



Little River Band of Ottawa Indians

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Resolution # 04-1201-479

Approving Supplemental Appropriation for 2004 Employee Christmas Party in the amount for \$5,433 from the General Fund

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 Tribe adopted amendments to the Constitution on April 26, 2004, which became effective upon approval by the Assistant Secretary-Indian Affairs on May 13, 2004; 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, 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 appropriation of funds from the General Fund will require a modification of the Operation Budget for Fiscal Year 2004, which was approved on December 17, 2003.

WHEREAS, the Ogema has presented a request for funding for the purposes of an employee Christmas party; and

WHEREAS, the Ogema and the Tribal Council wish to express their appreciation for the hard work of the employees of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians Tribal Government; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of the appropriation and expenditure is to provide funding for the 2004 Employee Christmas party; and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council has received a request for approval for \$5,433 appropriation and expenditure;

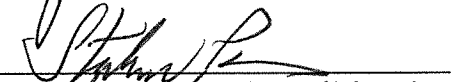
NOW THEREFORE IT IS RESOLVED THAT the Tribal Council of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians hereby approves a modification to the Operating Budget for the Tribal Government for Fiscal Year 2004 to include a supplemental appropriation for \$5,433 from the General Fund.

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the Tribal Council authorizes these funds to be transferred to the Program # 102- tribal activities line # 5304.

CERTIFICATE OF ADOPTION

I do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly presented and adopted by the Tribal Council with 6 FOR, 2 AGAINST, 0 ABSTAINING, and 1 ABSENT, at a Regular Session of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians Tribal Council held on December 1, 2004, at the Little River Band's Dome Room in Manistee, Michigan, with a quorum being present for such vote.


Janine M. Sam, Council Recorder


Stephen Parsons, Council Speaker

Attest:

Presentation of Resolution Budget Modification to 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 Fiscal Year 2004 as set forth in Resolution #03-1217-424, has been presented to the Tribal Ogema by the Tribal Council Recorder for his/her approval.

Date delivered to Tribal Ogema: 12-2-04

Signature of Council Recorder: 

Action by the Tribal Ogema: ☒ Approved ☐ Disapproved (attach comments)

Date: 12/8/04

Signature of Ogema: 

Distribution: Council Records
Tribal Ogema
Tribal Court