Little River Band of Ottawa Indians



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Resolution # 04-1215-504

Acceptance of grant funds from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services under the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program and approving a modification to the Operating Budget in the amount of \$18,352 for FY 2004

- 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 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 acceptance of grant funds from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services will require a modification of the Operating Budget for Fiscal Year 2004, which was approved on December 17, 2003.

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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 Grant Funds in the amount of \$18,352 from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services for the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program. The Grant Funds are identified and shall be allocated as follows:

Program #: 4425 Amount: \$18,352

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Tribal Ogema, or in his absence, the Tribal Council Speaker, is authorized to execute the grant award documents and certifications as necessary to officially accept these grant funds from the U.S. Dept. of Health & Human Services.

CERTIFICATE OF ADOPTION

I do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly presented and adopted by the Tribal Council with <u>9</u> FOR, <u>0</u> AGAINST, <u>0</u> ABSTAINING, and <u>0</u> ABSENT, at a Regular Session of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians Tribal Council held on December 15, 2004, at the Little River Band's Dome Room in Manistee, Michigan, with a quorum being present for such vote.
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M Sam Carril Danadar
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 1604
Signature of Council Recorder:

Signature of Ogema: