

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

**CERTIFIED MOTION #031812-01**

Request for Funding from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services  
Administration for Children and Families  
Administration on Children, Youth and Families/Family and Youth Services Bureau  
Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians  
Family Violence Prevention and Services Program

**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 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 operates a Human Services Department with the primary mission to support and preserve all aspects of family life and to wrap LTBB Human Services around the Tribal community;

**WHEREAS** the Tribe recognizes the need to prevent incidents of and improve the services available to victims of family violence, domestic violence, and dating violence and their dependents;

**WHEREAS** the United States Department of Health and Human Services, Administration for Children and Families has funding available through the Family Violence Prevention and Services Program to assist Tribes in efforts to increase public awareness about, and primary and secondary prevention of, family violence, domestic violence and dating violence, and to provide immediate shelter and supportive services for victims and their dependents.

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Tribal Council of the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians authorizes and supports the grant application to the United States Department of Health and Human Services, Administration for Children and Families for a 24-month LTBB Family Violence Prevention and Services Program.

**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**

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 March 18, 2012 at which a quorum was present, by a vote of 9 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstentions, 0 absent as recorded by this certification:

	In Favor	Opposed	Abstained	Absent
Winnay Wemigwase	X			
Belinda Bardwell	X			
Bill Denemy	X			
John Keshick	X			
Kevin A. Gasco	X			
Aaron Otto	X			
John Bott	X			
Regina Gasco Bentley	X			
Melvin L. Kiogima	X			

Date: 3/18/12  
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 Melvin L. Kiogima, Legislative Leader

Date: 3-18-2012  
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 Regina Gasco Bentley, Secretary

Received by the Executive Office on 3-19-12 by \_\_\_\_\_

The Executive concurs in this action of the Tribal Council.

Date: 4-11-12  
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 Dexter McNamara, Tribal Chairperson