

**Little River Band of Ottawa Indians**

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**Resolution # 05-1026-548**

*Approving Travel for Grant Program #4205 for the Police Officers Gaming Seminar on  
December 4<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup>, 2005 – Travel will be to Atlantic City, NJ*

WHEREAS, the status of the *Gaá Čhing Ziibi Daáwaa Aniřhinaábek* (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 is necessary for the continued good standing of the 2002 Tribal Resource Grant, program #4205; and

WHEREAS, the Tribe realizes that game protection is one of the most critical aspects of gaming for enforcement personnel. The Police Gaming Seminar outlines the basic rules to be followed to ensure that the game is kept under control and free of cheating scams.

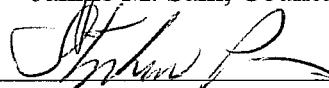
NOW THEREFORE IT IS RESOLVED THAT the Tribal Council of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians hereby approves travel for program #4205 for a Police Officers Gaming Seminar on December 4<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup>, 2005.

**CERTIFICATE OF ADOPTION**

I do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly presented and adopted by the Tribal Council with 6 FOR, 1 AGAINST, 1 ABSTAINING, 0 ABSENT, and 1 VACANT, at a Regular Session of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians Tribal Council held on October 26, 2005, at the Little River Band's Dome Room in Manistee, Michigan, with a quorum being present for such vote.



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Janine M. Sam, Council Recorder



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Stephen Parsons, Council Speaker

Attest:

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