

## Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe Indians

## Legislative Branch of Tribal Government

July 20, 2020

Re: Child Protection Subcommittee

To: Mille Lacs Band Members and Tribal Government Employees

On June 10, 2020, the Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe Band Assembly approved Legislative Order 28-20, which establishes a process for draft legislation and empowers any District Representative to formulate a subcommittee consisting of "Band members and employees who have direct knowledge of the subject matter of the draft legislation." As District 1 Representative, I am hereby invoking that authority to establish a Child Protection Subcommittee charged with developing proposed revisions to Title 8, Chapter 13 (Child Protection).

The subcommittee will consist of an undetermined number of volunteers. Community members and government employees seeking to serve on the subcommittee should contact me directly no later than Friday, July 31. Volunteers should submit interest by e-mail at **sandi.blake@millelacsband.com**.

A revised draft of Title 8, Chapter 13 is currently being worked on internally by the Band Assembly. This draft will be provided to the subcommittee for further revisions once the subcommittee has been formed. Also, the final draft produced by this subcommittee will be posted for comment in accordance with Legislative Order 28-20.

Sincerely,

Sandra Blake

District 1 Representative

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