

# APPLICATION FOR LICENSE TO MARRY

LITTLE RIVER BAND OF OTTAWA INDIANS

File No. \_\_\_\_\_

The Undersigned, being duly sworn, depose(s) and say(s):

## APPLICANT #1

\_\_\_\_\_  
Full Name (First, Middle, Last)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Last Name Before First Married, if Different

\_\_\_\_\_  
Present Age

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Birth

\_\_\_\_\_  
Male/Female

\_\_\_\_\_  
Sex (circle one)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Social Security Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
City, State, Zip

\_\_\_\_\_  
Birthplace – City and State

\_\_\_\_\_  
No. of Times Previously Married

\_\_\_\_\_  
Current Occupation

\_\_\_\_\_  
Father's Full Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Father's Current Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
Father's Birthplace – City and State

\_\_\_\_\_  
Mother's Full Name Before First Married

\_\_\_\_\_  
Mother's Current Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
Mother's Birthplace – City and State

## APPLICANT #2

\_\_\_\_\_  
Full Name (First, Middle, Last)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Last Name Before First Married, if Different

\_\_\_\_\_  
Present Age

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Birth

\_\_\_\_\_  
Male/Female

\_\_\_\_\_  
Sex (circle one)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Social Security Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
City, State, Zip

\_\_\_\_\_  
Birthplace – City and State

\_\_\_\_\_  
No. of Times Previously Married

\_\_\_\_\_  
Current Occupation

\_\_\_\_\_  
Father's Full Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Father's Current Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
Father's Birthplace – City and State

\_\_\_\_\_  
Mother's Full Name Before First Married

\_\_\_\_\_  
Mother's Current Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
Mother's Birthplace – City and State

intend to marry and that this affidavit is made for the purpose of obtaining a marriage license; that each of the above-named persons is of the age required by law, is not related to the other within the degree prohibited by statute and is of sufficient mental capacity to contract marriage; that said persons are acquainted with the laws of the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians (CFR 25 Section F, § 11.600), that there is no legal impediment to said marriage; and that to the best knowledge and belief of the undersigned all of the foregoing statements are true.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Applicant #1

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Applicant #2

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Subscribed to before me, a Notary Public of \_\_\_\_\_ County, \_\_\_\_\_  
acting in \_\_\_\_\_ County, \_\_\_\_\_ and whose commission expires  
on \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name of Notary or Court Clerk

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Notary or Court Clerk

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**APPLICANT #1**                      Bride                      Groom                      Spouse

Have you been previously married?                      YES                      NO

Former Married Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Date(s) marriage was dissolved: \_\_\_\_\_

Court in which the marriage was dissolved: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Date & place of death or former spouse (if widowed): \_\_\_\_\_

Name(s) and Date(s) of Birth of Children: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**APPLICANT #2**                      Bride                      Groom                      Spouse

Have you been previously married?                      YES                      NO

Former Married Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Date(s) marriage was dissolved: \_\_\_\_\_

Court in which the marriage was dissolved: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Date & place of death or former spouse (if widowed): \_\_\_\_\_

Name(s) and Date(s) of Birth of Children: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**ARE THE APPLICANTS RELATED TO EACH OTHER?**                      YES                      NO

If yes, please explain the relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

**WITNESS INFORMATION:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Applicant #1's Witness

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Applicant #2's Witness

\_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
City, State, Zip

\_\_\_\_\_  
City, State, Zip

## **INSTRUCTIONS FOR MARRIAGE LICENSE:**

1. Fill out the “Application for License to Marry” completely.
2. Sign the Application in front of a Notary Public.
3. Provide the following documents:
  - a. Copy of Birth Certificate
  - b. Copy of Driver’s License (or other form of identification)
  - c. Divorce Judgment (if divorced within the past year)
4. Bring completed Application for License to Marry and all required documentation to the Tribal Court.
5. Pay applicable filing fee: (Methods of payment accepted: check, money order, or cash in the exact amount)
  - a. \$20.00 filing fee for license only
  - b. \$50.00 filing fee for license & request for judge to perform ceremony
6. Two copies of the Marriage License will be given to you.
7. Both copies must be signed by the officiant and witnesses.
8. Keep one copy for your records.
9. Return one copy for filing to:  
Little River Band of Ottawa Indians  
Tribal Court  
3031 Domres Road  
Manistee, MI 49660