



**Little River Band of Ottawa Indians
375 River Street
Manistee MI 49660**

Resolution # 03-0806-231

IHS Special Diabetes Program for Indians Grant

WHEREAS, the status of the *Gaá Čhíng Ziibi Daáwaa Aníshinaábek* (Little River Band of Ottawa Indians) as a sovereign and Treaty-making power is confirmed in numerous treaties, from agreements with the initial colonial powers on this land, to various treaties with the United States; and

WHEREAS, the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians (Tribe) is descended from, and is the political successor to, the Grand River Ottawa Bands, signatories of the 1836 Treaty of Washington (7 Stat. 491) with the United States, as reaffirmed by federal law in P.L. 103-324, enacted in 1994; 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 Little River Band of Ottawa Indians has Tribal members who are identified as Diabetic, and

WHEREAS, The Indian Health Service, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services has funding available for assistance in the treatment of diabetes, and

WHEREAS, The Little River Band of Ottawa Indians wishes to submit a grant for assistance in the treatment of diabetes;

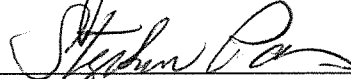
NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians by this resolution approves the submission of the Special Diabetes Program for Indians grant in the amount of \$59,870 to the Indian Health Service, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

CERTIFICATE OF ADOPTION

I do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly presented and adopted by the Tribal Council with 9 FOR, 0 AGAINST, 0 ABSTAINING, and 0 ABSENT, at a Regular Session of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians Tribal Council held on August 6, 2003, at the Little River Band's Community Center 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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