

## Little River Band of Ottawa Indians

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### Resolution # 05-0928-479

*Approving Budget Modification for Elders budget,  
Program #1000-144 in the amount of \$3,000*

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 amended the Budget and Appropriations Ordinance, #01-100-04, through the passage of Resolution #05-0817-391, which eliminates the Tribal Ogema's authority to approve line item budget modifications under Section 6.03; and

WHEREAS, the Elders budget, Program #1000-144 has requested a line item budget modification in the amount of \$3,000, to cover expenditures associated with purchasing give-away gifts for the Elders Conference.

NOW THEREFORE IT IS RESOLVED THAT the Tribal Council of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians in accordance with the Budget and Appropriations Ordinance, (as amended), hereby approves a line item budget modification for the Elders budget, Program #1000-144 in the amount of \$3,000. Funding shall be allocated as follows:

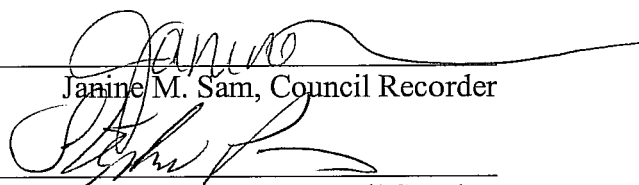
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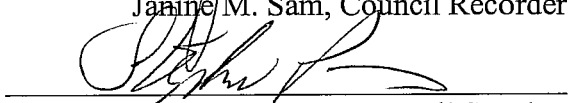
Decrease Acct. # 5130 – Employee Insurance (3,000)

Increase Acct. # 5602 – Supplies 3,000

**CERTIFICATE OF ADOPTION**

I do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly presented and adopted by the Tribal Council with 8 FOR, 0 AGAINST, 0 ABSTAINING, 0 ABSENT, and 1 VACANT, at a Regular Session of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians Tribal Council held on September 28, 2005, at the Little River Band’s Conference 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 # 05-0928-479, 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: 9-29-05

Signature of Council Recorder: 

Action by the Tribal Ogema: 8 Approved \_\_\_ Disapproved (attach comments)

Date: 10/05/05

Signature of Ogema: 

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