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Resolution # 02-1023-04

Approving Supplemental Appropriation for "Debt Service Payment" for Tax-exempt Loan in the amount of \$42,654.16 from the General Fund and Authorizing the transfer of those funds to the "Senior Secured Obligation Account" at National City Bank

- WHEREAS, the Tribe's status as a federally-recognized Indian tribe was reaffirmed and restored by Congress pursuant to Public Law 103-324, 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 to provide for the general welfare of the Tribe and its members; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council, pursuant to Article IV, Section 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 Tribal Council has, pursuant to Resolutions No. #01-0618-02 and #01-0622-02, authorized and ratified a tax-exempt financing to finance or reimburse the Tribe for the payment of costs related to the project administration, development, design, construction, equipping and operation of the public water supply system and waste water treatment facilities; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribe has agreed in accordance with the Tax-exempt portion of the financing to make the "Debt Service Payment" no later than seven (7) day prior to the end of each month; and
- WHEREAS, the appropriation of funds from the General Fund will require a Modification of the Operating Budget for Fiscal Year 2002, which was approved on December 19, 2001.

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NOW THEREFORE IT IS RESOLVED THAT the Tribal Council of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians hereby approves a modification to the Operating Budget for the Tribal Government for Fiscal Year 2002 to include an appropriation of \$42,654.16 from the General Fund and authorizes the transfer of those funds to the "Senior Secured Obligated Account" at National City Bank.

CERTIFICATION 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 Regular Session of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians' Tribal Council held at the Little River Band Downtown Offices on October 23, 2002, in Manistee, Michigan, with a quorum being present for such vote.

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Attest:

Stephen Parsons, Tribal Council Speaker

Presentation of Resolution Budget Modification and Appropriating Tribal Funds by the 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 approval.

Date delivered to Tribal Ogema: 10 24 02
Signature of Council Recorder: Kath Black
Action by the Tribal Ogema: Approved Disapproved (attach comments)
Date: 10/24/02 0
Signature of Ogema:
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