

## MILLE LACS BAND OF CHIPPEWA INDIANS

## Executive Branch of Tribal Government

## RESOLUTION 05-04-193-93

A RESOLUTION REQUESTING A MINERAL ASSESSMENT OF THE MILLE LACS RESERVATION AND LANDS UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE MILLE LACS BAND OF QJIBWE.

- WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band Assembly is the duly elected legislative body of the Mille Lacs Band of Chippewa Indians, and;
- WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band Assembly is empowered by statute 1141-MLC-2, Section 5.04 to adopt resolutions which regulate internal offices of the Band, and;
- WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band does not have a mineral assessment of lands under the jurisdiction of the Mille Lacs Band, and;
- WHEREAS, the Bureau of Indian Affairs through its Division of Energy and Mineral Resources has funding to conduct a mineral assessment, and;
- WHEREAS, the Bureau of Indian Affairs requires a resolution to apply for funding to conduct a mineral assessment, and;
- WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band would consider the development of any potential mineral resources discovered, and;
- WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band would consider a publication of any resource information gathered under the proposal or release a limited information in a poster session at a public meeting, and;
- WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band would prefer this assessment conducted with one half of the work completed by the United States Geological Survey and one half the work completed by in house professional staff within the Band's Department of Natural Resources.
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mille Lacs Band of Chippewa Indians hereby approves the Department of Natural Resources to submit an application to the Bureau of Indian Affairs for the conducting of a mineral assessment.
- IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, the Chief Executive hereunto cause to have set my hand to this resolution and forwarded to the Speaker of Assembly for concurrence.

Marge Anderson, 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 29 th day of September, 1993 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 signature of the Speaker of Assembly to this resolution.

David Matrious, Speaker of Assembly

OFFICIAL SEAL OF THE BAND