

Little River Band of Ottawa Indians

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Resolution # 05-0427-167

Approving Supplemental Appropriation for the Natural Resources Department's, Great Lakes Fisheries Assessment Program #4018, for the Purpose of purchasing two Yamaha outboard engines, associated installation equipment, and installation for the Great Lakes Fisheries Assessment Vessel in the amount of \$22,180.65

WHEREAS, the status of the *Gaá Čhíng Ziibi Dádwaá 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 Ogema is requesting a supplemental appropriation be made to cover the costs of the purchase of two Yamaha outboard engines for the Great Lakes Fisheries Assessment Program's Assessment Vessel.


WHEREAS, the appropriation of funds from the General Fund will require a modification of the Operating Budget for Fiscal Year 2005, which was approved on December 15, 2004.

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 2005 to include an appropriation of \$22,180.65 from the 2000 Consent Decree Settlement (Great Lakes Fisheries Trust Fund) for costs associated with the purchase of two Yamaha outboard engines and associated installation equipment for the Natural Resources Department's Great Lakes Fisheries Assessment Program. Funds shall be allocated as follows:

Program #4018 Great Lakes Fisheries Assessment, Acct. # 6100 Capital Outlay
\$22,180.65

CERTIFICATE OF ADOPTION

I do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly presented and adopted by the Tribal Council with 7 FOR, 1 AGAINST, 0 ABSTAINING, and 1 ABSENT, at a Regular Session of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians Tribal Council held on April 27, 2005, 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 # 05-0427-167, modifying the Operating Budget for Fiscal Year 2005 as set forth in Resolution #04-1215-510, has been presented to the Tribal Ogema by the Tribal Council Recorder for his/her approval.

Date delivered to Tribal Ogema: _____

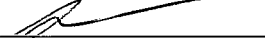
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Signature of Council Recorder: _____



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

Date: 5/3/05

Signature of Ogema:  _____

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