



Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe Indians

Legislative Branch of Tribal Government

Office of the Revisor of Statutes

Status Report – April 2022

On May 12, 2021, the Non-Removable Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe Band Assembly (“Band Assembly”) approved Legislative Order 33-21, which adopted Rules of Procedures for Band Assembly. Pursuant to Rule 10.2 of the Rules, the Revisor of Statutes must prepare and publish a monthly Status Report during regular session of Band Assembly. Such Status Report must list all measures under consideration (including their titles and sponsors) and a history of action taken.

Order	Title	Sponsor	History of Action Taken
1	Amending Title 5 – Enacting Healing-to-Wellness Court Ordinance 30-22.	Rep. St. John	Working sessions, public comment period, formal public hearing held on 12/08/2021, added to the Band Assembly agenda on 3/9/2022, tabled on 3/9, amended on the record, tabled 3/23. Passed on 4/13 and signed on 4/20.
2	Amending Title 2 – Removal and Exclusion Ordinance 31-22 – Vetoed.	Rep. Wind	Working sessions, two public comment periods, formal public hearing held on 12/08/2021, added to the Band Assembly agenda on 3/9/2022, approved on 3/16, vetoed on 3/23, held a compromise hearing on 3/28, Chief’s Office will submit a redlined version of the draft by 4/21.

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3	Title 6 – Amending ethics code and reorganizing the title Ordinance 37-22 – Vetoed.	Rep. Wind	Working sessions, public comment period. Introduced and passed by Band Assembly on 4/20/22. Vetoed on 4/25.
4	Title 3 & 25 – Cleanup Bill Ordinance 40-22.	Rep. Wind	Working sessions, public comment period. Formal public hearing held on 4/13. Introduced and passed by Band Assembly on 4/25.
5	Title 15 – Reorganization bill to create, Independent Agencies Ordinance 41-22.	Rep. Wind	Working sessions. Introduced and passed by Band Assembly on 4/25.
6	Title 11 – Animal Protection Bill Ordinance 42-22.	Rep. Bruneau	Working sessions. Public comment periods. Introduced and passed by Band Assembly on 4/27.
7	Title 5 – Structure of the Court of Appeals and Elder Panel Ordinance 43-22.	Rep. St. John	Working sessions. Public comment periods. Formal public hearing held on 4/13. Introduced and passed by Band Assembly on 4/27.



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