

# LITTLE RIVER BAND OF OTTAWA INDIANS 2608 GOVERNMENT CENTER DRIVE

TRIBAL COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING

# WEDNESDAY, September 11, 2024, at 10:00 a.m. VIA ZOOM **AGENDA**

\*This agenda is subject to adoption or amendment by vote of the Tribal Council\*

T. Burmeister

**Tribal Ogema** 

**Gary Lewis** 

**Greg Walters** 

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- I. **Opening Prayer**
- II. **General Business** 
  - A. Call to Order
  - В. **Roll Call**
  - C. **Approval of Agenda**
  - **Tribal Council Minutes** D.
- III. **Continuing Business** 
  - **Grants & Contracts** Α.
    - To enter into Memorandum of Agreement With Indian Health Services Funding Safety-Grate- Back-up Generator in the amount of \$153,849, LRBOI cost \$3,151 for a total of \$157,000 Authorization to enter into an agreement with Indian

Health Services.

- В. **Budget Modifications** 
  - 1. Acceptance of contract funds from the U.S **Department Interior BIA G2G IRR roads** and approving a Modification to the operating budget MB2024- In the amount of \$760.458.00

Acceptance of funds.

- C. **Approval of Budgeted Expenditure**
- IV. **Old Business** 
  - Α. **Acceptance of grant funds from Inter-Tribal of** Michigan 2024/2025 Native Connections and approving A modification to the Operating Budget MB-2024-In the amount of \$ 70,000.

Acceptance of funds. Postponed from 8/14/24.

NOTE: Resolution number for the first resolution adopted for this meeting is 24-0911-154  $1^{st}$  supplemental appropriation  $2024-11-3^{rd}$  QTR 1st budget modification MB-2024-39

## B. **Adopting the Membership Meeting Procedures** S. Crampton Ordinance. The thirty days has expired. This was postponed from 8/21/24. C. Adopting the Budget-Appropriations-Act-of-2013-100-04 S. Crampton The thirty days has expired. This was postponed from 8/21/24. V. **New Business** Approving funds for expenditures during the **B.** Pringle Α. **Fourth Quarter of FY2024** Quarterly appropriations of funds В. **Approval of Gaming Enterprise Oversight Authority** J. Wolfe Act of 2024 Ordinance #24-800-08 The Gaming Enterprise Oversight Authority Act of 2024, Ordinance#24-800-08, has been posted for 30 days for public comment; no public comments received; and a final work session was held on September 5, 2024; the Ordinance is ready for permeant adoption C. **Approving changes to Chapter 1 of Housing Regulations** S. Crampton To provide a cap for Housing. Posting for thirty-day public comment proposed D. S. Crampton Changes to Enrollment Ordinance #04-200-01 Posting for thirty days is required. ☐ April 2024 **Financial Report** Ε. **Tribal Ogema** F. **Payment of Annual dues to the National Congress Tribal Ogema** Of American Indians. Payment of annual dues. VI. **Concluding Business**

- Next Meeting Date(s) Wednesday, September 18, 2024 A.
- **Ogema Weekly Status and Business Update** В.
- C. **Legislative Affairs Update** 
  - 1. Tammy Burmeister
  - 2. Pam Johnson
  - 3. Julie Wolfe
  - 4. Garv Di Piazza
  - 5. Shirley Wever
  - 6. Al Metzger
  - 7. Ron Wittenberg
  - 8. Misty Silvis
  - 9. Shannon Crampton
- D. **Public Comment Period**

The purpose of closed session is to discuss business matters considered privileged or confidential involving consideration of bids/contracts, pending legal issues, and/or personnel matters.

### VII. **Closed Session**

- **Tribal Council Closed Session Minutes** □ **None Submitted** Α.
- В. Submissions for business matters that are Confidential
  - 1. **Enterprise and/or Reservation Development matters** 
    - a) **2020 Great Lakes Decree Negotiations (Treaty Rights)**
    - b) **Fee to Trust Application**
  - 2. **Legal Updates** 
    - **Delisting of the Gray Wolf**
    - Line 5 Update b)
    - **Line 5 Tunnel Update** c)
    - **Opioid Litigation Settlement d**)
    - **Maverick Gaming LLC v United States** e)
    - **Ludington Property** f)

## C. **Bids & Contracts**

**Economic Development Corporation Funding in the** 1. **Tribal Ogema** Amount of \$2,062,495.00

Economic Development Corporation is Requesting Funding In the Amount of \$2,062,495.00/ The EDC Funding Amount Is Determined by the 2021 Commerce Department Budget. This Amount was Approved on November 25, 2020, by Resolution #20-1125-343. There is no Budget Modification Required by Taking This Action. Was postponed from the 8/28/24 Agenda.

F. Lewis

- 2. **Approval of Amendment of Artic IT Resolution for Tribal Ogema Network Support** A. Jeurink Current MSA Will Expire. Will Provide Need Coverage to **Maintain Operations**
- Acceptance of Submission from Tribal Entities requiring action in D. **Closed Session**
- Ε. Litigation
  - Stone et al (Burmeister, Walter, Waitner, Ivinson, Saunders) Ogema 1. vs Tribal Council Case #22-164-AP
  - 2. Romanelli v LRBOI Tribal Council, Bordeaux, Crampton Case # 23-175-GC
  - 3 Romanelli v LRBOI Tribal Council Case # 23-235-GC/24-072-AP
  - **Ogema v LRBOI Tribal Council** 4. Case #24-010-GC

## F. **Personnel**

# VIII. Open Session

- A. Items from Closed to Open Session Minutes and Materials shall remain confidential.
  - 1. Economic Development Corporation Funding in the Amount of \$2,062,495.00
  - 2. Approval of Amendment of Artic IT Resolution for Network Support
- IX. Adjourn