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Little River Band of Ottawa Indians

Binojeeuk Commission

Administration Office

2608 Government Center Dr.

Manistee, Michigan 49660

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Open Session Minutes November 9, 2021

I. General Business

A. Call to Order: Shawna Gonzalez 1:01 PM

B. Roll Call:

Present: Shawna Gonzalez and Corey Wells

Others Present: Kimberly Crampton, Jon Hauswirth

C. Approval of Agenda for November 9th, 2021

Motion to approve agenda

Made by: Wells.

Supported by: Gonzalez

Gonzalez	Wells	
Yes	Yes	

Motion approved 2-0-0

D. Approval of Open Session Minutes for: 10-19-21

Motion to approve Open Session Minutes:

Made by: Gonzalez

Supported by: Wells

Gonzalez	Wells	
Yes	Yes	

Motion approved 2-0-0

II. New Business:

Binojeeuk Commission
Open Session Minutes
Adopted – June 16, 2011

- III. Discussion: Email Council and find a time date that works for them to attend.

New applicant for the Binojeeuk Commission submitted to Ogema

A. Continuing Business: None

- IV. Concluding Business

A. Meeting Date November 16th, 2021 @ 1:00 PM

- V. Adjourn Open Session 1:08 PM

Motion to move into Closed Session at 1:08 PM

Made by: Gonzalez

Supported by: Wells

Gonzalez	Wells	
Yes	Yes	

Motion approved 2-0-0

- VI. Adjourn Meeting

Motion to adjourn meeting at 2:04 PM

Made by: Shawwna Gonzalez

Supported by: Corey Wells

Gonzalez	Wells	
Yes	Yes	

Motion approved 2-0-0



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**MONTHLY REPORT
November 2021**

The Binojeeuk Commission is created for the purpose of protecting the best interests of the child and promoting the stability and security of the Tribe and its Indian families by fully exercising the Tribe's rights and responsibilities under the Indian Child Welfare Act and the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians Children's Code.

Officers:

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|--------------------|--------------|---------|
| 1. Shawna Gonzalez | Term Ending: | 9/20/23 |
| 2. Corey Wells | Term Ending: | 9/20/23 |

Monthly Activities:

1. Total cases reviewed for the month (3)
2. Submitted dates for open session minutes 11-9-21, 11-16-21
3. Submitted dates for closed session minutes 11-9-21, 11-16-21

Discussion Points/Concerns:

1. Case Managers updated ICWA cases (3)
2. Recommendations issued on ICWA cases (3)
3. Lack of New Commissioners
4. Expert Witness Training
5. Traditional Adoption Information
6. Time and Date Change for Regular Meetings



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Open Session Minutes November 16, 2021

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A. Call to Order: Shawwna Gonzalez 1:01 PM

B. Roll Call:

Present: Shawwna Gonzalez and Corey Wells

Others Present: Jon Hauswirth

C. Approval of Agenda for November 16th, 2021

Motion to approve agenda

Made by: Wells.

Supported by: Gonzalez

Gonzalez	Wells	
Yes	Yes	

Motion approved 2-0-0

D. Approval of Open Session Minutes for: 11-9-21

Motion to approve Open Session Minutes:

Made by: Gonzalez

Supported by: Wells

Gonzalez	Wells	
Yes	Yes	

Motion approved 2-0-0

II. New Business:

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Open Session Minutes
Adopted – June 16, 2011

III. Discussion:

- A. Continuing Business: Talk to council and find a time change that will work for all parties.

IV. Concluding Business

A. Meeting Date December 7th, 2021 @ 1:00 PM

- V. Adjourn Open Session 1:04 PM
Motion to move into Closed Session at 1:04 PM
Made by: Gonzalez
Supported by: Wells

Gonzalez	Wells	
Yes	Yes	

Motion approved 2-0-0

- VI. Adjourn Meeting
Motion to adjourn meeting at 2:10 PM
Made by: Shawwna Gonzalez
Supported by: Corey Wells

Gonzalez	Wells	
Yes	Yes	

Motion approved 2-0-0