



*Gaá Čhíng Ziibi Daáwaá Aníshinaábe*

**LITTLE RIVER BAND OF OTTAWA INDIANS  
ELECTION BOARD**

**2608 Government Center Drive  
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The following is the list of offices and candidates for the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians 2017 Election. The number of candidates that can be voted for is in parentheses under the heading for each office.

**Certified Slate of Candidates for the 2017 Election**

**Office of Tribal Council – 9 County  
(Vote for no more than 2)**

Chip (Gilbert) DiPiazza  
Gary Paul DiPiazza (Sees-Bak-Tunse)  
Rita Annette Gale  
Kathy (Koon) Gibson  
John Grocholski IV  
Teresa Johnson  
Steven Edward Kequom  
Ken LaHaye  
Don Koon  
Allen Metzger  
Sandy Mezeske  
Ronald J. Pete  
Janine M. Sam  
De-Ahna Lewis-Underwood  
Marty Wabindato

**Office of Tribal Council – At-Large  
(Vote for no more than 1)**

Michael J. Ceplina  
Jacob Kequom  
Diane A. Lonn  
Frankie L. Medacco

**Office of Tribal Council – Outlying**  
**(Vote for no more than 2)**

Nitumigaabow “Ryan” Champagne  
Dave Corey  
Shannon Paul Crampton  
Bill Willis

**Office of Tribal Court Appellate Judge**  
**(Vote for no more than 1)**

Berni L. Carlson  
Cindy Pete Champagne  
Kimberly A. Crampton (Kequom)  
Mark R. Jespersen

**Office of Election Board**  
**(Vote for no more than 3)**

Terri L. Burneister  
Sharron Cogswell Detz  
Valerie Robinson-McDonnell  
Edward Tyler

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