



THE MILLE LACS BAND OF  
**OJIBWE INDIANS**

*Legislative Branch of Tribal Government*

**RESOLUTION 19-04-78-21**

**A 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 legislative body of the Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe (“Band”), a federally- recognized Indian Tribe; and
- WHEREAS, pursuant to 3 MLBSA § 3 (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 licensing standards and procedures for all Band-Operated Child Care Centers operating on Band Lands is set forth in Chapter 11 (Child Care) of Title 8 (Children and Families) of Band Statutes; and
- WHEREAS, the Mille Lacs Band child care centers in Districts I, II, and III had a license adopted via Resolution 19-02-160-20 and such license expires on September 30, 2021; and
- WHEREAS, on August 13, 2021, the Licensing Committee recommended to continue the 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, District II has a capacity of Infants/Toddlers-16; and Preschool-18; and
- WHEREAS, District III has a capacity of Infants/Toddlers-8; and Preschool-18.

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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mille Lacs Band Assembly does hereby agree to approve a license for a period of one year beginning on October 1, 2021, 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 9th day of September, 2021, 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.



Sheldon Boyd, Speaker of the Assembly

**OFFICIAL SEAL OF THE BAND**

