



THE MILLE LACS BAND OF  
**OJIBWE INDIANS**

*Legislative Branch of Tribal Government*

**JOINT RESOLUTION 15-01-115-12**

**A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SUBMISSION OF AN APPLICATION TO THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE FOR THE FY2012 "TRIBAL CIVIL AND CRIMINAL LEGAL ASSISTANCE" GRANT OPPORTUNITY**

- 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 have established as a priority the improvement of the physical, social, and mental well-being of the people of the Mille Lacs Band; and
- WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band Assembly and Chief Executive recognize the importance of providing effective and expedient civil and criminal legal services to indigent Band members; and
- WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band Assembly and Chief Executive support the goals of the United States Department of Justice to enhance tribal justice systems and to improve access to those systems; and
- WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band Assembly and Chief Executive recognize that the Mille Lacs Band is not required to commit cost sharing monies or in-kind resources in order to receive funding through FY2012 Tribal Civil and Criminal Legal Assistance Grant opportunity.
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Mille Lacs Band Assembly and Chief Executive do hereby authorize and approve the submission of an application to the United States Department of Justice's FY2012 Tribal Civil and Criminal Legal Assistance Grant opportunity for the purpose of obtaining Federal funding.

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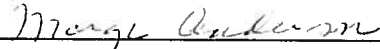
WE DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing resolution was duly concurred with and adopted at a regular session of the Band Assembly in Legislative Council assembled, a quorum of legislators being present, held on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2012 at Hinckley, Minnesota by a vote of 3 FOR, 0 AGAINST, 0 SILENT.

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



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Curt Kalk, Speaker of 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**