## Little River Band of Ottawa Indians



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## **Resolution #21-1110-278**

Ratification of McKesson (XN-530) Agreement Contract

- 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 Tribe adopted amendments to the Constitution on July 11, 2016 which became effective upon approval by the Assistant Secretary-Indian Affairs on August 24, 2016; 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 is vested with the authority, under Article IV, Section 7(b), to ratify contracts to be entered into by the Tribe; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council has received a contract from Health Services; and
- WHEREAS, the contract has been reviewed The Unified Legal Department; and
- WHEREAS, nothing in this Contract shall be construed to be a waiver of the sovereign immunity of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians or any of its subordinate enterprises or entities and

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- WHEREAS, Venue for any dispute arising out of this Contract shall be the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians Tribal Court. This Contract, and any disputes arising out of this Contract, shall be governed by the laws of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians, and
- WHEREAS, costs associated with the purchase of above mentioned device for the year 2021 will be covered with CARES Act funding; and
- WHEREAS, the consumables for the first year of the agreement will be covered in the following; the ARPA funds will be used for the purchase of the first cycle of consumables in 2022, then all remainder cycles of purchase done by the Health Department; and
- THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Tribal Council of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians hereby authorizes the Tribal Ogema to execute the Clinical Affiliation Agreement with McKesson incorporating the contents of this resolution in this agreement.

## **CERTIFICATE OF ADOPTION**

I do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly presented and adopted by the Tribal Council with 5 FOR, 4 AGAINST, 0 ABSTAINING, and 0 ABSENT, at a Regular Session of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians Tribal Council held on November 10, 2021, via ZOOM and the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians Government Center with a quorum being present for such vote.

Nitumigaabow Champagne, Council Speaker

Attest:

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