

OJIBWENDIANS

Legislative Branch of Tribal Government

JOINT RESOLUTION 16-03-40-15

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SUBMISSION OF A LIQUOR PERMIT APPLICATION WITH THE MINNESOTA CHIPPEWA TRIBE FOR THE SALE AND CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOL AT EDDY'S RESORT

- WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band Assembly ("Band Assembly") is the duly-elected governing body of the Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe ("Band"), a federally-recognized Indian Tribe and a member of the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe ("MCT"); and
- WHEREAS, the Band Assembly is authorized under 3 MLBSA § 2(d) to adopt resolutions to promote the general welfare of the people of the Band; and
- WHEREAS, the Chief Executive of the Band is empowered by 4 MLBSA § 6 to exercise the Executive Branch powers of the Band; and
- WHEREAS, pursuant to Resolution 13-04-11-10, the Band Assembly and Chief Executive approved the expansion of the sale and consumption of alcohol at Grand Casino Hinckley due to the tough economic times and its impact on the revenue stream from Grand Casino Hinckley and Grand Casino Mille Lacs; and
- WHEREAS, the Band Assembly and Chief Executive have determined that it is in the best interest of the Band to apply for a liquor permit from the MCT for the sale of alcohol and consumption at Eddy's Resort pursuant to the provisions of Public Law 277, 83rd Congress, and title 18 of the United States Code, section 1161, and the provisions of the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe Liquor Ordinance, published in the Federal Register on February 25, 1975 for the purpose of economic diversification and business development.
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Band Assembly and Chief Executive hereby approve the submission of the liquor permit application to the MCT for the sale and consumption of alcohol at Eddy's Resort.
- 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 26th day of February, 2015 at Vineland, Minnesota by a vote of <u>2</u> FOR, <u>\varphi</u> AGAINST, <u>1</u> 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 to be affixed to this resolution and forwarded to the Chief Executive for Concurrence.

Carolyn Beaulieu, Speaker of the Assembly

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

Melanie Benjamin, Chief Executive

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