Little River Band of Ottawa Indians



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Resolution # 04-0310-111

Scheduling the First Legislative Recess for 2004 and Canceling the March 31st Tribal Council Meeting

- WHEREAS, the status of the *Gaá Čhíng Ziíbi Daáwaa Aníšhinaábek* (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 Tribal Council adopted Resolution # 03-0419-100 which set the compensation of the Tribal Council and authorized three legislative recesses to be scheduled for each calendar year; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council has adopted Resolution # 03-1220-436 which set the schedule of regular meetings of the Tribal Council; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council desires to schedule the First Legislative Recess for 2004;

NOW THEREFORE IT IS RESOLVED THAT the Tribal Council of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians hereby schedules the First Legislative Recess for 2004 to begin on Saturday, March 27th and end on Sunday, April 4th.

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the Tribal Council hereby cancels the March 31st Tribal Council meeting.

CERTIFICATE OF ADOPTION

I do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly presented and adopted by the Tribal Council with <u>8</u> FOR, <u>0</u> AGAINST, <u>0</u> ABSTAINING, and <u>1</u> ABSENT, at a Regular Session of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians Tribal Council held on March 10, 2004, at the Little River Band's Dome Room in Manistee, Michigan, with a quorum being present for such vote.

Lisa M. McCatty, Acting Council Recorder

Stephen Parsons, Council Speaker

Attest:

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