



**LITTLE RIVER BAND OF OTTAWA INDIANS  
2608 GOVERNMENT CENTER DRIVE  
TRIBAL COUNCIL  
REGULAR MEETING  
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 2025, at 10:00 a.m.  
VIA ZOOM  
AGENDA**

*\*This agenda is subject to adoption or amendment by vote of the Tribal Council\**

**Join Zoom Meeting**

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**Meeting ID: 997 0579 6129**

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**I. Opening Prayer**

**II. General Business**

**A. Call to Order**

**S. Crampton**

**B. Roll Call**

**S. Thull**

**C. Approval of Agenda**

**D. Tribal Council Minutes** ☐ 08/27/2025 ☐ 08/27/2025 Emergency

☐ 08/28/2025 Emergency ☐ 08/29/2025 Emergency

☐ 09/03/2025 Emergency ☐ 09/04/2025 Special

☐ 09/10/2025

**III. Continuing Business**

**A. Grants & Contracts**

**B. Budget Modifications**

**C. Approval of Budgeted Expenditure**

**IV. Old Business**

**A. Natural Resource Commission**

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**V. New Business**

**A. Phase II Assessment Sugar Shack**

**Tribal Ogema**

The purpose of this is to collect data to ensure the health, safety, and welfare relating to the soil quality of this parcel

**D. Karst**

**B. Phase II Assessment Bull Corner**

**Tribal Ogema**

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**D. Karst**

**C. Approving Amendments to the Hunting, Trapping, and**

**G. DiPiazza**

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*1<sup>st</sup> supplemental appropriation 2025- 06– 3rd QTR*

*1<sup>st</sup> budget modification MB-2025-59*

**Gathering Regulations for the 1836 Ceded Territory**  
To approve Amendments to the Hunting, Trapping, and  
Gathering Regulations for the 1836 Ceded Territory.

- D. Reappointment of Steve Parsons to the LRBOI Gaming Commission.** **S. Parsons**  
Reappointment to Gaming Commission.
- E. Reappointment of Mark Jespersen to the LRBOI Gaming Commission.** **M. Jespersen**  
Reappointment to Gaming Commission

**VI. Concluding Business**

- A. Next Meeting Date(s) - Wednesday, September 24, 2025**
- B. Ogema Weekly Status and Business Update**
- C. Legislative Affairs Update**
- D. Public Comment Period**

*The purpose of closed session is to discuss business matters considered privileged or confidential involving consideration of bids/contracts, pending legal issues, and/or personnel matters.*

**VII. Closed Session**

- A. Tribal Council Closed Session Minutes**
- B. Submissions for business matters that are Confidential**
  - 1. Enterprise and/or Reservation Development matters**
    - a) 2020 Great Lakes Decree Negotiations (Treaty Rights)**
    - b) Land into Trust**
  - 2. Legal Updates**
    - a) Delisting of the Gray Wolf**
    - b) Line 5 Update**
    - c) Line 5 Tunnel Update**
    - d) Opioid Litigation Settlement**
    - e) Maverick Gaming LLC v United States**
    - f) Ludington Property**
    - g) Baldwin Property**
    - h) Bear Lake Property**
- C. Bids & Contracts**
- D. Acceptance of Submission from Tribal Entities requiring action in Closed Session**
- E. Litigation**

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1. **Romanelli v LRBOI Tribal Council, Bordeaux, Crampton  
Case # 23-175-GC**
2. **Romanelli v LRBOI Tribal Council  
Case # 23-235-GC/24-072-AP**
3. **Ogema v LRBOI Tribal Council  
Case #24-010-GC**
4. **Puflett Jr, Chapman v. LRBOI Executive Branch Duty Bearer and  
Promisor Larry Romanelli  
Case # 24-192-GC**
5. **Tribal Council V. Ogema, et al Case #25-25 GC**
6. **Enrollment Commission vs Tribal Council Case #25-089 GC**

**F. Personnel**

**G. Discussion for Items moved from Closed to Open Session**

**VIII. Open Session**

- A. Items moved from Closed to Open Session-Minutes and  
Materials Remain Confidential**

**IX. Adjourn**

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