

Little River Band of Ottawa Indians

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Resolution #16-0608-166

Approval of Expenditure for trade in and purchase of Natural Resource Department vehicles

- WHEREAS, the status of the *Gaá Čhíng Ziíbi Daáwaa Aníšhinaábek* (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 Tribe 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 Purchasing and Procurement Regulations, #R100-01;AC-01, have been approved by the Tribal Ogema and Tribal Council which directs that authorization expenditures in excess of \$8,000.00 be made by the Tribal Council; and
- WHEREAS, the Natural Resources department will trade in four older vehicles to obtain one newer one to Watson's Manistee Chrysler of Manistee, as follows:

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> Vehicles 2006 Dakota TRX 2004 Ram 2500 2001 Dakota SLT 2001 Chevy 2500

IT IS FINALLY RESOLVED THAT the Tribal Council of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians hereby authorizes the purchase of a vehicle from Watson's Manistee Chrysler of Manistee, utilizing the proceeds from the trade in and from the Inland Rights Protection fund (4068).

CERTIFICATE OF ADOPTION

I do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly presented and adopted by the Tribal Council with 9 FOR, 0 AGAINST, 0 ABSTAINING, and 0 ABSENT at a Regular Session of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians Tribal Council held on June 8, 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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