



**Little River Band of Ottawa Indians
Binojeeuk Commission
Administration Office
2608 Government Center Dr.
Manistee, Michigan 49660**

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MONTHLY REPORT July 2020

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. Beverly Cole | Term Ending: | 9/20/23 |

Monthly Activities:

1. Total cases reviewed for the month (2)
2. Submitted "Open Session Minutes"
3. Submitted "Closed Session Minutes"

Discussion Points/Concerns:

1. Case Managers updated ICWA cases (1)



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**Open Session Minutes
 July 16, 2020**

I. General Business

A. Call to Order: 1:00pm

B. Roll Call: Bev Cole

Present: Bev Cole
 Shawna Gonzalez via phone

Others Present: Sandra DeVerney
 Shayne Machen via phone

C. Approval of Agenda

Motion to approve agenda
 Made by: Shawna Gonzalez
 Supported by: Bev Cole

Gonzalez	Cole	
Y	Y	

Motion approved 2-0-0

D. Approval of Open Session Minutes

Motion to approve June 24, 2020 Open Session Minutes:
 Made by: Shawna Gonzalez
 Supported by: Bev Cole

Gonzalez	Cole	
Y	Y	

Motion approved 2-0-0

II. New Business:

A. ZOOM Setup – Shawna is going to call George in the I.T. Dept. to get us set up for future ZOOM Meetings.

B. Binojeeuk Meetings have been moved to Tuesdays. Bev will draw up a new calendar stating the new days. Time is the same, 1:00p.

III. Continuing Business:

IV. Adjourn Open Session

Motion to move into Closed Session at 1:30

Made by: Shawna Gonzalez

Supported by: Bev Cole

Gonzalez	Cole	
Y	Y	

Motion approved 2-0-0

V. Adjourn Meeting

Motion to adjourn meeting at 2:00

Made by: Shawna Gonzalez

Supported by: Bev Cole

Gonzalez	Cole	
Y	Y	

Motion approved 2-0-0



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**Open Session Minutes
July 27, 2020**

I. General Business

A. Call to Order: 1:03P

B. Roll Call: Bev Cole

Present: Shawna Gonzalez
Bev Cole

Others Present: Sandra DeVerney during closed session only
Shayne Machen – by phone during closed session

C. Approval of Agenda

Motion to approve agenda
Made by: Shawna Gonzalez
Supported by: Bev Cole

Gonzalez	Cole	
Y	Y	

Motion approved 2-0-0

D. Approval of Open Session Minutes

Motion to approve July 16, 2020 Open Session Minutes:
Made by: Shawna Gonzalez
Supported by: Bev Cole

Gonzalez	Cole	
Y	Y	

Motion approved 2-0-0

II. New Business: None

III. Continuing Business:
A. Binojeeuk Calendar updated

IV. Adjourn Open Session
Motion to move into Closed Session at 1:46
Made by: Shawna Gonzalez
Supported by: Bev Cole

Gonzalez	Cole	
Y	Y	

Motion approved 2-0-0

V. Adjourn Meeting
Motion to adjourn meeting at 2:38
Made by: Shawna Gonzalez
Supported by: Bev Cole

Gonzalez	Cole	
Y	Y	

Motion approved 2-0-0