Little River Band of Ottawa Indians



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Resolution #23-0628-096

Acceptance of contract funds from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency – Performance Partnership Grants and approving a modification to the Operating Budget MB2023-32 in the amount of \$263,078

- WHEREAS, the status of the *Gaá Čhíng Ziibi Daáwaa Anišhinaábek* (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, pursuant to Article IV, Section 7 (i)(2) of the Constitution, has the power to manage any funds within the exclusive control of the Tribe and to appropriate such funds for the benefit of the Tribe and its members; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribe is authorized to contract for federal funds under the authority of the Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act (P.L. 93-638, as amended) and to implement and administer services for its members; and

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WHEREAS, the acceptance of contract funds from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency requires a modification of the Operating Budget for Fiscal Year 2023.

NOW THEREFORE IT IS RESOLVED THAT the Tribal Council of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians hereby approves a modification to the Operating Budget for the Tribal Government for Fiscal Year 2023 to include contract funds in the amount of \$263,078 from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency – Performance Partnership Grant as follows:

Fund # 4512

	5000	Salaries	\$98,308
	5100	Payroll Taxes	\$ 8,420
	5110	Workmans Comp	\$ 3,946
	5120	Retirement Plan	\$ 3,291
	5130	Employee Insurance	\$31,266
	5202	Tribal Activities	\$ 5,301
	5205	Professional Fees	\$43,094
	5300	Rental & Leasing	\$ 5,307
	5600	Equipment Repair	\$ 5,300
	5602	Supplies	\$17,340
	6003	Phones	\$ 5,301
	5802	Travel/Training	<u>\$36,204</u>
Total			\$263,078

CERTIFICATE OF ADOPTION

I do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly presented and adopted by the Tribal Council with 8 FOR, 0 AGAINST, 0 ABSTAINING, and 1 ABSENT, at a Regular Session of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians Tribal Council held on June 28, 2023, via ZOOM and the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians Government Center, with a quorum being present for such vote.

Pamela Johnson, Tribal Council Recorder

Tammy Burmeister, Tribal Council Speaker

Attest:

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Presentation of Resolution for Budget Modification to Tribal Ogema:

Pursuant to Article V, Section 5(a)(6) and Section 5(c) of the Tribal Constitution, the foregoing Resolution #23-0628-096, modifying the Operating Budget for Fiscal Year 2023 as set forth in Resolution #22-1221-230 has been presented to the Tribal Ogema by the Tribal Council Recorder for his/her approval.

Date delivered to Trib	oal Ogema: 6/26/23
Signature of Council	Recorder: 10m 10m
Action by the Tribal (Ogema: Approved Disapproved (attach comments)
Date: 6 3	8,9023
Signature of Ogema:_	Tarry & Romaille
Distribution: Council R	ecords Tribal Ogema Accounting Department