Little River Band of Ottawa Indians
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Resolution # 09-0311-66

Approval of $1,800.00 Donation to the Avon Walk for Breast Cancer.

WHEREAS, the status of the Gaá Chíging Ziibii Da’waa Anishinaabek (Little River Band of Ottawa Indians) as a sovereign and Treaty-making power is confirmed in numerous treaties, from agreements with the initial colonial powers on this land, to various treaties with the United States; and

WHEREAS, the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians (Tribe) is descended from, and is the political successor to, the Grand River Ottawa Bands, signatories of the 1836 Treaty of Washington (7 Stat. 491) with the United States, as reaffirmed by federal law in P.L. 103-324, enacted in 1994; and

WHEREAS, the Tribe adopted a new Constitution, pursuant to a vote of the membership on May 27, 1998, which Constitution became effective upon its approval by the Assistant Secretary-Indian Affairs on July 10, 1998; and

WHEREAS, the Tribe adopted amendments to the Constitution on April 26, 2004, which became effective upon approval by the Assistant Secretary-Indian Affairs on May 13, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council is authorized under Article IV, Section 7(a) to provide for the public health, peace, morals, education and general welfare of the Little River Band and its members; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council received a request for a donation to Avon walk for Breast Cancer which is a 26.2 mile marathon Breast walk fundraiser which grants are awarded to local, regional and national breast Cancer organizations to support five areas of the breast cancer cause, including awareness and education; screening and diagnosis; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council believes that our tribal members will benefit from this fundraiser with all the cancer that has been diagnosed in our tribe for a few years now. It is in the best interest of the Tribe to make a donation to the Avon Walk for Breast Cancer in the amount of $1,800.00.
NOW THEREFORE IT IS RESOLVED THAT the Tribal Council of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians hereby approves a donation to the Avon Walk for Breast Cancer. Funding shall be allocated as follows:

Program #
# - (8600-100-5304) - Sponsorships & Donations $1,800.00

CERTIFICATE OF ADOPTION

I do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly presented and adopted by the Tribal Council with 7 FOR, 0 AGAINST, 1 ABSTAINING, and 1 ABSENT, at a Regular Session of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians Tribal Council held on March 11, 2009, at the Little River Band’s Dome Room in Manistee, Michigan, with a quorum being present for such vote.

Kimberly Alexander, Council Recorder

Don Koon, Council Speaker

Attest:

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