

BAXTER STATE PARK

SPECIAL PERMIT FOR MEDIA ACTIVITIES

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Hereafter referred to as the Permittee, is permitted to conduct media activities within Baxter State Park as specified below and in the attached documents as referenced below during the periods of Sept. 28-Oct 2 (5 days) and Oct 5-9 (5 days).

The Permittee has permission to conduct still and video photography activities within the boundaries of property administered by the Baxter State Park Authority and has agreed to conform in all respects to the requirements specified in this media permit in accordance with the BAXTER STATE PARK MEDIA POLICY.

- 1. The Permittee is responsible for knowing and complying with all Rules and Regulations of Baxter State Park, including any and all trail closures, hiking and camping limitations imposed by Baxter State Park in the normal conduct of Park operations and the provision for public safety.**
- 2. The Permittee is responsible for obtaining any necessary campsite, cabin or bunkhouse lodging necessary through the regular camping reservation process at Baxter State Park. Baxter State Park provides no special provisions for lodging within the Park or assurances of available lodging through the Park reservation system.**
- 3. Permittee shall release forms from any and all Park users identifiable in filming activities and provide Baxter state Park with copies of the release forms prior to November 1, 2015.**
- 4. Permittee shall take all precautions to avoid negative impacts to all wildlife and Park visitors resulting from filming and other media activities.**
- 5. The permittee group includes the following personnel:
Paul Williams – Producer, Lauren Pascoe – Researcher, Christopher Georgia – Camera Assistant, Christian Munoz-Donoso – Camera Operator, David Wright – Camera Operator, Natasha Prymak – Production Coordinator.**

6. Permittee is required to comply with all camping facility occupancy limits for any sites reserved in Baxter State Park.

7. During the filming and conduct of any media activities under this permit, the Permittee shall take any actions necessary to avoid the interference, disturbance or obstruction with the use of the Park by other Park visitors. The Permittee shall not block or interfere with hiker/visitor passage on trails, at viewpoints or on mountain peaks permitted for media activities under this permit. The use of tripods for video or still photography is prohibited above treeline under this permit.

8. When at Sandy Stream Pond the BBC film crew is confined to boardwalk and Big Rock viewing locations. Leaving the bog bridges and platforms to get closer to moose is prohibited. See attached map showing designated viewing spots and the delineation of the "Wildlife Only Area" off limits to everyone. If filming at Stump Pond, the BBC film crew is restricted to the viewing platform and trail directly across from the Stump Pond parking lot.

9. Production party is limited to a maximum of 3 people at Sandy Stream Pond (i.e. 2 people on the boardwalk viewing location, 1 @ Big Rock, etc.), with an additional person acting as runner coming in and out to transport batteries.

10. Use of aircraft, including drones, to obtain footage is prohibited

11. Use of artificial lights or booms is prohibited.

12. This permit is limited to a maximum of 10 days beginning with Sept. 28 and ending with Oct. 9, 2015.

13. Media Permit fee schedule:

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| a. | Permitted project 1-2 consecutive days | \$60 |
| b. | Permitted project 3-5 days | \$100 |
| c. | <u>Permitted project more than 5 consecutive days</u> | <u>\$200</u> |

Signed:

N. Prymak (NATASHA PRYMAK)
ON BEHALF OF PAUL WILLIAMS
Permittee

Date: 15/09/15

Jewell Bissell
Baxter State Park
Date: 9/15/15