

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

RESOLUTION #062605-07

Request for funding from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services,
Administration for Children and Families,
Administration on Children, Youth and Families, Children's Bureau,
Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians
Community-Based Child Abuse Prevention Project

WHEREAS: the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians ("LTBB" or "Tribe") is a Federally recognized Indian Tribe reaffirmed by the United States Congress on September 21, 1994 in Public Law 103-324, as amended, which exercises sovereign governmental authority over the people, land, and water within its jurisdiction and administers a wide range of governmental programs;

WHEREAS: the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Tribal Council is the elected governing body of the Tribe;

WHEREAS: the Tribe operates a Human Services Department with a mission to support and preserve all aspects of family life;

WHEREAS: the priority of the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians is to provide for the health, safety and welfare of the Tribal members, including the children;

WHEREAS: there is a concern in the LTBB Community about the existence of child abuse and neglect and an awareness of the need for child abuse and neglect prevention and for effective and comprehensive child abuse prevention activities and family support services;

WHEREAS: the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Administration for Children and Families, has announced funding availability to a tribe to prevent the occurrence or reoccurrence of child abuse or neglect within tribal populations.

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 U. S. Department of Health and Human Services, Administration for Children and Families, for an LTBB Community-Based Child Abuse Prevention Program.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Tribal Chairman Frank Ettawageshik or Tribal Administrator Albert Colby Jr. or another designee from the Tribal Chairman is authorized to execute any documents necessary to apply for, receive, and administer funds under the grant.

CERTIFICATION

As Tribal 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 June 26, 2005 at which a quorum was present, by a vote of 7 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstentions, and 0 absent as recorded by this roll call:

	In Favor	Opposed	Abstained	Absent
Frank Ettawageshik	<u> x </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Beatrice Law	<u> x </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Alice Yellowbank	<u> x </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Dexter McNamara	<u> x </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Fred Harrington, Jr.	<u> x </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Rita Shananaquet	<u> x </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Regina Bentley	<u> x </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>

Date: _____

Frank Ettawageshik, Tribal Chairman

Dexter McNamara, Tribal Secretary