

Certificate redemption update from the Trust Fund Board:

It has been over a decade since the original Michigan Indian Land Claims Settlement certificates were issued. All adults have been paid or they have deferred payment to a later date, however, tribal children who had not yet turned 18 are still in the process of redeeming their certificates. The following steps are intended to aid in this process. Redeeming certificates from the Michigan Indian Land Claims Settlement Act, Public Law 105-143, are as follows:

1. Determine your eligibility: Tribal members who were enrolled, but had not reached the age of 18 on the date of secretarial approval are eligible to redeem their certificates upon reaching the age of 18.
2. Sign your certificate with a notary: The tribal member redeeming their certificates must have a **notarized** signature.
3. Copy two pieces of identification: One piece of identification (e.g. driver's license) must have a picture, and the second piece needs at least your signature.
4. Mail your signed certificates, the mailing address you would like your check sent to, and two pieces of identification to the following address (note: the address on the certificates is **not** correct):

LTBB Trust Fund Board  
7500 Odawa Circle  
Harbor Springs, MI 49740

If you have lost your certificates or need further assistance, call Trust Fund Board Member Steve Schmidt @ 734-717-4406.