

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN  
NORTHERN DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	)	
Plaintiff,	)	No. 2:73-cv-26
	)	
and	)	Honorable Paul L. Maloney
	)	
BAY MILLS INDIAN COMMUNITY, SAULT STE.	)	
MARIE TRIBE OF CHIPPEWA INDIANS, GRAND	)	
TRAVERSE BAND OF OTTAWA AND CHIPPEWA	)	
INDIANS, LITTLE RIVER BAND OF OTTAWA	)	
INDIANS, and LITTLE TRAVERSE BAY BANDS	)	
OF ODAWA INDIANS,	)	
Plaintiff-Intervenors,	)	
	)	
-v-	)	
	)	
STATE OF MICHIGAN, et al.,	)	
Defendants.	)	
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**ORDER ADOPTING THE 2023 GREAT LAKES FISHING DECREE**

In accordance with the accompanying Opinion entered on this date,

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that the Court **APPROVES** and **ENTERS** the proposed 2023 Great Lakes Fishing Decree (ECF No. 2042-1). The signed Decree shall be entered contemporaneously with this Order.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the objections to the proposed 2023 Great Lakes Fishing Decree (ECF Nos. 2062, 2077) are **OVERRULED**.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the Sault Ste. Marie Tribe of Chippewa Indians' motion to reconsider the indefinite extension of the 2000 Great Lake Fishing Consent Decree (ECF No. 2046) is **DISMISSED** as moot.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

Date: August 24, 2023

/s/ Paul L. Maloney  
Paul L. Maloney  
United States District Judge