

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

CERTIFIED MOTION # 082020-01

Authorization and Support of Applications for and Acceptance of COVID-19 Related Funds
Received under Tribal Resolution 032420-01 COVID-19 Suspension of Deadlines during
June 2020

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

WHEREAS the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians declared a Tribal Emergency on March 16, 2020 as a result of the Coronavirus disease (COVID-19);

WHEREAS the Tribal Council passed Tribal Resolution 032420-01, waiving the policy requirement that Tribal Council approve grant requests for all grants pertaining to emergency needs related to COVID-19 for the duration of the Tribal State of Emergency for COVID-19;

WHEREAS the Tribe has submitted requests for COVID-19 related grant-funds from the following external organizations to aid in the Tribes’ COVID-19 response, preparation and prevention activities.

- United States Department of Health and Human Services through the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention for Supporting Tribal Public Health Capacity in Coronavirus Preparedness and Response Funds in the amount of \$260,697.
- U.S Department of Education, Office of Vocational and Adult Education, Native American Career and Technical Education Programs Supplement funding to help grantees who have incurred unforeseen expenses related to implementing the projects described in their approved applications, including expenses related to the COVID-19 pandemic and associated events in the amount of \$35,000.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tribal Council of the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians authorizes and supports the requests for COVID-19 related funds detailed above submitted by the Tribe.

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the LTBB Tribal Chair, Vice Chair, Executive Directors, 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 8-5-2020 by [Signature]

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

Date: 8-5-2020 [Signature: Regina Vasco Bentley]
Executive, Tribal Chair/Vice-Chair

Received by the Legislative Office on 08.05.2020 by [Signature: Linda Baker]

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 August 20, 2020 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: 8/20/2020 [Signature: Emily Proctor]
Emily Proctor, Legislative Leader

Date: 8/20/2020 [Signature: Julie Shananaquet]
Julie Shananaquet, Secretary

