

Little River Band of Ottawa Indians

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Resolution # 05-1130-621

*Approving Modification to FY 2005 Housing Department Budget,
Program 1000-124*

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

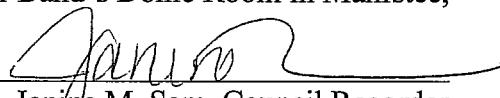
WHEREAS, the Housing Department, Program #1000-124, recently reviewed its FY2005 budget and, as a result, is requesting a number of line item budget modifications that address the standing of this budget in multifaceted ways that represent budget adjustments which do not increase the Housing Department's overall FY2005 budget: and

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council finds the Housing Department's Budget Review and subsequent budget modification recommendations (and justifications) are consistent with the best interests of the Tribe and the Housing Department's operations throughout the remainder of FY2005 and will also help facilitate the overall FY2005 Tribal Budget Close-Out.

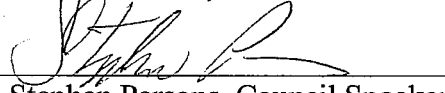
NOW THEREFORE IT IS RESOLVED THAT the Tribal Council of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians in accordance with the Budget and Appropriations Ordinance, (as amended), hereby approves the line item budget modifications represented in the attachment to this resolution for the Housing Department with the understanding that these changes do not represent an overall increase in the Housing Departments FY 2005 Budget.

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 November 30, 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 # 05-1130-621, 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: Dec 1, 2005

Signature of Council Recorder: 

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

Date: 12/2/05

Signature of Ogema: 

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