

MILLE LACS BAND OF CHIPPEWA INDIANS

Legislative Branch of Tribal Government

RESOLUTION 04-02-04-91

A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE AUTHORIZED WITHOLDING OF ALL BENEFITS TO BAND MEMBERS WHO OWE FINES TO THE COURT OF CENTRAL JURISDICTION

- WHEREAS the Mille Lacs Band Assembly (Reservation Business Committee) is the duly elected governing body for the Mille Lacs Band of Chippewa Indians; and,
- WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band of Chippewa Indians has the inherent sovereign authority to govern its members in both criminal and civil matters pursuant to Band Statute 1141-MLC-2; and,
- WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band of Chippewa Indians has enacted numerous statutes which allow the Courtof Central Jurisdiction to order criminal and/or civil sanctions pursuant to Band Statute 1143-MLC-4; and,
- WHEREAS, many Band members have failed to pay fines duly ordered by the Court of Central Jurisdiction; and,
- WHEREAS, there is a need for an additional mechanism to enforce compliance with court ordered fines.
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Clerk of the Court of Central Jurisdiction shall immediate compile a list of all Band members who owe fines, this list shall be updated on a monthly basis and shall be made available to all offices, including but not limited to the Mille Lacs Band of Chippewa Department of Natural Resources, Department of Motor Vehicles, and Bingo Facilities. Band members who have outstanding fines shall not be eligible to receive any Band license and shall have the full amount of the fine deducted from any bingo winnings.
- WE DO HEREBY CERTIFY, that the foregoing resolution was duly concurred with and adopted at aregular session of the Band Assembly in Legislative council assembled, a quorum of Legislators being present held on the 9th day of October, 1990 at Vineland, Minnesota by a vote of _3 FOR, _0 _AGAINST, _0 _SILENT.

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

Marge Anderson, Speaker of Assembly

In concurrence with the action of the Speaker of Assembly, we, the Administrative Policy Board hereunto recommend to set the signature of the Chief Executive to this resolution.

Arthur Gahbow, Chief Executive

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