



MILLE LACS BAND OF CHIPPEWA INDIANS
Legislative Branch of Tribal Government
RESOLUTION 06-03-89-95

A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF PARTICIPATING IN THE GREAT LAKES REGIONAL AMERICAN INDIAN NETWORK. CICNET

WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Reservation Band Assembly is the duly elected governing body of the Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe, and;

WHEREAS, Advanced information and data communication technologies for rural tribal government have historically been under funded in the Great Lakes Region; and;

WHEREAS, The lack of data communications technology compounds problems associated with the Reservation's isolated geographic location and further hinders efforts by tribe to develop and implement new education, conservation research, and business initiatives; and,

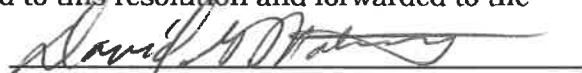
WHEREAS, CICNET has worked with the Great Lakes Indian Fish and Wildlife Commission and other Native American institutions to prepare a National Science Foundation (NSF) proposal to establish the great Lakes Regional American Indian Network that will provide connectivity, training, and technical support.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe Band Assembly hereby authorizes the tribes participation in the Great Lakes Regional American Indian Network at Level 3 Internet Connectivity which will provide the tribe with twenty thousand dollars and no cents (\$20,000.00) in equipment and installation services and twenty five thousand six hundred eighty dollars and no cents (\$25,680,00) in operating costs for one year; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: that the tribal council agrees to maintain the data communications hardware purchases under the NSF grant and will continue to pay the ongoing operational costs for leasing phone lines, phone charges, and system management estimated at twenty five thousand two hundred eighty dollars and no cents (\$26,280.00) annually not to exceed four years without a review and reauthorization,

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 13th day of April, 1995 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 signature of the Speaker of Assembly to be affixed to this resolution and forwarded to the Chief Executive for concurrence.


David Mathios, Speaker of Assembly

IN CONCURRENCE, with the action of the Speaker of Assembly, we, the Administrative Policy Board hereunto cause to have set the hand of the Chief Executive to this resolution.


Marge Anderson, Chief Executive

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