TRIBAL RESOLUTION # 061106-02

Request for Funding from the Bureau of Justice Statistics,
Office of Justice Programs,
United States Department of Justice,
Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians,
FY 2006 Tribal Criminal History Record Improvement Program

WHEREAS
the Waganakising Odawak Nation, known as the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians, and its citizens are vested with inherent sovereignty and right to self-governance;

WHEREAS
the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians (“LTBB” or “Tribe”) 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 safety and protection of the Tribal community is not only a priority of the Tribe but it is the primary purpose and mission of the Tribe’s Law Enforcement Department;

WHEREAS
the United States department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Bureau of Justice Statistics, has announced funding availability to further the mission of the Department of Justice to enhance the crime fighting and criminal justice capabilities of Tribal governments by improving the accuracy, utility, and accessibility of tribal criminal history records.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED
that the Tribal Council of the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians authorizes and supports this grant application to the Bureau of Justice Statistics, Office of Justice Programs, U.S. Department of Justice for fiscal year 2006 Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Criminal History Record Improvement Project.

FURTHER RESOLVED,
that Tribal Chairman Frank Ettawageshik, Vice Chairman William I. Denemy, 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 Council Legislative Leader and Tribal Council 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 11, 2006__ at which a quorum was present, by a vote of _6_ in favor, _0_ opposed, _0_ abstentions, and _3_ absent as recorded by this roll call:

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Date: ________________  
Beatrice A. Law, Legislative Leader

Date: ________________  
Melvin L. Kiogima, Secretary

Received by the Executive Office on ________________ by ____________________________

Pursuant to Article VII, Section D, Subsection 1 of the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Constitution adopted on February 1, 2005 the Executive concurs in this action of the Tribal Council.

Date: ________________  
Frank Ettawageshik, Tribal Chairperson