

Little River Band of Ottawa Indians

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Resolution # 02-0918-06

Approving Budget Modification to the Fiscal Year 2002 Operating
Budget for the Tribal Government and Appropriating \$15,000.00
from the U.S. v. Michigan "Commercial Fisheries Trust Fund" for
Due Diligence Associated with the Potential Purchase of the "Walters Fisheries" Real
Estate and Business Assets

- WHEREAS, the Tribe's status as a federally-recognized Indian tribe was reaffirmed and restored by Congress pursuant to Public Law 103-324, 108 Stat. 2156 (25 U.S.C. §1300k et seq.)(hereinafter "Little River Act"); 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 Tribal Council, pursuant to Article IV, Section 7(a) of the Constitution, has the power the provide for the general welfare of the Tribe and its members; and
- WHEREAS, pursuant to Article IV, Section 5 (a)(4) and Article V, Section 5(a)(3) and (8) of the Tribal Constitution, the Tribal Ogema, or in the absence of, the Tribal Council Speaker, is authorized to represent the Tribe and manage the economic affairs/enterprises of the Tribe, in a manner consistent with the Tribal Constitution and resolutions of the Tribal Council; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council, pursuant to Article IV, Section 7 (b) of the Constitution, has the power to authorize and ratify agreements and contracts negotiated by the Tribal Ogema; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council, pursuant to Article IV, 7(i)(2) of the Constitution, has the power to manage any funds within the exclusive control of the Tribe and to appropriate such funds for the benefit of the Tribe and its members; and
- WHEREAS, the terms of the Consent Decree entered in <u>United States</u> v <u>Michigan</u> are intended to facilitate the Tribe's to use settlement funds to assist Tribal members enter the commercial fishery in waters near the Tribe's Reservation; and

CERTIFICATE OF ADOPTION

I do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly presented and adopted by the Tribal Council with <u>6</u> FOR, <u>0</u> AGAINST, <u>3</u> ABSENT, and <u>0</u> ABSTAINING, at a Closed Meeting portion of the Regular Session of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians' Tribal Council held at the Little River Band's Downtown Offices on September 18, 2002, in Manistee, Michigan, with a quorum being present for such vote.

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	Janine M. Sam, Council Recorder
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	Attest: Stephen Parsons, Council Speaker
	Presentation of Resolution Budget Modification and Appropriating Tribal Funds to Tribal Ogema:
	Pursuant to Article V, Section 5(a)(6) and Section 5(c) of the Tribal Constitution, the foregoing Resolution modifying the Operating Budget for the Tribal Government for Fiscal Year 2002 and appropriating Tribal funds has been presented to the Tribal Ogema by the Tribal Council Recorder for his/her approval.
	Date delivered to Tribal Ogema: 4-19-07
	Signature of Council Recorder: MWW
	Action by the Tribal Ogema: Approved Disapproved (attach comments)
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