

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

CERTIFIED MOTION # 062217-04

Request for Funding from the US Department of Justice,
Office of Community Oriented Policing Services,
Community Policing Development (CPD) Program

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;

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 LTBB has established a Law Enforcement Department with a mission to protect and serve the Tribal Members and the Tribal properties within its jurisdiction with the commitment to delivering a quality, truthful, and community oriented policing service with respect to Tribal customs, Tribal lands, and Tribal beliefs associated with the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians;

WHEREAS the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Law Enforcement Department has received its authority with the Bureau of Indian Affairs Special Law Enforcement Commissions to Tribal Police that allow the enforcement of applicable federal criminal status as defined in Title 18 of the United States Code, Section 1151 as federal criminal laws applicable to Indian Country, namely the General Crimes Act, and the Major Crimes Act along with Non-Indian Misdemeanor Violations Docket;

WHEREAS the Tribe's Law Enforcement Department embraces the community policing philosophy and has identified the need to improve law enforcement preparation and response to active shooter incidents, including coordination with other first responders;

WHEREAS the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Law Enforcement Department is eligible for funding from the United States Department of Justice, Office of Community Policing Services, Fiscal Year 2017 Community Policing Development Program.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tribal Council of the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians authorizes and supports this request for funding from the United States Department of Justice, Office of Community Oriented Policing Services, for a 24-month FY 2017 COPS Community Policing Development Program.

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 6-8-17 by [Signature]

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

Date: 6-8-17 [Signature]
Executive, Tribal Chair/Vice-Chair

Received by the Legislative Office on 6-8-17 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 at a regular meeting of the Tribal Council held June 22, 2017 at which a quorum was present, by a vote of 8 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: 06-23-2017 [Signature]
Aaron Otto, Legislative Leader

Date: 06-23-17 [Signature]
Julie Shananaquet, Secretary