

THE MILLE LACS BAND OF OJIBWENDIANS

Legislative Branch of Tribal Government

JOINT RESOLUTION 17-01-64-16

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SUBMISSION OF A PROPOSAL FOR THE MILLE LACS BAND OF OJIBWE ORAL HISTORY PROJECT TO THE US DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR NATIONAL PARK SERVICE – TRIBAL HERITAGE GRANT

- 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
- WHEREAS, pursuant 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, pursuant to 4 MLBSA § 2, the Chief Executive of the Band is empowered to exercise the Executive Branch powers of the Band; and
- WHEREAS, the Band Assembly and Chief Executive have established as a priority the improvement of spiritual, physical, mental, social, and economic well-being of the people of the Band; and
- WHEREAS, the Band Assembly and Chief Executive recognizes the mandate of the Department of Natural Resources' Archives Department to collect and preserve written materials for the Band and make them available to researchers and other interested people; and
- WHEREAS, the Band fully supports the mandate of the US Department of the Interior and the National Park Service's Tribal Heritage Grant to assist Indian Tribes, Alaskan Natives, and Native Hawaiian Organizations in protecting and promoting their unique cultural heritage and traditions; and
- WHEREAS, the Band Assembly and Chief Executive recognize that there are no cost-sharing requirements with the submission.
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Band Assembly and Chief Executive do hereby authorize and approve the submission of an application for the US Department of the Interior, National Park Services Tribal Heritage Grant for the Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe Oral History Project.

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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 24th day of March, 2016 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.

Carolyn Beaulieu, 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