



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

JOINT RESOLUTION 17-04-35-18

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION TO THE BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS INDIAN HIGHWAY SAFETY PROGRAM FOR THE FY18 MILLE LACS BAND TRIBAL POLICE CHILD PASSENGER SAFETY SEAT PROGRAM

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 wellbeing of the people of the Band; and

WHEREAS, the Band’s Tribal Police Department provides Band members with car seats, training and supplies as requested/needed; and

WHEREAS, the Bureau of Indian Affairs offers a reimbursement grant for Tribes who participate in Child Passenger Safety Seat Programs to reduce the high number of traffic crashes and their resulting fatalities, injuries and property damage within Indian Country; and

WHEREAS, the Band Assembly and Chief Executive recognize that this is a reimbursement grant and there is no cost match for the Band.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Band Assembly and Chief Executive do hereby authorize and approve the submission of a grant application to the Bureau of Indian Affairs Indian Highway Safety Program FY2018 Child Passenger Safety Seat Program.

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WE DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing resolution was duly concurred with and adopted at a special session of the Band Assembly in Legislative Council assembled, a quorum of legislators being present, held on the 16th day of November, 2017 at Nayahshing, Minnesota by a vote of 2 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