

## LITTLE RIVER BAND OF OTTAWA INDIANS 2608 GOVERNMENT CENTER DRIVE

TRIBAL COUNCIL

#### **REGULAR MEETING**

# WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 13, 2023, at 10:00 a.m. VIA ZOOM AGENDA

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#### Join Zoom Meeting

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- I. Opening Prayer
- II. General Business
  - A. Call to Order

T. Burmeister

**Tribal Ogema** 

K. Bowers

J. Steinberg

P. Johnson

- B. Roll Call
- C. Approval of Agenda
- D. Tribal Council Minutes
- **□** None Submitted
- **III.** Continuing Business
  - A. Grants & Contracts
  - **B.** Budget Modifications
    - 1. Acceptance of contract funds from
      Department of Health and Human ServicesLow Income Home Energy Assistance Program
      (LIHEAP) and approving a modification to the
      Operating Budget MB-2023-\_\_ in the amount
      Of 106,173.00

Acceptance of funds.

- C. Approval of Budgeted Expenditure
  - 1. Authorize Payment for Anishinaabe Family Language & Culture Camp Food

LRCR Banquet Services did not provide an Invoice until after the event and the total was Higher than anticipated and exceeds the Signing Limit as set for purchases.

Tribal Ogema J. Sam

#### IV. Old Business-None Submitted

#### V. New Business

A. Approval of Re-Appointment of Corey Wells to the Binojeeuk Commission

Tribal Ogema

This appointment is for Seat # 2 with a term ending 9/20/2027.

#### VI. Concluding Business

- A. Next Meeting Date(s) Wednesday, December 20, 2023
- **B.** Legislative Affairs Update
- C. Public Comment Period

The purpose of closed session is to discuss business matters considered privileged or confidential involving consideration of bids/contracts, pending legal issues, and/or personnel matters.

#### VII. Closed Session

- **A.** Tribal Council Closed Session Minutes □ None Submitted
- B. Submissions for business matters that are Confidential
  - 1. Enterprise and/or Reservation Development matters
    - a) 2020 Consent Decree Negotiations (Treaty Rights)
  - 2. Legal Updates
    - a) Delisting of the Gray Wolf
    - b) Line 5 Update
    - c) Line 5 Tunnel Update
    - d) Opioid Litigation Settlement
    - e) Maverick Gaming LLC v United States
    - f) Ludington Property

#### C. Bids & Contracts

1. Silversmith Data, Asset Management

T. Ogema G. Lewis

Contract for 3 yrs for Asset Management for Water and Wastewater. We are also Requesting use of ARPA Funds

For This Contract.

D. Acceptance of Submission from Tribal Entities requiring action in Closed Session

- E. Litigation
  - 1. Sedelmaier v LRBOI & Romanelli (Employment Matter) Case No. 22-140-AP
  - 2. Stone et al (Burmeister, Walter, Waitner, Ivinson, Saunders) Ogema vs Tribal Council

Case No. 22-164-AP

- 3. Tribal Council v Ogema, Prosecutor Case No. 23-105-GC
- 4. Chapman et al (Puflett) v LRBOI Housing Department and LRBOI Housing Commission

NOTE: Resolution number for the first resolution adopted for this meeting is 23-1213-214  $1^{st}$  supplemental appropriation  $2023-10-4^{th}$  QTR  $1^{st}$  budget modification MB-2023-79

Case No. 23-115-GC

- 5. Romanelli v LRBOI Tribal Council, Bordeaux, Pringle Case No. 23-175-GC
- 6. Romanelli v LRBOI Tribal Council Case No. 23-235-GC
- F. Personnel
- G. Discussion for Items moved from Closed to Open Session

### VIII. Open Session

Items from Closed to Open Session - Minutes and Materials Remain Confidential

- A. Silversmith Data, Asset Management
- IX. Adjourn