



Little River Band of Ottawa Indians
2608 Government Center Drive
Manistee, MI 49660

Resolution #21-1222-312

Approve application to (USDA) Food and Nutrition Service (FNS) Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR) for supplemental CARES Act funding to be used on the Food Distribution Center construction project

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 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, USDA through FNS and the Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR) has supplemental CARES Act funding available for underestimated costs, and unanticipated costs; and

WHEREAS, two unexpected change orders for the Tribes Food Distribution Center construction project totaling \$114,525.00 have occurred; and

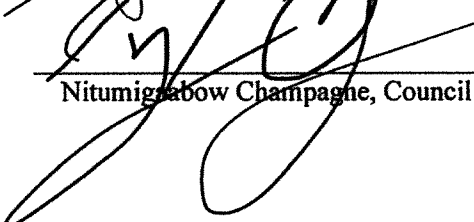
NOW THEREFORE IT IS RESOLVED, Tribal Council approves application to (USDA) Food and Nutrition Service (FNS) Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR) for supplemental CARES Act funding to be used on the Food Distribution Center construction project

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 December 22, 2021, via ZOOM and the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians Government Center with a quorum being present for such vote.



Julie Wolfe, Tribal Council Recorder



Nitumigabow Champagne, Council Speaker

Attest:

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