



**THE MILLE LACS BAND OF  
OJIBWE INDIANS**

*Legislative Branch of Tribal Government*

**RESOLUTION 11-04-120-05**

**A RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE WAIVER OF BONDING  
REQUIREMENTS OF 7 MLBSA sec. 17 IN RESIDENTIAL  
CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS FUNDED BY BAND DOLLARS  
FOR AN ADDITIONAL PERIOD OF 30 DAYS**

- WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band Assembly is the duly-elected governing body of the Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe, a federally-recognized Indian Tribe; and
- WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band Assembly has established the priority to improve the social and economic conditions and quality of life for the people of the Mille Lacs Reservation in its entirety; and
- WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band Assembly recognizes that residential construction contractors have experienced obstacles from the insurance industry making it impossible to meet the bonding requirements for projects on Band trust land; and
- WHEREAS, the Band Assembly acknowledges that amendments to the Band's statutory bonding section must be made to consider these circumstances and continue to protect the assets of the Band taking into consideration the numerous pending residential construction contracts;
- WHEREAS, the Band Assembly adopted Resolution 11-03-93-05 on June 29, 2005, to place a 90-day moratorium on the bonding requirement for all Band funded residential construction contracts.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Mille Lacs Band Assembly hereby adopts an additional 30-day moratorium or, until amendments to 7 MLBSA § 17 (Bonding) are completed, whichever comes first, on the bonding requirements for all Band funded residential construction contracts.

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 28th of September, 2005 at Onamia, Minnesota by a vote of 2 FOR, 0 AGAINST, 0 SILENT.

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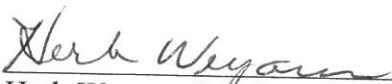
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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we, the Band Assembly hereunto cause to have set the  
signature of the Speaker of the Assembly to be affixed to this resolution.

  
Herb Weyaus, Speaker of the Assembly

**OFFICIAL SEAL OF THE BAND**