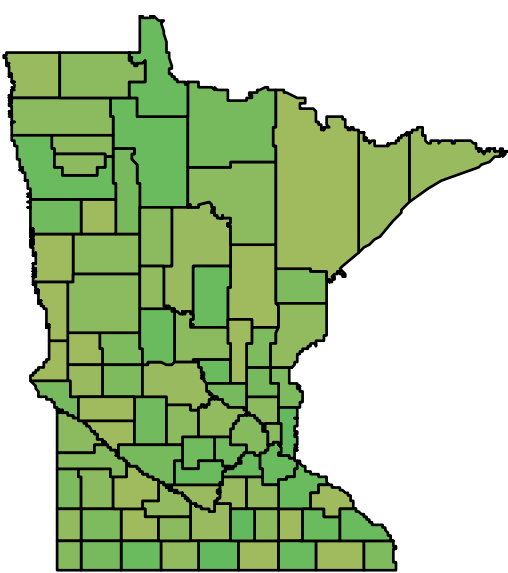


# Quality Jobs, Equity, Strategy, and Training (QUEST) Disaster Recovery Dislocated Worker Grant(DWG)

## Minnesota



QUEST TEGL 02-22

Period of Performance  9/26/2022 - 9/30/2024	Award Amount  \$1,000,000
Planned Participants  65	Target Population  Multiple groups

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## Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe (MLBO)

*Tribal and Indigenous Communities*

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### Project Overview

For delivery of this project, MLBO proposes to strategically partner with two entities, one internal and one external, in delivery of education services in one case and employment services in the other. These high quality partnerships, including both internal and external collaboration, will assist MLBO in helping to accomplish the overall goal of the QUEST DWG in enabling those adversely affected by the COVID-19 pandemic, particularly as it exacerbated existing inequalities, to enter, re-enter, or advance in high quality jobs within priority industries as named within QUEST DWG.



### Project Description

Employment and training activities will include ServSafe certification for professional food-handling, Certified Nursing Assistant Certification courses, Personal Care Assistant Certification training, Automotive Technician Certification training, Introduction to Professional Welding, Administrative Assistant training, Introduction to Early Childhood Education, and Basic Small Engine repair.



### Project Industries

Infrastructure, Care Economy, Growth Industry: Administration, Early Education, ServSafe food handling (determined internally to be a priority industry for in-demand employment at MLBO)