



MILLE LACS BAND OF CHIPPEWA INDIANS
Legislative Branch of Tribal Government

RESOLUTION 04-02-02-91

A RESOLUTION FROM THE MILLE LACS BAND FOR A REQUEST FOR LEGAL REPRESENTATION BY THE NATIVE AMERICAN RIGHTS FUND.

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 Assembly's number one priority is to improve the overall quality of life for the people of the Mille Lacs Reservation; and,

WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band of Chippewa Indians has many legal issues which need to be resolved. These issues include but are not limited to land claims, on-reservation and off-reservation treaty hunting and fishing rights, reservation boundary disputes, jurisdictional disputes with the State of Minnesota and the retrocession of Public Law 280; and,

WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band does not have the funds necessary to obtain the services of attorneys to resolve these issues.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mille Lacs Band hereby authorized the Mille Lacs Band Solicitor General to request the representation of the Native American Rights Fund on these and other claims which may arise.


IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we, the Administrative Policy Board hereunto cause to have set the signature of the Chief Executive to be affixed to this resolution and forwarded to the Band Assembly for concurrence.



Arthur Gahbow, Chief Executive

WE DO HEREBY CERTIFY, that the foregoing resolution was duly concurred with and adopted at a regular 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 concurrence with the action of the Chief Executive we, the Band Assembly hereunto cause to have set the hand of the Speaker of Assembly to this resolution.



Marge Anderson, Speaker of Assembly

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