



THE MILLE LACS BAND OF  
**OJIBWE INDIANS**

*Legislative Branch of Tribal Government*

**JOINT RESOLUTION 14-03-11-11**

**A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SUBMISSION OF A RENEWABLE ENERGY DEVELOPMENT GRANT TO U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY TO FUND A FEASIBILITY STUDY TO DETERMINE THE TECHNICAL AND ECONOMIC VIABILITY OF A FUTURE RENEWABLE ENERGY PROJECT**

- 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, according to 3 MLBSA § 2(d), the Band Assembly is empowered to adopt resolutions to promote the general welfare of the people of the Band; and
- WHEREAS, the Chief Executive of the Band is empowered to exercise the Executive Branch powers of the Band; and
- WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band Assembly and Chief Executive has established as a priority to improve 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 and the Chief Executive recognize the importance of securing energy needs through environmentally and economically viable means; and
- WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe fully supports the goals of U.S. Department of Energy to promote Tribal energy sufficiency, economic development, and employment through the use of renewable energy.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mille Lacs Band Assembly and the Chief Executive do hereby authorize the submission of a grant to U.S. Department of Energy for the purpose of conducting a feasibility study to determine the viability to develop a future renewable energy project for the Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe.

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 15<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2011 at Vineland, Minnesota by a vote of 3 FOR, 0 AGAINST, 0 SILENT.

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

  
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Curt Kalk, Speaker of the Assembly

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

  
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Marge Anderson, Chief Executive

**OFFICIAL SEAL OF THE BAND**