

and situate on the North west side of the River St Clare commencing at the Point of Belle River running from thence Northwards Forty Arpents in front by One hundred & fifty in depth all and singular the Estate right, title, interest, property claim or demand whatsoever of us the said Chiefs or any of our Nation of, in and to the premisses and every part and parcel thereof—TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said Tract of Land all and singular the appurtenances unto the said Richard Cornwall his heirs, and assigns for the only proper use and behoof of him the said Richard Cornwall his heirs and assigns for ever and we the said Chiefs for ourselves and the whole of our Nation our and their heirs and assigns shall and will warrant and for ever defend by virtue of these presents. IN WITNESS WHEREOF we have hereunto affixed the marks of our different Tribes at Detroit this 26 day of JUNE in the year of our Lord One Thousand seven hundred and Eighty Nine

Signed, Sealed and delivered in the presence of us

[Totem] Muskyash jun^r his mark

T. Smith
William Cook
Louis Barthe

Appended: John Askin—Rec^d in my office 19th May 1797. P A

Registered in my office in the book N^o 1. pages 76 & 77. Peter Audrain recorder.

Endorsed: Recorded in the Land Office at Detroit in Liber E folio 59 &c By me G^o Hoffman R.

Attached: WE the Chiefs of the Chippawa Nation of Indians, having been Asked by John Askin senior of Detroit merchant If our Ancestors & selves did in the year 1780 sell unto Rich^d Cornwell Master Ship Builder a Tract of Land whose Situation & Extent is more fully Explained on the other Side of this paper to whom we Answered we did