

Little River Band of Ottawa Indians

375 River Street Manistee, MI 49660 (231) 723-8288

Resolution # 02-1023-03

Closure of Certain Banking Accounts Held By the Tribe

- 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.); 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 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 is authorized under Article IV, Section 7(i)(2) to manage any funds within the exclusive control of the Little River Band and to appropriate these funds for the benefit of the Tribe and its members and all expenditures of funds shall be pursuant to appropriations or budgets authorized by resolution or in accordance with ordinances of the Tribal Council;
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council has adopted the <u>Budget and Appropriation Ordinance</u>, Section 7, as amended, which requires the Tribal Council to set the check signers on behalf of the Tribe and the accounts under which those persons are authorized to sign; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council has received information regarding accounts that should be closed and existing funds transferred to other Tribal accounts in order to complete the process of identifying accounts and check signers; and
- WHEREAS, this resolution, to be presented to Huntington Bank, is intended to identify the consolidation of accounts by deleting duplicate and unnecessary accounts; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council has consulted with the Controller and Chief Financial Officer regarding these accounts and approves of taking this action as the first step to complete the requirements of the <u>Budget and Appropriation Ordinance</u>;

NOW THEREFORE IT IS RESOLVED THAT the Tribal Council of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians hereby directs that the following accounts at Huntington Bank be closed, and the account balances be transferred as follows.

From Huntington Account

Special Revenue Checking

01181300873

Special Revenue Investment

01182052881

Payroll Checking

01182019604

General Fund Checking

#01182019549

General Fund

01182050524

Housing Commission

01182016458

Casino Construction

01182016568

To National City Account

Special Revenue Checking

628635466

Special Revenue Checking

628635466

General Fund Checking

628635482

No Transfer, Close Account

General Fund Checking

628635482

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628635378

General Fund Checking

628635482

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the Tribal Council hereby directs the Controller to take all necessary steps to transfer the balances as directed in this resolution, and to present a closure report to the Tribal Council which includes a copy of the Huntington Bank paperwork showing the accounts being closed and the National City Bank paperwork showing the deposit of the transferred funds.

CERTIFICATE OF ADOPTION

I do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly presented and adopted by the Tribal Council with <u>5</u> FOR, <u>1</u> AGAINST, <u>0</u> ABSTAINING, and <u>3</u> ABSENT, at a Regular Closed Session of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians Tribal Council held on October 23, 2002, at the Little River Band's Downtown Offices in Manistee, Michigan, with a quorum being present for such vote.

Janine M. Sam, Council Recorder

Stephen Parsons, Council Speaker

Attest:

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Tribal Ogema Tribal Court

Legal Department