



THE MILLE LACS BAND OF
OJIBWE INDIANS
Legislative Branch of Tribal Government

JOINT RESOLUTION 17-04-91-17

**A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROVING A LICENSE TO OPERATE
WEWINABI, HEAD START AND EARLY HEAD START IN DISTRICTS
I, II AND III**

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 (a) and (d), the Band Assembly has the power to enact laws which regulate internal and external affairs of the Band in order to promote the general welfare of the people of the Band, and to adopt resolutions; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to 4 MLBSA § 6, the Chief Executive has the power to exercise the executive powers of Band government; and

WHEREAS, the Band Assembly acknowledges that a statutory amendment regarding the licensing of child care centers on Band Lands has been adopted by the Band Assembly on October 1, 2013 and such Bill is numbered 15-04-49-13; and

WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band child care centers in Districts I, II & III had a license adopted via Joint Resolution 17-02-03-17 and such license expires on September 30, 2017; and

WHEREAS, on August 24, 2017 the Licensing Committee recommends to continue the licensure of Wewinabi, Head Start and Early Head Start in Districts I, II and III; and

WHEREAS, the District I Wewinabi has a capacity of Infants: 24-32; Toddlers: 72-84; Preschool: 98; and School Age: 35; and

WHEREAS, the District II has a capacity of Infants/Toddlers-16; and Preschool-18; and

WHEREAS, the District III has a capacity of Infants/Toddlers-8; and Preschool-18.

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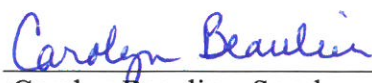
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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mille Lacs Band Assembly and Chief Executive hereby agree to approve a license for a period of one year beginning on October 1, 2017 for the operation of a Wewinabi, Head Start and Early Head Start in Districts I, II and III.

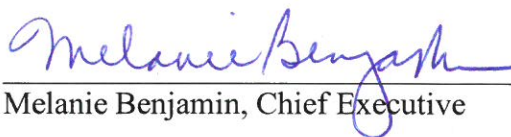
WE DO HEREBY CERTIFY, that the foregoing resolution was duly concurred with and adopted at a regular session of the Band Assembly in Legislative Council assembled, a quorum of legislators being present held on the 31st day of August, 2017 at Nayahshing, Minnesota by a vote of 3 FOR, 0 AGAINST, 0 SILENT.

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



Carolyn Beaulieu, Speaker of the Assembly

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



Melanie Benjamin, Chief Executive

OFFICIAL SEAL OF THE BAND