



MILLE LACS BAND OF CHIPPEWA INDIANS
Executive Branch of Tribal Government

Executive Order 104-92

An Executive Order to all Commissioners, the Solicitor General, Chief of Police, Self-Governance Coordinator and Deputy Solicitor General regarding the efficient operation of the Band government and the employment of Band members.

- WHEREAS, pursuant to Mille Lacs Band Statute 1142-MLC-3, Section 7.05, the Chief Executive has the authority to issue Executive Orders on any subject matter within the Executive Branch pursuant to the authorities conferred by Band Statute; and,
- WHEREAS, pursuant to Mille Lacs Band Statute 1142-MLC-3, Section 5 and Section 8.04, the Chief Executive has the authority to regulate the job performance of all persons employed within her area of subject matter jurisdiction; and,
- WHEREAS, because of the tremendous growth and expansion which the Band is currently experiencing, every entity of the Band government faces numerous challenges as we continue to move into the future; and,
- WHEREAS, each commissioner is best able to meet the challenges and manage the issues which arise in their particular area of expertise; and,
- WHEREAS, to function in the most efficient manner, the various departments of the Band government must coordinate their efforts and strive to achieve common goals; and,
- WHEREAS, as the Band's highest elected Executive Branch official, the Chief Executive is ultimately responsible for setting these common goals for the Executive Branch; and,
- WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band values and supports its employees and desires to assist them in achieving success in their employment endeavors and in ensuring that both the Band's and employee's needs are met; and,
- WHEREAS, due to a history of economic oppression on the Mille Lacs Reservation, many Band members, through no fault of their own, are lacking in essential job skills; and,
- WHEREAS, employment gives Band members not only economic security, but also creates and fosters self-respect and pride in our members and our community; and,

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WHEREAS, the primary purpose of any government is to serve the people who have empowered it.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED that all commissioners and Executive Branch officials shall strive to carry forth the Chief Executive's policy objectives and shall cooperate and coordinate their efforts with their peers including deferring, where appropriate, to the person with the authority and unique expertise in a particular subject matter, in order to ensure the efficient and orderly function of the Band government.

BE IT FURTHER ORDERED, that all commissioners and Executive Branch officials shall make all reasonable efforts to hire, train, mentor, and retain Band members for positions available with the government.

Dated this 23rd day of June, 1992.

Expiration Date: None



Marge Anderson
Chief Executive

APPROVED AS TO FORM,
EXECUTION AND NUMBERING



James M. Genia
Deputy Solicitor General

OFFICIAL SEAL OF THE BAND