



Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe Indians  
*Legislative Branch of Tribal Government*

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**Weekly Review: July 8-12, 2024**

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**Workshop**

**July 8, 2024**

Legal staff facilitated a discussion for the elected officials regarding pending litigation.

**Tribal Executive Committee Meeting**

**July 8, 2024**

The elected officials and staff attended the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe Tribal Executive Committee meeting.

**Inauguration**

**July 9, 2024**

The elected officials and staff attended the 2024 Inauguration.

**Band Assembly Meeting**

**July 9, 2024**

The Speaker Pro Tempore of the Assembly convened a meeting of the Band Assembly. The District Representatives amended and approved the agenda.

The District Representatives approved June 5, 2024, Band Assembly Record: June 14, 2024, and Band Assembly Record: June 26, 2024.

The District Representatives approved Band Assembly Bill 21-02-35-24 (A Bill Authorizing a Supplemental Appropriation for the purpose of authorizing expenditures and budget revision(s)/transfer(s) for the Executive Branch for the Fiscal Years ending September 30, 2024 and September 30, 2025).

The District Representatives approved Resolution 21-02-27-24 (A Resolution Granting GrowCo. Inc., A Provisional Cannabis License Pursuant to 15 MLBS § 1224).

The District Representatives approved contract addendum for Justice Systems Inc. E-filing & Cite Pay to add additional funding for integrating the E-filing System for FCE & FSX; adding in the Cite Pay system.

The District Representatives approved contract for Todd Smith to provide traditional medicine services, two days per week once a month.

The District Representatives approved Foster Care License: District 1: Correction to Foster Care License Number: FFH1810009.

The District Representatives approved Foster Care License: District 1: Correction to Foster Care License Number: FFH23100011.

The District Representatives approved Foster Care License: District 1 - Urban: Correction to Foster Care License Number: FFH2310006.

The District Representatives tabled Band Assembly Bill 21-02-36-24 (A Bill authorizing a re-appropriation for the purpose of authorizing expenditures for Mille Lacs Corporate Ventures for the Fiscal Year ending September 30, 2024).

The District Representatives approved contract for Huot Construction and Services, Inc. to provide labor and materials for a private elder home renovation in District 1.

**Messages from the Chief Executive:**

Chief Executive Virgil Wind was not present during this portion of the meeting.

**Messages from the Representatives:**

District I Representative Carolyn Beaulieu shared “happy to be back in Legislature, feels natural to be sitting here and Wendy you did a great job as Speaker Pro Tempore and thank everyone for being patient with me as well, I’m not used to being on camera --it’s something I will have to get used to and remembering to use this button, miigwech.”

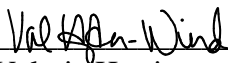
District II Representative Wendy Merrill shared congratulations to Carolyn, District I Representative, school board members, and Chief Executive Wind. She shared she is looking forward to a lot of collaboration and approving agenda items.

District III Representative Harry Davis congratulated Carolyn Beaulieu and Virgil Wind. He shared an announcement that community meetings will be Thursday, July 25, 2024 at Grand Casino Hinckley ballroom and community meeting will be Thursday, August 15, 2024 at Aazhoomog if renovation complete.

**Messages from the Secretary-Treasurer:**

Secretary-Treasurer Sheldon Boyd was not present during this portion of the meeting.

***The next Regular Band Assembly meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, July 17, 2024 at 10:00 a.m.***

  
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Valerie Harrington-Wind  
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