

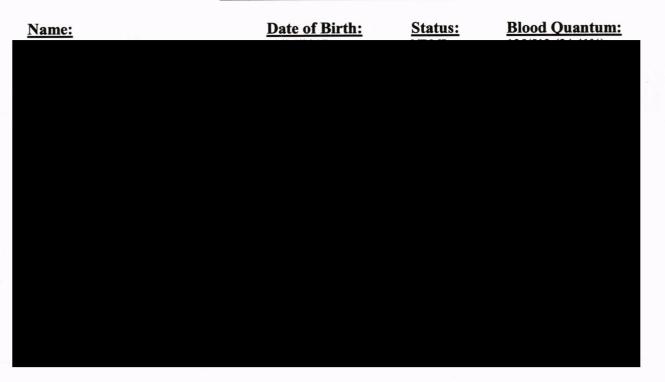
THE MILLE LACS BAND OF OJIBWENDIANS Legislative Branch of Tribal Government

## JOINT RESOLUTION 17-04-09-18

## A JOINT RESOLUTION DENYING THE ENROLLMENTS INTO THE MILLE LACS BAND, MILLE LACS RESERVATION FOR THOSE WHO DO NOT MEET THE 1/4 DEGREE REQUIREMENT OF THE MINNESOTA CHIPPEWA TRIBE

- 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 has the power to adopt resolutions to promote the general welfare of the Band; and
- WHEREAS, pursuant to 4 MLBSA § 6, the Chief Executive is empowered to exercise the Executive Branch powers of the Band; and
- WHEREAS, the Band Assembly and Chief Executive have reviewed the following applications for enrollment:

## **Ineligible Applicants October 2017**



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- WHEREAS, the Band Assembly and Chief Executive has reviewed Article II-Membership of the Revised Constitution and By-laws of the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe; and
- WHEREAS, the Band Assembly and Chief Executive agree the individuals do not meet the 1/4 blood quantum degree requirement for enrollment into the Mille Lacs Band.
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Band Assembly and Chief Executive deny the above applications for enrollment, they do not meet the requirements found in Article II of the Minnesota Chippewa Tribal Constitution.
- 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 10<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2017 at Chi Minising, Minnesota by a vote of 3 FOR, O AGAINST, O SILENT.
- 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.

arolyn Beaulieu, Speaker of the 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**