



THE MILLE LACS BAND OF OJIBWE INDIANS

Legislative Branch of Tribal Government

JOINT RESOLUTION 11-03-46-05

A JOINT RESOLUTION TO PLACE A MORATORIUM ON ENROLLMENT TRANSFERS INTO THE MILLE LACS BAND OF OJIBWE.

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, Article II – MEMBERSHIP of the REVISED CONSTITUTION of the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe, governs tribal membership into the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe; and

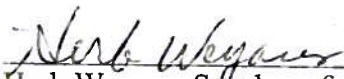
WHEREAS, Article III – GOVERNING BODY of the REVISED CONSTITUTION of the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe, Section 2, empowers the Band Assembly as the duly authorized governing body; and

WHEREAS, the Band Assembly has determined that a need exists to place a moratorium on enrollment transfers into the Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe to ensure that benefits to Band Member families are safe-guarded at an acceptable level.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mille Lacs Band Assembly hereby takes formal action to place a moratorium on enrollment transfers into the Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe to ensure that adequate protection is given to existing Band Member families to safeguard the level of services and benefits before transferees who are enrolled in another tribe or Band are allowed membership.

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 1st of March, 2005 at Lake Lena, 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 the Assembly to be affixed to this resolution and forwarded to the Chief Executive for Concurrence.


Herb Weyaus, Speaker of the Assembly

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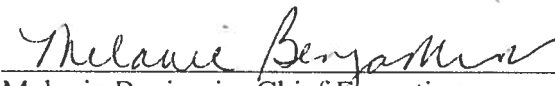
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IN CONCURRENCE, with the action of the Speaker of the Assembly, I, hereunto set my hand to this resolution.



Melanie Benjamin, Chief Executive

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