



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

JOINT RESOLUTION 18-01-140-18

A JOINT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SUBMISSION OF THE GAA-ONIKAAMAGAK ZIIBAASKA'IGAN TO THE STATE OF MINNESOTA INDIAN AFFAIRS COUNCIL FOR THE FY19 DAKOTA AND OJIBWE LANGUAGE REVITALIZATION 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 wellbeing of the people of the Band; and

WHEREAS, the Band Assembly and Chief Executive recognize the need to protect and empower our children, parents, and elders in the continuing revitalization of our language, thus maintaining Tribal sovereignty; and

WHEREAS, the Band Assembly and Chief Executive fully support the revitalization of the Ojibwe language as a vibrant, living, and thriving language throughout Minnesota; and

WHEREAS, the Band Assembly and Chief Executive recognize that there is no cost sharing requirements with the submission.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Band Assembly and Chief Executive do hereby support the Gaa-Onikaamagak Ziibaaska’igan Program on behalf of the Band’s Department of Natural Resources to the State of Minnesota Indian Affairs Council for the FY19 Dakota and Ojibwe Language Revitalization Grant Program.

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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 1st day of May, 2018 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 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