LITTLE TRAVERSE BAY BANDS OF ODAWA INDIANS
7500 Odawa Circle
Harbor Springs, MI 49740

CERTIFIED MOTION # 042315-02

Funding from the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA),
Food and Nutrition Services
Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians
Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR) Supplemental Funding

WHEREAS the Waganakising Odawak Nation, known as the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians, and its citizens are vested with inherent sovereignty and right to self-governance;

WHEREAS the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians ("LTBB" or "Tribe") is a federally recognized Indian Tribe under Public Law 103-324, and is a party to numerous Treaties with the United States the most recent of which being the Treaty of Washington of March 28, 1836 (7 Stat. 491) and the Treaty of Detroit of 1855 (11 Stat. 621);

WHEREAS the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Tribal Council is the elected legislative body of the Tribe;

WHEREAS the Tribe supports programs that help low-income households maintain a nutritionally balanced diet;

WHEREAS the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians has operated and desires to continue to operate a program that provides commodity food to low-income households, including the elderly, living on Indian reservations, and to Native American families residing in designated areas near reservations;

WHEREAS the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians recognizes the importance of the assistance provided through the USDA Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations Program for those meeting the eligibility requirements within the Tribal community.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tribal Council of the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians authorizes and supports the supplemental funding request to the United States Department of Agriculture, Food and Nutrition Service for fiscal year 2015 Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations.

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the LTBB Tribal Chairperson, Vice Chairperson, Tribal Administrator, or another designee from the Tribal Chairperson is authorized to execute any documents necessary to apply for, receive, and administer funds under the grant.

CERTIFICATION

Received by the Executive Office on 4-13-15 by Jean Jacobs

The Executive concurs and recommend this action of the Tribal Council.

Date: 4-13-15

Regina Gasco Bentley

Executive, Tribal Chair/Vice Chair

Received by the Legislative Office on 04-13-15 by [illegible]

As Tribal Council Legislative Leader and Tribal Council Secretary, we certify that this Certified Motion was duly approved by the Tribal Council of the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians at a regular meeting of the Tribal Council held April 23, 2015 at which a quorum was present, by a vote of 7 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstentions, 1 absent as recorded by this certification as an official action on behalf of Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians.

Date: 4.24.2015

Marcella R. Reyes

Marcella R. Reyes, Treasurer

Date: 4-24-15

Julie Shananaquet

Julie Shananaquet, Secretary