footage may be necessary to complete this project. Contractors will be responsible for securing rights to materials in the video which are protected by trademark or copyright, including music, images, etc., and transferring these rights to GLIFWC. Additionally, contractor will be responsible for securing releases signed by all individuals appearing in the video and providing these releases to PIO. GLIFWC PIO will help direct the contractor in the identification of interview subjects. All rights in the video will be owned by GLIFWC.

Requirements

All interested contractors must submit bids to Lynn Plucinski, pio@glifwc.org, no later than July 11, 2022. Bids must include: project outline/proposal, time frame, budget, and work samples. The budget may include reasonable travel expenses associated with the project.

Contractors will be required to abide by GLIFWC’s financial policies and procedures. For questions, contact GLIFWC Public Information Office at pio@glifwc.org.