WHEREAS the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians (LTBB) strives to become a self-sufficient tribe dedicated to perpetuating LTBB culture and committed to the success of the next seven generations;

WHEREAS accomplishing these global goals of LTBB requires careful short and long term coordinated planning involving all levels of Tribal government and administration;

WHEREAS the Tribal Council, Administrative Staff, Departmental Staff and Commissions have worked diligently over a number of months to develop the LTBB Comprehensive Strategic Plan;

WHEREAS the global Tribal vision and mission statement, and the Tribal Council, Administrative Departments and Commissions vision statements, mission statements, goals, objectives and action plans contained in the Strategic Plan provide an excellent framework to develop the legislation, governmental services and programs needed to secure a sound future for LTBB and its members;

WHEREAS the LTBB Tribal Administration, Departments, and Commissions shall prepare and present to Tribal Council annually by April 1 an updated program strategic plan which includes budget;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Tribal Council of the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians expresses its appreciation to all who have participated in developing the Comprehensive Strategic Plan, and approves the Strategic Plan as a guide for all levels of Tribal government and administration.

Certification

As Chairman and Tribal Secretary, we 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 held on April 21, 2002 at which a quorum was present, by a vote of six (6) in favor, one (1) opposed, zero (0) abstentions, and zero (0) absent as recorded by this roll call.

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In Favor: x  Opposed:  Abstained:  Absent:

Date: April 21, 2002

Gerald V. Chingwa, Tribal Chairman
Frederick R. Harrington, Jr., Tribal Secretary