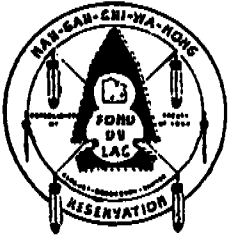


# Fond du Lac Reservation Business Committee

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## RESOLUTION #1227/96

The Fond du Lac Reservation Business Committee, on behalf of the Fond du Lac Band of Lake Superior Chippewa, hereby enacts the following Resolution:

Chairman  
Robert B. Peacock

Secretary/Treasurer  
Peter J. Defoe

Dist. I Councilman  
Clifton Rabideaux

Dist. II Councilman  
Daryold Blacketter

Dist. III Councilman  
George Dupuis

Executive Director  
I. Jean Mulder

**WHEREAS,** the Fond du Lac Reservation is a sovereignty, created by the Treaty of September 30, 1854, 10 Stat. 1109, as the permanent home of the Fond du Lac Band of Lake Superior Chippewa, which possesses the inherent jurisdiction and authority to exercise regulatory control within the boundaries of the Fond du Lac Reservation; and

**WHEREAS,** it is the sovereign obligation of the Fond du Lac Reservation Business Committee, as the Governing Body of the Fond du Lac Band, under the Indian Reorganization Act, 25 U.S.C. § 461 et seq., and in accordance with the Indian Self-Determination Act, 25 U.S.C. § 450 et seq., to assume the responsibilities of self government; and

**WHEREAS,** it is the responsibility of the Reservation Business Committee to protect and promote the health, safety and welfare of the Fond du Lac Reservation, and this responsibility extends as well to members of the American Indian community living within the greater service area of the Fond du Lac Band; and

**WHEREAS,** the Reservation Business Committee has determined that there is a need for the adoption of a policy of zero tolerance for acts of violence by members of the Fond du Lac Band or by any other person within the Fond du Lac Reservation;

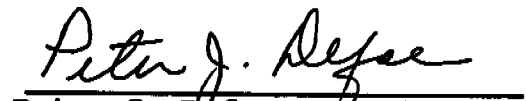
**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** that the Fond du Lac Reservation Business Committee does hereby adopt the following policy:

FOND DU LAC RESERVATION BUSINESS COMMITTEE  
DECLARATION OF POLICY AGAINST VIOLENCE

1. There shall be zero tolerance on the part of the Fond du Lac Reservation Business Committee for acts of violence by any member of the Fond du Lac Band or by any other person within the Fond du Lac Reservation.
  
2. The types of violent behaviors addressed by this Policy shall include, but not be limited to, the following conduct:
  - Acts of physical violence against another person, including all forms of terrorism, threats and intimidation;
  - Acts of destruction against property;
  - Acts of racial intolerance against any person;
  - Acts of public disrespect against elders, children, or veterans;
  - Distribution or possession of illegal drugs or weapons; and
  - Disruption of lawful governmental activities.
  
3. The Reservation Business Committee shall vigorously enforce this Policy through any legal means available, which may include, but not be limited to, cooperation with and reliance upon the assistance of the law enforcement agencies of other units of government, the organization and support of community-based policing and other deterrence efforts.

We do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly presented and acted upon by a vote of 2 for, 0 against, 0 silent, with a quorum of 3 being present at a Special Meeting of the Fond du Lac Reservation Business Committee held on September 10, 1996, on the Fond du Lac Reservation.

  
Robert B. Peacock, Chairman

  
Peter J. Defoe, Sec./Treas.