



## **Little River Band of Ottawa Indians**

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### **Resolution #22-0525-091**

*Permission to apply to the U.S. Department of Treasury ARPA Capital Asset Program  
Formula Funding for \$167,504*

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, The US Department of Treasury is making available ARPA formula funds to Tribes in the amount of \$167,504 for capital expenses related to projects that address health monitoring, education and workforce development; and

WHEREAS, projects must address all three areas and the IT Department will take lead on implementing the plan with the other departments assisting as needed; and

WHEREAS, LRBOI IT, the Medical Director, Family Services Director, and Education Director have come together to agree on a plan to benefit the membership; and

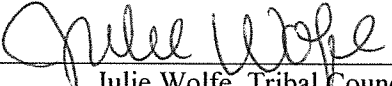
WHEREAS, there is no match required; and

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Tribal Council grants permission to apply to the U.S. Department of Treasury ARPA Capital Asset Program formula funding for \$167,504.

**CERTIFICATE OF ADOPTION**

I do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly presented and adopted by the Tribal Council with 7 FOR, 0 AGAINST, 0 ABSTAINING, and 1 ABSENT, at a Regular Session of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians Tribal Council held on May 25, 2022, via ZOOM and the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians Government Center with a quorum being present for such vote.

  
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Pam Johnson, Acting Council Recorder

  
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Julie Wolfe, Tribal Council Speaker

Attest:

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