



THE MILLE LACS BAND OF OJIBWE INDIANS

Legislative Branch of Tribal Government

JOINT RESOLUTION 18-03-34-19

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 January 2019

<u>Name:</u>	<u>Date of Birth:</u>	<u>Status:</u>	<u>Blood Quantum:</u>
Basswood, Lynn Birdie-Marie Benjamin Cloud, Cordell Arlen Blair, Ayden James-Robert Bradley, Aleigha U-Nek Canfield, Louis John Coffelt, Stephanie Rachele Dahlberg, Tawney Jade Dainty-Chase, Paisley Madyson Dainty-Chase, Valerie Nykole Deane, Brooklyn Mae Marie Elder, Malayna Lucile Gibbs, Catori Melrie Jacobson, Jayden Dominic Nixon, Oyata Marie O’Brien, Ashton Cayde Robertson, Marissa Cheyenne Sam, Kaylee Ann Saunders, Zoë Marie Staples-Skinaway, Thomas Ivan II Watts, Dylan Jerome Watts, Summer Ann Marie			

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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 22nd day of January, 2019 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 to be affixed to this resolution and forwarded to the Chief Executive for Concurrence.


Sheldon Boyd, 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