

Little River Band of Ottawa Indians

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Resolution # 04-0505-181

Approving Supplemental Appropriation for Facilities Management Director Position (salary/fringes) and Approving a modification to the Operating Budget for Fiscal Year 2004 in the amount of \$51,193

- 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 Ogema has determined that posting and hiring of a Facilities Management Director is necessary; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Ogema has determined that a supplemental appropriation is necessary to cover expenses associated with the salary and fringes for the Facilities Management Director position, which was not previously budgeted for; and
- WHEREAS, the appropriation of funds from the General Fund will require a modification of the Operating Budget for Fiscal Year 2004, which was approved on December 17, 2003

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 2004 to include an appropriation of \$51,193 from the General Fund — Gaming Proceeds Account for cost associated with the hiring of a Facilities Management Director.

CERTIFICATE OF ADOPTION

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