



THE MILLE LACS BAND OF
OJIBWE INDIANS

Legislative Branch of Tribal Government

Resolution 10-02-18-03

**A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SUBMISSION OF A \$500,000
GRANT TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN
SERVICES SUBSTANCE ABUSE AND MENTAL HEALTH SERVICE
ADMINISTRATION.**

WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band Assembly is the duly elected governing body for the Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe, a federally recognized Indian Tribe; and

WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band Assembly has established as a priority the improvement of the social and economic conditions and quality of life for the people of the Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe; and

WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band Assembly recognizes a significant barrier to achieving its social and economic goals and objectives for the people of the Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe and is a continuing struggle to overcome issues related to chemical dependency; and

WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band Assembly seeks to address this community-wide problem that affects not only adults but numerous youth as well; and

WHEREAS, to affectively combat this problem the Mille Lacs Band Assembly has developed a Chemical Dependency project that will address the social, mental, and economic issues of the individual as well as the holistic approach through a culturally appropriate and spiritually based aftercare program developed to treat the issues of the individual as well as the whole family; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Mille Lacs Band Assembly does hereby authorize and approve of the submission of a grant to the United States Department of Health and Human Services Substance and Mental Health Services Administration to provide culturally specific chemical dependency aftercare services for Mille Lacs Band members and other Native Americans.

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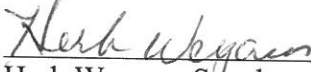
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WE DO HEREBY CERTIFY, that the foregoing resolution was duly concurred with and adopted at a special session of Band Assembly in Legislative Council assembled, a quorum of Legislators being present held on the 19th, day of December 2002 at St Paul, Minnesota by a vote of 2 FOR, 0 AGAINST, 0 SILENT.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we, the Band Assembly affix the Signature of the Speaker of the Assembly to this resolution and forward to the Chief Executive for concurrence.



Herb Weyaus, Speaker of the Assembly

OFFICIAL SEAL OF THE BAND