

PREAMBLE

We, the adults members of Ring Thunder Community of the Rosebud Sioux Tribe, a tribe of the Great Sioux Nation, in order to establish a responsible and representative community organization, to promote the common welfare, to secure the blessing of liberty to ourselves and our posterity, to provide for our economic and social betterment through cooperative effort, to promote security, do ordain and establish this Constitution and By-Laws for the people of Ring Thunder Community.

BY-LAWS OF THE RING THUNDER COMMUNITY

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ARTICLE I.

NAME

Sec. 1. The organization shall be known as the Ring Thunder Community of the Rosebud Sioux Tribe, a tribe of the Great Sioux Nation.

ARTICLE II.

GOVERNING BODY

Sec. 1. The members of the community council, shall consist of the Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Secretary, Treasurer, Sergeant at Arms and the Tribal Council Representative.

Sec. 11. The members of this community shall consist of all members that live withing Ring Thunder Community.

Sec. III. The Community council shall have the power to appoint the Advisory Board, Recreation Chairman, or fulfill any vacancies in the offices.

Sec. IV. It shall be the duty of the said community members to elect the community officers for a term of one (1) year in order to be consistent with the Constitution and By-Laws of the Rosebud Sioux Tribe.

ARTICLE III.

QUORUM

Sec. 1. The presence of at least six (6) or more community members shall constitute a quorum to proceed with business matters, with at least one (1) Community Officer present.

Sec. II. It shall be the duty of the Secretary to record all names present at each meeting.

#### ARTICLE IV.

##### MEMBERSHIP

- Sec. 1. Membership and censusroll shall consist of the community members who are residents and members of the Rosebud Sidxux Tribe.
- Sec. II. Membership will also consist of those who are affiliated with the Ring Thunder Community. However, they may only vote in matters pertaining to community affairs, and not those pertaining to tribal affairs.

#### ARTICLE V.

##### MEETING DATE

- Sec. 1. It shall be the duty of any Community Officer to call a regular meeting on the second (2nd) Thursday of each month.
- Sec. II. It shall be the duty of any Community Officer to call special meetings where and when desired, by three (3) or more community members.
- Sec. III. It shall be the duty of any Community Officer to call meetings of the Advisory Board, Recreation Chairman, and all other special committees, upon request of three (3) or more community members.

#### ARTICLE VI.

##### INVOCATION

- Sec. 1. At each community meeting, it shall be the duty of the chairman to call on one member to give an invocation before each meeting proceeds.

#### ARTICLE VII.

##### VIOLATING OF OFFICERS

- Sec. 1. Each officer shall notify any officer by order or written notice, stating his or her reason for being absent from a community meeting.

ARTICLE VIII.

RESOLUTIONS

Sec. 1. Any and all resolutions shall be in a written form and signed by the proper authority.

Sec. II. All resolutions subject to reviewed or amended shall be returned to the community for amendments.

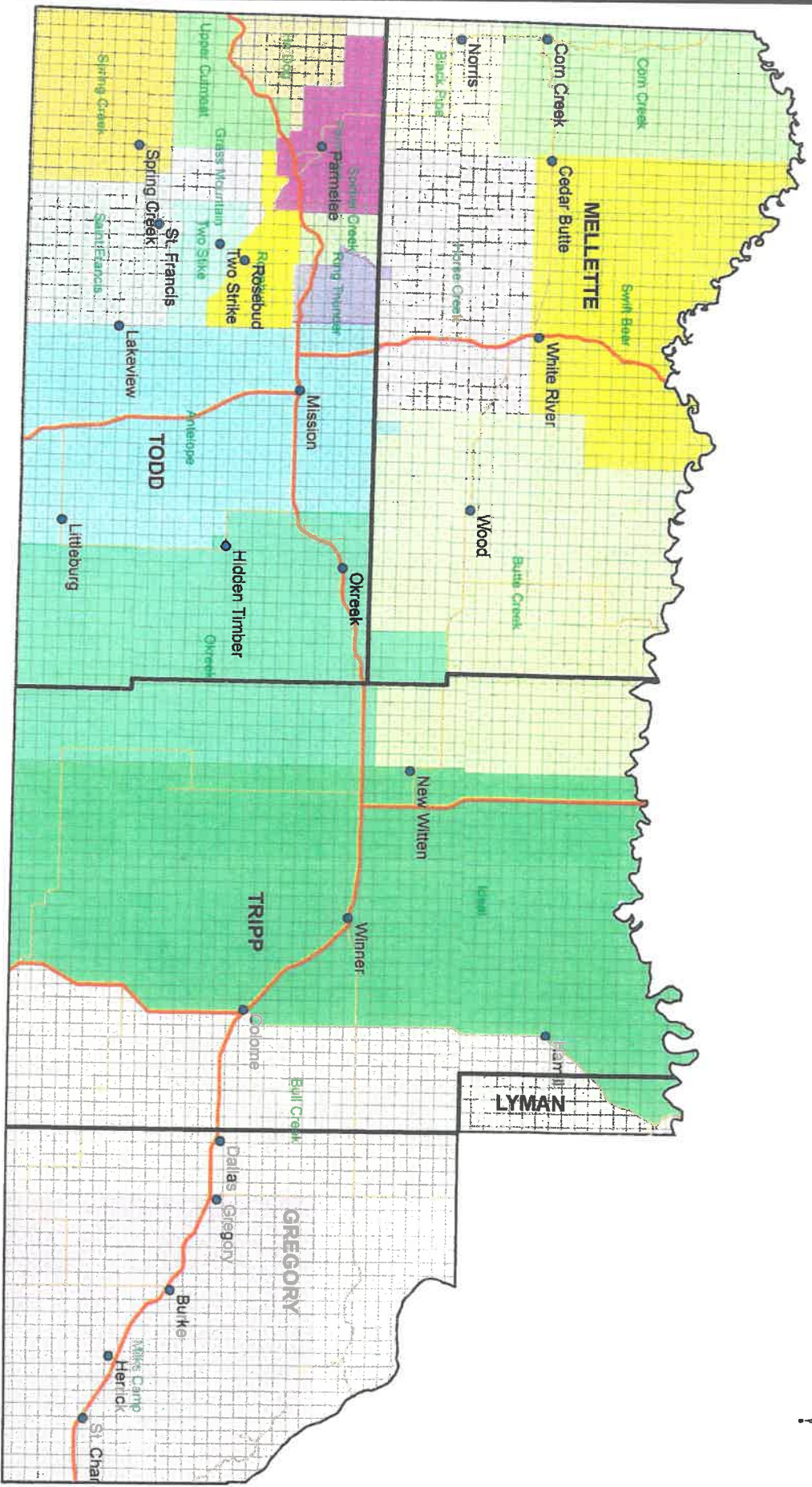
ARTICLE IX.

EVICITION OF MEMBERS

Sec. 1. Any community member may be evicted from the community after due process is taken.

ARTICLE X.

Sec. 1. The Chairman and the Secretary of the Community shall certify all proceedings and documents of this Community, Ring Thunder.



Five County Reservation Area with Community Boundaries

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