



THE MILLE LACS BAND OF  
**OJIBWE INDIANS**

*Legislative Branch of Tribal Government*

**JOINT RESOLUTION 15-02-173-12**

**A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROVING A PROVISIONAL LICENSE TO OPERATE EARLY HEAD START AND HEAD START IN DISTRICT II AND DISTRICT III**

- 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, 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 is empowered to exercise the Executive Branch powers of the Band; and
- WHEREAS, the Band Assembly acknowledges that a statutory amendment regarding the licensing of child care centers on Band Lands in Title 8 is pending; and
- WHEREAS, that Early Head Start and Head Start will begin operating in District II and District III on September 4, 2012 and the current license for these programs expires on August 31, 2012; and
- WHEREAS, a provisional license for the District II and District III Early Head Start and Head Start program is needed; and
- WHEREAS, the Band Assembly and Chief Executive now approve of a provisional license for a period of six (6) months to allow the Early Head Start and Head Start programs in District II and District III to operate during this period of time beginning on September 1, 2012.
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe hereby approves the provisional license for a period of six (6) months beginning on September 1, 2012 for the operation of the Early Head Start and Head Start programs in District II and District III.
- 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 24<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2012 at Vineland, Minnesota by a vote of 2 FOR, 0 AGAINST, 0 SILENT.

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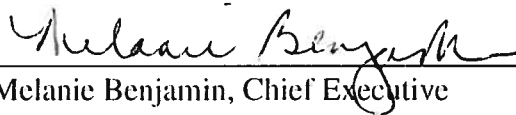
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we, the Band Assembly hereunto cause to have set the signature of the Speaker of the Assembly.



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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 joint resolution.



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Melanie Benjamin, Chief Executive

**OFFICIAL SEAL OF THE BAND**

# CERTIFICATE OF LICENSE

MILLE LACS BAND OF OJIBWE

## EARLY HEAD START, HEAD START

THIS CERTIFICATE OF LICENSE ACKNOWLEDGES THAT A PROVISIONAL LICENSE FOR EARLY HEAD START AND HEAD START HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE MILLE LACS BAND OF OJIBWE, AS EVIDENCED BY JOINT RESOLUTION 15-02-173-12 IN DISTRICT II. SUCH LICENSE TO OPERATE BEGINS ON SEPTEMBER 1, 2012, AND EXPIRES AT 12:00A.M. ON FEBRUARY 28, 2013.

*Melanie Benjamin*  
MELANIE BENJAMIN, CHIEF EXECUTIVE

*Curt Kalk*  
CURT KALK, SECRETARY/TREASURER

*August 28, 2012*  
DATE

*8-24-12*  
DATE