

Legislative Branch of Tribal Government

# **JOINT RESOLUTION 18-02-179-18**

# 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 licenses expires on September 30, 2018; and
- WHEREAS, on August 14, 2018 the Licensing Committee recommends to continuing 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; and
- WHEREAS, the Band Assembly and Chief Executive approves a license for a period of one year to allow Wewinabi, Head Start and Early Head Start in Districts I, II and III to operate during this period of time beginning on October 1, 2018.

### DISTRICT I

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## DISTRICT IIA

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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, 2018 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 23<sup>rd</sup> day of August, 2018 at Nayahshing, Minnesota by a vote of FOR, AGAINST, SILENT.

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

Sheldon Boyd 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



# Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe

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WEWINABI, HEAD START AND EARLY HEAD START IN DISTRICTS I, II AND III. Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe, as evidenced by Joint Resolution 18-02-179-18 to operate Wewinabi, Head Start and Early Head Start in Districts I, II and III has been approved by the This certificate of license acknowledges that the license application of the

Such license to operate begins on October 1, 2018, and expires at 12:00a.m. on September 30, 2019.

Capacity at:

District I: Infants 24-32; Toddlers 72-84; Preschool-98 and School Age-35

District II: Infants/Toddlers-16; Preschool-18
District III: Infants/Toddlers-8; Preschool-18

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Melanie Benjamin, Chief Executive

Sheldon Boyd, Secretary/Treasurer

Date

