Little River Band of Ottawa Indians



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Resolution #23-0816-118

- Repeal of Resolution No. 04-1215-505—Resolution defining the standard of attendance at council meetings for the Tribal Ogema and members of Tribal council
- WHEREAS, the status of the 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 exercise the inherent powers of the Little River Band by establishing laws through the enactment of ordinances and adoption of resolutions not inconsistent with this Constitution; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council is authorized under Article IV, Section 7(a)2 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 authorized by the Administrative Procedures Ordinance, Ordinance #04-100-07, in the interests of protecting the health, safety, or welfare of the Tribe, its members or the community, to take action to pass legislation, amend, or repeal; and

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WHEREAS, the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians Tribal Council believes that it is in the best interest of its citizens to provide for the public health, peace, morals, education and general welfare of the Little River Band and its members by Repeal of Resolution No. 04-1215-505–Resolution defining the standard of attendance at council meetings for the Tribal Ogema and members of Tribal Council

NOW THEREFORE IT IS RESOLVED THAT, The Tribal Council hereby repeals Repeal of Resolution No. 04-1215-505—Resolution defining the standard of attendance at council meetings for the Tribal Ogema and members of Tribal Council in its entirety as it is determined to be unneeded and not current standard of practice; and nothing in this Resolution shall be construed to or shall modify the Tribal Budget.

CERTIFICATE OF ADOPTION

I do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly presented and adopted by the Tribal Council with 5 FOR,3 AGAINST, 0 ABSTAINING, and 1 ABSENT, at a Regular Session of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians Tribal Council held on August 16, 2023, via ZOOM and the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians Government Center, with a quorum being present for such vote.

Pam Johnson Tribal Council Recorder

Tammy Burmeister, Tribal Council Speaker

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