

Little River Band of Ottawa Indians Tribal Council

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Resolution #23-0823-122

Rescind Resolution #21-1020-252; Seven Generations Planning and Vision.

- 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 of Ottawa Indians and its members; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council approved Resolution #21-1020-252; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribal Council determines that the best interest of the Tribe and its members is to rescind Resolution #21-1020-252 due to lack of resources for the resolution; and

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WHEREAS, the Tribal Council held a work session to discuss concerns on August 15, 2023; and

NOW THEREFORE IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED THAT Resolution # 21-1020-252 is hereby rescinded in its entirety.

CERTIFICATE OF ADOPTION

I do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly presented and adopted by the Tribal Council with 8 FOR, 1 AGAINST, 0 ABSTAINING, and 0 ABSENT, at a Regular Open Session of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians Tribal Council held on August 23, 2023, with a quorum being present for such vote.

Pam Johnson, Tribal Council Recorder

Tammy Burmeister, Tribal Council Speaker

Attest:

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