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**Little River Band of Ottawa Indians
Natural Resources Commission
2608 Government Center Drive
Manistee, Michigan 49660**

January 17, 2022
Open Session Minutes
Zoom Info
Meeting ID: 567 831 8925 PW: 1994

I. General Business

A. Call to Order: 5:31pm

B. Roll Call:

Virgil Johnson- Chair.....Present
John GrocholskiPresent
Martha Howell - Recorder.....Present
Vacant
Vacant

Others Present: Gary DiPiazza, Gregory Walters, Elise McGowan

C. Approval of Agenda

Motion to approve the January 17, 2022 agenda:

Motion to approve:
made by: Grocholski
supported by: Howell

Johnson – yes	vacant	vacant	Grocholski - yes
Howell - yes			

Motion approved 3-0-0-0

D. Approval of Open Session Minutes – 2021

None submitted

- I. Law Enforcement Update:** None
- II. Natural Resources Department Update:** None
- III. Legal Dept. Update:** None
- IV. New Business:**

Question from Greg Walters, wants to know about handgun hunting. He is seeking clarification about the regulations. Walters says the State of Michigan allows hunters to use handguns and our regulations need to be updated to reflect it.

Election of Natural Resource Commission Officers:

Motion to approve:

Appointment of Virgil Johnson – Chairperson

made by: Howell

supported by: Grocholski

Johnson – yes	vacant	vacant	Grocholski – yes
Howell - yes			

Motion approved 3-0-0-0

Motion to approve:

Appointment of Martha Howell – Recorder

made by: Grocholski

supported by: Johnson

Johnson – yes	vacant	vacant	Grocholski – yes
Howell - yes			

Motion approved 3-0-0-0

Johnson wanted the by-laws looked at concerning Zoom meetings to include zoom as an acceptable way to hold a virtual meeting. Virtual Meetings Act; McGowan informed the commission that the ordinance already reflects zoom as an acceptable method of hold a meeting.

2022 NRC meeting dates for publication:

Jan 17, 2022

February 14, 2022

March 14, 2022

April 11, 2022

May 9, 2022
 June 11, 2022 (Elk Drawing 1pm)
 July 11, 2022
 August 8, 2022
 Sept. 12, 2022
 Oct. 10, 2022
 Nov 7, 2022
 Dec 12, 2022

Motion to approve meeting dates for 2022:
 made by: Grocholski
 supported by: Howell

Johnson – yes	vacant	vacant	Grocholski – yes
Howell - yes			

Motion approved 3-0-0-0

V. Continuing Business:
 None

VI. Public Comment:
 None

VII. Next meeting Date: 02/14/22

E. Adjourn Meeting

Motion to adjourn the meeting: 6:25pm
 made by: Howell
 supported by: Grocholski

Johnson – yes	vacant	vacant	Grocholski - yes
Howell - yes			

Motion approved 3-0-0-0