



THE MILLE LACS BAND OF  
**OJIBWE INDIANS**

*Legislative Branch of Tribal Government*

**RESOLUTION 21-04-48-25**

**A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE APPOINTMENT OF BOBBY (OGIMAA GINIW) EAGLE TO THE AMERICAN INDIAN MENTAL HEALTH ADVISORY COUNCIL**

WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band Assembly (“Band Assembly”) is the duly elected legislative body for the Non-Removable Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe (“Band”), a federally recognized Indian Tribe; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to 3 MLBS § 3(d), the Band Assembly has the authority to adopt resolutions; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to 3 MLBS § 1(m), a “resolution” is defined as “a formal expression of the opinion, will, or intention” of the Band Assembly; and

WHEREAS, the American Indian Mental Health Advisory Council (“Council”) advises the State of Minnesota’s Department of Health Services Behavioral Health Administration on policies and procedures relating to American Indian mental health services and programs in Minnesota; and

WHEREAS, the Council is comprised of 15 American Indian individuals representing each of the seven (7) Ojibwe Bands, four (4) Dakota communities, and four (4) individuals representing the urban American Indian populations of Duluth, St. Paul, and Minneapolis; and

WHEREAS, the representatives on the Council are appointed by the governing body of each tribal and urban community; and

WHEREAS, the Band Assembly recognizes the need to have representation on the Council to ensure the Band’s voice is heard; and

WHEREAS, Bobby (Ogimaa Giniw) Eagle has been attending the Council meetings as the representative of the Band, but cannot vote at the Council meetings without proper appointment.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Band Assembly hereby appoints Bobby (Ogimaa Giniw) Eagle to represent the Band on the Council.

WE DO HEREBY CERTIFY, that the foregoing resolution was duly concurred with and adopted

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at a regular session of the Band Assembly in Legislative Chambers, a quorum of legislators being present, held on the 6th day of August, 2025, at Nayahshing, Minnesota, by a vote of 3 FOR, 0 AGAINST, 0 SILENT.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we, the Band Assembly hereunto cause to have set the signature of the Speaker of the Assembly to be affixed to this resolution.

**OFFICIAL SEAL OF THE BAND**



  
Sheldon Boyd, Speaker of the Assembly

**Sponsor: District III Representative**