

Little River Band of Ottawa Indians

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RESOLUTION NO. #01-0606-

AUTHORIZING THE TRIBAL OGEMA, OR IN THE ABSENCE OF, THE TRIBAL COUNCIL SPEAKER TO EXECUTE A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT EMPLOYING JULIE DIXON, D.O. AS PHYSICIAN FOR LITTLE RIVER HEALTH CENTER

- WHEREAS, the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians is a federally recognized tribe, as reaffirmed under P.L. 103-324, enacted on September 21, 1994, with rights secured to it under the 1836 Treaty of Washington (7 Stat. 491) and the 1855 Treaty of Detroit (11 Stat. 621); and
- WHEREAS, the Tribe and its members are eligible for all services and benefits provided by the federal government to Indians as members of federally recognized Tribes; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council, pursuant to Article IV, Section 7(b) of the Constitution of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians ("Tribal Constitution"), has the power to authorize and ratify agreements and contracts negotiated on behalf of the Tribe with the federal government; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Ogema, pursuant to Article VI, Section 5(a) of the Tribal Constitution, is authorized to negotiate and execute contracts on behalf of the Tribe, provided such contracts are approved and ratified by the Tribal Council; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribe has established a primary care health clinic to serve Tribal members, pursuant to its contract for federal funds under the authority of the Indian Self-Determination Act (P.L. 93-638, as amended); and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council has previously authorized an appropriation to allow retention of a fulltime physician provide health care services to patients of the Little River Health Center; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Ogema, in consultation with the Health Services Director and Legal Department, has negotiated a Professional Services Agreement with Julie Dixon, D.O., to employ Dr. Dixon as physician for Little River Health Center and the Tribal Council wishes to authorize execution of that Agreement.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Tribal Council of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians hereby authorizes the Tribal Ogema, or in the absence of, the Tribal Council Speaker to execute a Personal Services Agreement employing Julie Dixon, D.O. as physician for Little River Health Center for a term commencing June 1, 2001 and ending May 31, 2002.

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Certificate of Adoption

This resolution was adopted by the Tribal Council of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians at a Regular Session held at the Little River Band Community Center in Manistee, Michigan on June 6, 2001, by a vote of (4) in favor, (4) opposed, (4) absent, and (4) absent, and (4) abstentions. A quorum of the Tribal Council being present for such vote.

Date: 🖉

Lisa M. McCatty, Council Recorder

Joan Spalding, Council Speaker

Attest:

Distribution: Council Records Tribal Ogema Tribal Court Accounting Department Julie Dixon, D.O.

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