



Little River Band of Ottawa Indians

Binojeeuk Commission

Administration Office

2608 Government Center Dr.

Manistee, Michigan 49660

Open Session Minutes

August 11th, 2025

I. General Business

A. Call to Order: Corey Wells 1:09pm

B. Roll Call:

Commissioners Present: Corey Wells, Chelsea Densmore, Shawna Gonzalez, and Alicia Goff

Others Present: Rachel Kops (FS), Bill Cataldo (P)

C. Approval of Agenda

Made by: Densmore

Supported by: Goff

Wells	Densmore	Goff	Gonzalez	Cogswell
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent

Motion approved 4-0-0

D. Approval of Open Session Minutes (None)

II. New Business:

A. New Commissioner: New Commissioner (Brenda Cogswell) was finally processed and cleared to attend the Commission Meetings. New Commissioner was invited to attend this meeting and added to all of the calendar invites for future meetings.

B. Next Meeting Date: Tuesday, August 19th, 2025 at 1:00pm via zoom (no change).

III. Open Comment

V. Adjourn Open Session and move into Closed Session

Motion to move into Closed Session at 1:19pm

Made by: Gonzalez

Supported by: Goff

Wells	Densmore	Goff	Gonzalez	Cogswell
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent

Motion approved 4-0-1

VI. Adjourn Meeting

Motion to adjourn the meeting at 3:40pm

Made by: Densmore

Supported by: Gonzalez

Wells	Densmore	Goff	Gonzalez	Cogswell
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent

Motion approved 4-0-1



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August 19th, 2025

I. General Business

A. Call to Order: Corey Wells 1:07pm

B. Roll Call:

Commissioners Present: Corey Wells, Chelsea Densmore, Shawna Gonzalez, Alicia Goff, and Brenda Cogswell

Others Present: Rachel Kops (FS), Stephanie Persenaire (FS)

C. Approval of Agenda

Made by: Densmore

Supported by: Goff

Wells	Densmore	Goff	Gonzalez	Cogswell
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

Motion approved 5-0-0

D. Approval of Open Session Minutes (None)

II. New Business:

A. New Commissioner: New Commissioner, Brenda Cogswell, introduced herself to the commission.

B. Reappointments: Densmore, Gonzalez, and Goff are all up for reappointment (term ends 9/20/25). All 3 commissioners are seeking reappointment and will send in their applications as soon as poss.

C. Next Meeting Date: Tuesday, September 7th, 2025 at 1:00pm via zoom.

III. Open Comment

V. Adjourn Open Session and move into Closed Session

Motion to move into Closed Session at 1:22pm

Made by: Densmore

Supported by: Goff

Wells	Densmore	Goff	Gonzalez	Cogswell
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

Motion approved 5-0-0

VI. Adjourn Meeting

Motion to adjourn the meeting at 3:53pm

Made by: Densmore

Supported by: Wells

Wells	Densmore	Goff	Gonzalez	Cogswell
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

Motion approved 5-0-0