



THE MILLE LACS BAND OF
OJIBWE INDIANS

Legislative Branch of Tribal Government

JOINT RESOLUTION 15-02-165-12

**A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SUBMISSION OF A FY2013
TRIBAL WILDLIFE GRANT APPLICATION TO THE U.S.
DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR: FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE**

- 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 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 Chief Executive recognize the importance of enhancing our natural resources by revitalizing imperiled and declining wildlife species; and
- WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe fully supports the goals of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service to conserve, protect, and enhance wildlife and their habitats; and
- WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band Assembly and Chief Executive recognize that cost sharing funds are not required as a condition to be awarded the Tribal Wildlife Grant.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mille Lacs Band Assembly and Chief Executive do hereby authorize and approve the submission of a proposal to U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service for the FY2013 Tribal Wildlife Grant.

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 9th 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.



Curt Kalk, Speaker of Assembly

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



Melanie Benjamin, Chief Executive

OFFICIAL SEAL OF THE BAND