



THE MILLE LACS BAND OF OJIBWE INDIANS

Legislative Branch of Tribal Government

JOINT RESOLUTION 12-01-90-06

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SUPPORT FOR A GRANT APPLICATION FROM THE NATIONAL INSTITUTES OF HEALTH TO CONDUCT RESEARCH OF THE EATING AND PHYSICAL ACTIVITY BEHAVIORS OF CHILDREN IN HEAD START.

WHEREAS, the Center for Health Promotion of the Minnesota Department of Health is requesting support for a grant application from the National Institutes of Health to conduct research of the eating and physical activity behaviors of children in Head Start; and

WHEREAS, the main objective of this grant will be to promote healthy eating through menu changes and food service practices and to have children increase physical activity to one hour daily, four days a week for one school year, to determine if these physical activity and food service changes will prevent obesity; and

WHEREAS, the National Institutes of Health requires response within a reasonable timeframe to requests for approval of protocol modifications, approval of abstracts for presentation at scientific meetings, and approval of manuscripts submitted for publication in scientific journals related to this project,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Mille Lacs Band hereby supports the Minnesota Department of Health's grant application to the National Institutes of Health to conduct research involving band member children in Head Start to determine if physical activity and healthy dietary intake will prevent obesity.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, unless changes in the timeframe are mutually agreed upon by the Mille Lacs Band representative and the project's principal investigator, the MDH will provide the Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe or its representative three months to respond to requests for approval of protocol changes and scientific abstracts, and six months for approval for manuscripts, and will only go forward with protocols, abstracts or manuscripts with written approval. Disapprovals will specify the reasons for disapproval and the steps necessary for obtaining approval. Investigators may assume passive approval of protocols, abstracts or manuscripts only after the specified time period has elapsed.

BE IT FURTHER AND FINALLY RESOLVED, that the Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe supports working with the Minnesota Department of Health in partnership for the five-year duration of the project.

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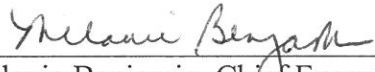
WE DO HEREBY CERTIFY, that this resolution was duly concurred with and adopted at a regular session of the Band Assembly in Legislative council assembled, a quorum of legislators being present held on the 7th day of March, 2006 at Isle, Minnesota by a Vote of 3 FOR, 0 AGAINST, 0 SILENT.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we, Band Assembly authorize 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

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



Melanie Benjamin, Chief Executive

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