

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

REAL PROPERTY LOCATED AT N4873 LOOP  
ROAD, TOWN OF BASHAW, WASHBURN  
COUNTY, WISCONSIN, WITH ALL  
APPURTENANCES AND IMPROVEMENTS  
THEREON,

Case No. 08-C-108

Defendant.

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WRIT OF ENTRY

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The United States has filed a verified complaint for forfeiture in rem against the defendant real property. The United States has not asked to seize the defendant real property at this time but has stated that it will post notice of the complaint for forfeiture in rem on the defendant real property and will serve notice of this action and a copy of the Complaint on the owner of the defendant real property under 18 U.S.C. §§ 985(c)(1) and (3).

Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 985(b)(2) and 18 U.S.C. § 983(j), the United States has moved for a writ of entry authorizing it to enter the defendant real property, including any structures, for the purpose of conducting an inspection, inventory and appraisal of the defendant real property. Having considered the government's submissions, I am granting the motion.

Therefore, it is ORDERED that:

1. The United States Marshals Service or its designee is authorized to enter the defendant real property, including any structures, on one or more occasions during the pendency of this in rem forfeiture action against the defendant real property, for the purpose of conducting an inspection, inventory and appraisal of the defendant real property. The marshals service shall provide notice of its intent to enter to the residents of the defendant property at least 24 hours prior to each attempted entry. Entry shall commence between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. unless the residents agree otherwise in advance.

2. The United States Marshals Service or its designee may be accompanied during any such entry by appraisers it has selected for the purpose of appraising the condition and value of the defendant real property pursuant to 19 U.S.C. § 1606. The appraisers may use still and video photography.

3. The United States Marshals Service or its designee may be accompanied on any such entry by government and/or contract personnel it has selected for the purpose of conducting an inspection and inventory of the defendant real property. The inspectors may use still and video photography.

4. The United States Marshals Service or its designee may be accompanied on any such occasion by any federal, state, and local law enforcement officers it selects to ensure the safety of personnel acting pursuant to the writ of entry.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that no person shall obstruct or interfere in any fashion with anyone acting under the authority of this writ of entry.

Dated this 28<sup>th</sup> day of February 2008.

/s/

STEPHEN L. CROCKER  
United States Magistrate Judge