



Little River Band of Ottawa Indians
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Resolution #16-0427-121

*Manistee Township Sewer Collection System
Connection Permit Closing Dates, Initial Start-Up Fee Waiver*

WHEREAS, the status of the *Gaá Čhing 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, in the best interest of Manistee Township and the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians a “time frame” shall be established for connections to the Sewer Collection System:


WHEREAS, it was established at a work session with Manistee Township and the Tribe that the tap in the fees would be waived for a short period of time,

WHEREAS, Manistee Township will hold an open meeting TBA, potential customers shall submit the connection permit within 90 days of the open meeting and have a consecutive 90 days for completion of the connection;

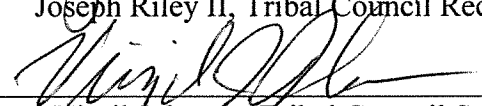
WHEREAS, any connection permit made after the initial 90 days or connection made after the consecutive 90 day connection requirement, shall be required to pay the connections fees as established.

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, 0 ABSTAINING, and 3 ABSENT, at a Regular Session of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians Tribal Council held on April 27, 2016, at the Government Center in Manistee, Michigan, with a quorum being present for such vote.



Joseph Riley II, Tribal Council Recorder



Virgil Johnson, Tribal Council Speaker

Attest:

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