

**Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians**

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**Resolution No. 040702-01  
Support of Funding Request to the Bureau of Indian Affairs  
for Transportation Planning**

**Whereas**, the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians (“LTBB”) is a federally recognized Tribe as reaffirmed by the United States Congress on September 21, 1994 in P.L. 103-324 “Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians and the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians Act;”

**Whereas**, LTBB desires to ensure the future of the local transportation system for the benefit of its members;

**Whereas**, the Tribal Council has determined that there is a need for transportation planning activities within the Reservation area;

**Whereas**, there are funds available through the Bureau of Indian Affairs for a program of services which will meet LTBB’s needs to plan transportation;

**Whereas**, the Bureau of Indian Affairs, Indian Reservation Roads Program has provided the Tribe with an opportunity to apply for transportation planning funding for FY 2002;

Whereas, a central goal of LTBB is to protect, preserve, and manage Tribal natural resources for the benefit of LTBB Tribal members through the Natural Resource Programs;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians is requesting funding from the Bureau of Indian Affairs in the amount of \$35,000.00 to assist in the planning of transportation activities;

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, that Tribal Chairman Gerald V. Chingwa, or in his absence the Vice Chairperson is authorized to execute, by and on behalf of the Tribe, all documents necessary to apply for, receive and administer such funds.

**Certification**

As Tribal Secretary I certify that this Resolution was duly adopted by the Tribal Council of the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians at a regular meeting of the Tribal Council conducted on April 7, 2002 at which a quorum was present, by a vote of 6 in favor, 1 opposed, 0 absent as recorded by this roll call.

	In Favor	Opposed	Abstained	Absent
Gerald V. Chingwa	<u>  X  </u>	_____	_____	_____
George Anthony	<u>  X  </u>	_____	_____	_____

Alice Yellowbank  
Fred Harrington  
Janet Shomin  
Rita Shananaquet  
Beatrice Law

<u>  X  </u>	_____	_____	_____
<u>  X  </u>	_____	_____	_____
<u>  X  </u>	_____	_____	_____
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Date: April 7, 2002

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Frederick R. Harrington, Jr., Tribal Secretary