



Little River Band of Ottawa Indians

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Resolution #05-1019- 528

Approving Grant Funded Travel to Michigan Tribal Environmental Group for Stephanie Ogren (4426), Frank Beaver (4421), and Jeremy Howe(4422) on November 30-December 1, 2005

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

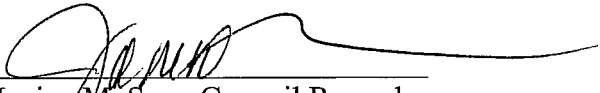
WHEREAS, the Tribal Council is authorized under Article IV, Section 7(a) to provide for the public health, peace, morals, education and general welfare of the Little River Band and its members; and

WHEREAS, the Travel for Frank Beaver, Stephanie Ogren, and Jeremy Howe to Mt. Pleasant, Mi for the Michigan Tribal Environmental Group meeting is necessary for the continued good standing of Tribal Environmental Programs, budgeted and paid for by Grant #4426, 4421, and 4422 costing approximately \$500.00/staff person;


NOW THEREFORE IT IS RESOLVED THAT the Tribal Council of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians hereby approves travel for Stephanie Ogren, EPA grant #4426, Frank Beaver, #4421, and Jeremy Howe, #4422 for Travel on November 30-Dec 1, 2005 to the quarterly meeting of the Michigan Tribal Environmental Group.

CERTIFICATE OF ADOPTION

I do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly presented and adopted by the Tribal Council with 6 FOR, 0 AGAINST, 1 ABSTAINING, 1 ABSENT, and 1 VACANT, at a Regular Session of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians Tribal Council held on October 19, 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

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