



**LITTLE RIVER BAND OF OTTAWA INDIANS  
2608 GOVERNMENT CENTER DRIVE  
TRIBAL COUNCIL  
REGULAR MEETING  
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 25<sup>th</sup>, 2026, at 10:00 a.m.  
VIA ZOOM**

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**I. Opening Prayer**

**II. General Business**

**A. Call to Order**

**S. Crampton**

**B. Roll Call**

**A. Metzger**

**C. Approval of Agenda**

**D. Tribal Council Minutes  None Submitted**

**III. Continuing Business**

**A. Grants & Contracts**

Removed:

- 1. Enter into a contract with Gosling Czubak for infiltration bed/phosphorus removal report and authorization to apply for RD grant**

**G. Lewis**

Enter a contract with the Gosling Czubak for infiltration bed/phosphorus removal report for alternative upgrades to SBR/Lagoon. Extension from 2025 contract.

- 2. Enter into a contract with Gosling Czubak for a water/sewer rate study, continuation from 2025, resolution #25-0402-071**

**G. Lewis**

Removed:

Enter into a contract with Gosling Czubak to perform a rate study and update the water and sewer rates.

- 3. Dixon Engineering & Inspection services Contract warranty inspection from one year of completing water tower painting in the amount of \$3,750**

**G. Lewis**

Removed:

Due to the complexity of painting the water tower and to strictly adhere to the EPA guidelines, we would like

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to have an Engineering Firm manage and oversee the project.  
Warranty inspection after one year completion of painting.

Removed:

4. **Enter into a 5-year contract with Corrpro Companies** G. Lewis  
Inspect, test, clean and adjust system for corrosion control  
in the water tower.

- B. **Budget Modifications**  
C. **Approval of Budgeted Expenditure**

IV. **Acceptance of Reports**

- A. **Report of the Tribal Ogema**  
B. **Financial Report**  
1. **Govt. Financial Report**  **September 2025** B. Pringle

V. **Acceptance of Commission Reports**

- A. **Binojeeuk Commission**  **None Submitted**  
B. **Enrollment Commission**  **None Submitted**  
C. **Gaming Commission**  **Open February 2026**  
D. **Health Commission**  **None Submitted**  
E. **Housing Commission**  **None Submitted**  
F. **Natural Resource Commission**  **None Submitted**  
G. **Biskaabiiyang Commission**  **None Submitted**

VI. **Acceptance of Committee Minutes and Other Entities**

- A. **Natural Resources Commission**  **February 2026**

VII. **Old Business**

VIII. **New Business**

- A. **Appointment of Stephen Parsons to the Gaming Commission** Ogema  
No rationale provided.
- B. **Appropriating Funds for Continuing Budget Resolution for Expenditures during the month of April FY2026** B. Pringle  
Monthly appropriations of funds.
- Removed: C. **Addendum to the RK Davis – Headworks infrastructure, originally approved by resolution 24-1211-245** G. Lewis  
Contract expires April 6, 2026, requesting extension to  
December 31, 2026.

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- D. **Approval to Submit to the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), the FY2025 \ Annual Performance Report for the Little River and of Ottawa Indians as developed by the Housing Department** Report required by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development T. McCollum
- E. **Authorizing permanent adoption of Amendments to the Camping Regulations #R500-01: NRC-04** G. DiPiazza  
To approve Amendments to the Camping Regulations #R500-01: NRC-04
- F. **Adopting Amendments to the Purchasing and Procurement Regulations** S. Crampton  
No rationale provided.
- G. **LAW & ORDER – CRIMINAL OFFENSES – ORDINANCE #11-400-03** S. Crampton  
Changes have been made to legalize cannabis.
- H. **Membership Meetings Procedures Ordinance – Ordinance #** S. Crampton  
Members have submitted procedures for their meeting.

**IX. Concluding Business**

- A. **Next Meeting Date(s) – Wednesday, April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2026**
- B. **Ogema Weekly Status and Business Update**
- C. **Legislative Affairs Update**
- D. **Public Comment Period**

*The purpose of closed session is to discuss business matters considered privileged or confidential involving consideration of bids/contracts, pending legal issues, and/or personnel matters.*

**VII. Closed Session**

- A. **Tribal Council Closed Session Minutes**
  - 1. **Gaming Commission**  Closed February 2026
- B. **Submissions for business matters that are Confidential**
  - 1. **Enterprise and/or Reservation Development matters**
    - a) **2020 Great Lakes Decree Negotiations (Treaty Rights)**
    - b) **Land into Trust**
  - 2. **Legal Updates**
    - a) **Delisting of the Gray Wolf**
    - b) **Line 5 Update**
    - c) **Line 5 Tunnel Update**
    - d) **Opioid Litigation Settlement**

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- e) **Ludington Property**
- f) **Baldwin Property**
- g) **Bear Lake Property**

**C. Bids & Contracts**

- 1. **Contract with Freedom Training Solutions to provide training to officers** R. Medacco  
Contract with freedom training solutions for tactical emergency casualty care for our officers.
- 2. **Spectrum Internet for 2608 Government Center Dr and 310 9<sup>th</sup> St.** J. Peterson  
Renew Dell support for Network Switches

**D. Acceptance of Submission from Tribal Entities requiring action in Closed Session**

**E. Litigation**

- 1. **Romanelli v LRBOI Tribal Council, Bordeaux, Crampton Case # 23-175-GC**
- 2. **Romanelli v LRBOI Tribal Council Case # 23-235-GC/24-072-AP**
- 3. **Pufflett Jr, Chapman v. LRBOI Executive Branch Duty Bearer and Promisor Larry Romanelli Case # 24-192-GC**
- 4. **Tribal Council V. Ogema, et al Case #25-25 GC**
- 5. **Romanelli v Tribal Council Case #25-253-GC**
- 6. **Tribal Council V Ogema & Jonathon Hauswirth Case #23-232-AP/23-105-GC**

**F. Personnel**

**VIII. Open Session**

- A. **Items moved from Closed to Open Session-Minutes and Materials Remain Confidential**
  - 1. **Gaming Commission**  Closed February 2026
  - 2. **Contract with Freedom Training Solutions to provide training to officers**
  - 3. **Spectrum Internet for 2608 Government Center Dr and 310 9<sup>th</sup> St.**

**IX. Adjourn**

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