

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

**CERTIFIED MOTION # 010517-09**

Funding from the Department of the Interior, Bureau of Indian Affairs  
IRR Tribal Transportation Program – Funding for FY 2017 Funds

- WHEREAS** the Waganakising Odawak, known in English as Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians is a nation of citizens with inherent sovereignty and right to self-governance and;
- WHEREAS** the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians (“LTBB”) 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 wishes to ensure the future of the local transportation system for the benefit of its members;
- WHEREAS** the Bureau of Indian Affairs, Indian Reservation Roads Program provides funding for the Tribal Transportation Program;
- WHEREAS** under the Tribal Transportation Program, LTBB has updated the Tribe’s Indian Reservation Roads Inventory and the Long-Range Transportation Plan;
- WHEREAS** the Tribe is eligible to receive to contract with the Department of the Interior, Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA). The Tribe requests to continue to contract with the BIA under the P.L. 93-638, Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act (ISDEAA) for Interior Road Construction for fiscal years 2017, 2018 and 2019.

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Tribal Council of the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians authorizes and supports the recontracting for Interior Road Construction funds for fiscal years 2017, 2018 and 2019.

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

**CERTIFICATION**

Received by the Executive Office on 11-30-16 by [Signature]

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

Date: 11-30-16 [Signature: Regina Glasco Bentley]

Executive, Tribal Chair/Vice Chair

Received by the Legislative Office on 12/1/16 by [Signature]

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 by a phone poll of the Tribal Council held January 5, 2017 at which a quorum was present, by a vote of 9 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstentions, 0 absent as recorded by this certification as an official action on behalf of Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians.

Date: 1.6.17 [Signature]  
Aaron Otto, Legislative Leader

Date: 1.6.17 [Signature: Julie Shananaquet]  
Julie Shananaquet, Secretary