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IN REPLY REFER TO:

January 10, 2014
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Memorandum

To: Central Files

From: Superintendent, Apostle Islands National Lakeshore

Subject: Temporary Closures on Sand Island Due to Management Action (Deer Reduction)

In accordance with regulations and delegated authority provided in Title 36, Code of Federal Regulations, Chapter 1, Part 1, Section 1.5 {a} {1-3}, an area closure will be in effect on Sand Island for the time period indicated below. The purpose of these restrictions is to ensure visitor safety during a NPS management action (deer reduction) that will be taking place on this island. Bait piles and shooting blinds are being set up in close proximity to public hiking trails or access points.

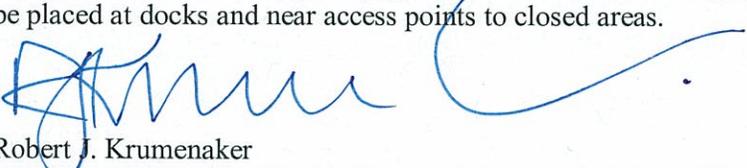
Time frame:

Sand Island will be closed to all public uses, including hunting, from January 15, 2013 through and including May 15, 2014.

Area to be closed to the public:

Sand Island:

All of Sand Island – except for properties under use and occupancy agreements – will be closed. Signs will be placed at docks and near access points to closed areas.


Robert J. Krumenaker
Superintendent