



*Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe Indians*

*Executive Branch of Tribal Government  
Office of the Chief Executive*

Stanley Koutstaal  
Division Director  
OFA; ACF; U.S. DHHS  
330 C. Street, S.W.,  
Washington, D.C. 20201

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Dear Director Koutstaal:

Enclosed is the Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe's current 477 Plan with Native Employment Works (NEW) Activities and Services included. We are submitting this plan and letter to extend our federal NEW funding for three-years (subject to the availability of congressional appropriations).

The Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe appreciates the opportunity to lessen the administrative burdens under 477 while continuing NEW activities and services.

If there is any other information needed, please contact Kristian Theisz at: [kristian.theisz@millelacsband.com](mailto:kristian.theisz@millelacsband.com), or via telephone at 320-630-2687.

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CC: BIA Division of Workforce Development