

ODAWA TRAILS



VICTORIES SQUARE UPDATE



By **Tanya Gibbs**, OEDMI President

Odawa Economic Development Management, Inc. (OEDMI) and its business partners have been working diligently to complete "Phase I" of the Victories Square development in Petoskey, MI.

Starbucks was the first tenant to open its doors in November 2018. Great Clips opened in May 2019 and is offering haircuts for \$4.99 through the end of June. Great Clips also held a ribbon cutting ceremony with the Petoskey Chamber of Commerce on May 15, 2019.



We expect T-Mobile, Boston's Sports Bar & Grille and the Courtyard Marriott all to be open for business in the next couple of months.

We are currently vetting a few potential tenants for the remaining space.

As we wrap up Phase I, we have begun discussions around what Phase II will look like. We are still in the early stages of planning, but intend to incorporate multi-family housing along with additional retail and/or restaurants. OEDMI also hopes to incorporate more "green" infrastructure with the help of the LTBB Natural Resources Department/Environmental Services and local engineering firms specializing in green infrastructure.

For employment opportunities:

- ♦ At Starbucks, please visit the store in person.
 - ♦ At Great Clips, please visit the store in person.
 - ♦ At T-Mobile, please visit <https://g.co/kgs/xJ6SKn>
- Stay tuned for online job postings for Boston's and Courtyard Marriott.

For additional information regarding Victories Square, please visit our website at <http://www.victories-square.com/>

Photos by Communications Coordinator **Annette VanDeCar**.

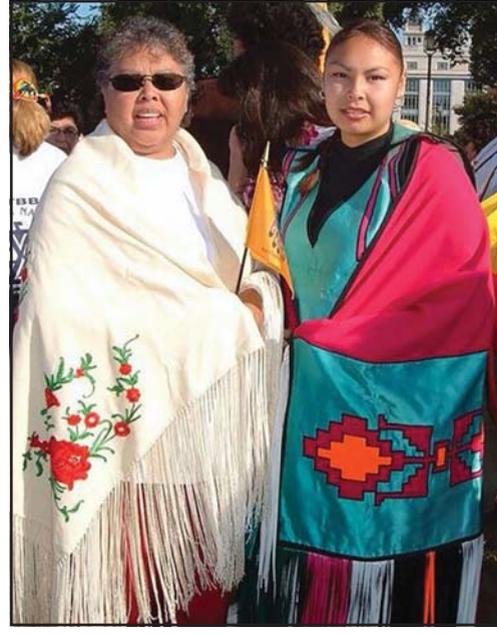
SHIRLEY NAGANASHE-OLDMAN MEMORIAL POW WOW HONORS HER LEGACY AND THOSE OF OTHER COMMUNITY MEMBERS

By **Annette VanDeCar**, Communications Coordinator

When her mother, the late Shirley Naganashe-Oldman, visits Eva Oldman in her dreams, they are always at a pow wow together.

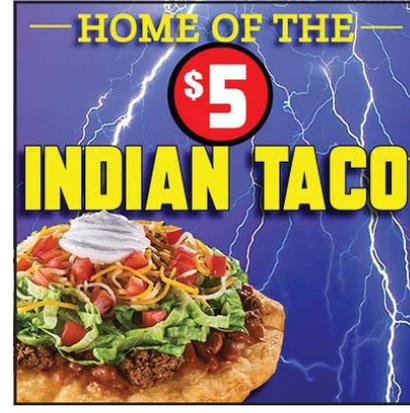
One of Eva's best memories growing up were traveling to pow wows with her family (her parents, Steve Oldman, Sr. and Shirley Naganashe-Oldman [traditional dancers]), and brothers, Steve Oldman, Jr. [traditional dancer], Jason Oldman, Jesse Oldman [grass dancers] and Greg Oldman [fancy dancer] in the family's station wagon listening to cassette tapes.

Eva, who was a fancy dancer, said the Shirley Naganashe-Oldman Memorial Pow Wow, which will be held on June 22, 2019 at the LTBB Pow Wow Grounds in Harbor Springs, MI, will be a time to celebrate and honor her mother's life, honor other community members who have walked on and will bring the community together in a good way.



"It's something I've always thought about doing," Eva said of establishing an annual memorial pow wow. "When she was living, she always honored other people, so we thought it would be a nice way to honor her. Our family is organizing it, but we've received a lot of support from the tribal community and the non-tribal community."

Grand entry is at 1 p.m. with a feast at 7 p.m. at the LTBB Govern-



mental Center in Harbor Springs, MI. The public is welcome, admission is free, and parking is free. The feast, sponsored by the family, is open to everyone.

The Pow Wow Committee booth will be selling \$5 NDN tacos. The proceeds will help to offset the costs of hosting the pow wow, which will be an annual event. There will also be craft booths.

"Some of the best fry bread makers in the community are volunteering their time in our committee food booth," Eva said.

The host drum, Cloudsmen, features Shirley's sons, Jason, Steve Jr. and Jesse. MC Paul Raphael is "Naganashe-Oldman" continued on page 26.

SEEDS PROJECT HONORS THE 12 GRADUATES FROM THE CLASS OF 2019

By **Shiloh Slomsky**, SEEDS Project Director

The SEEDS Project celebrated its final graduation celebration on May 15, 2019.

Project partners, North Central Michigan College, Northern Lakes Economic Alliance (NLEA), MiWorks!, CharEm, regional manufacturing companies, prior graduates, students and family attended the event.

In total, 12 students were eligible to attend the event as graduates or soon to be graduates of the Computer Numerical Control (CNC) Certificate of Development. The SEEDS Project provides the region with CNC education and prepares students for a career in the manufacturing industry. The event offers participants and the regional manufacturing industry to interact with many students, leaving the event with multiple job opportunities.

During the event, a first year graduate addressed the audience and shared how the program set him on the path to continue his education, entering a BA program at Lake Superior State University after completing the CNC Program. In addition to continuing his pursuit in education, he shared the job opportunity the program provided, having worked at East Jordan Iron Works for the past three



years during the summer. Recent graduates shared some highlights during their time in the CNC training and future goals in the coming months. One student expressed deep appreciation for such an opportunity and how he has drove from Traverse City, MI, to attend the CNC college classes. Another student, expressed excitement in entering the manufacturing field and the new outlook the future holds.

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LTBB TRIBAL CITIZENS ENROLLED AS OF 5-22-19 = 4,550

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Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians

Anishinaabemowin Interpretation of LTBB Mission Statement

Debendiziwin aawan maanda Odawa aawiyiing. Geyaabi gdaa'anaa miinwaa gdanwewmi Anishinaabemowin, maanda egishkaago'ing debendiziwin ebidgwasiing mnaadendiziwin miinwaa wiimnaadendiziing. Gdabendaanaa debendiziwin kina gwaya Odawak naasaap eyaamjik, maanda naakinigewinan, maadiziwin miinwaa mndooowaadiziwin gaanaaniigaaniijik debendamowaad. Maanda debendiziwin eyaamiing nangwa, kanamaajiidonaa niigaan ezhibezhigoyiing, kinooomaadwin, dbaakinigewin, giigidowin miinwaa naakinigewin. Kazhiibignaketaanaa maanda niizhwaachiing bimaadiziwin waabii'aamigak mjignamiing ninda mnomadiziwinan echipiitendaakin: nbwaaakaawin, zaagidwin, mnaadendamowin, aakde'ewin, gwekwaadiziwin, dbaadendiziwin miinwaa debwewin. Kanakaazinaa ninda gdabendaaswinaanin, jimiigwe'ing nakaazwinan jimnomewzi'ing, enitaanokijik maampii Anishinaabek enaapshkaamwaad maanda gbimaadziwin. Ninda eyaamiing echipiitendaakin, miigo kina gwaya maampii enjibaad jiniigaanibizad.

LTBB Mission Statement

Being Odawa is all about freedom. The Freedom to be a part of a people who, with integrity and pride, still have and speak our own language. The freedom to share in common with all other Odawak the customs, culture, and spirituality of our ancestors. The freedom we have today we will bring to the future through unity, education, justice, communication, and planning. We will reach out to the next seven generations by holding to cultural values of Wisdom, Love, Respect, Bravery, Honesty, Humility and Truth. We will utilize our Tribal assets to provide the necessary tools to become successful, hard-working community members who proudly represent our culture. With these values we will move the Tribe forward.

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The Communications Department welcomes submissions for our "Lines From Our Membership" section of the newsletter, but we cannot run anything political in nature or expressing an opinion due to a long-standing department policy. Because we have a newsletter and not a newspaper, we do not have an editorial page. We reserve the right to edit any material submitted for space and content.

The deadline for the July 2019 issue of *Odawa Trails* is June 3rd, 2019.

You can e-mail or call your submissions in to newsletter@ltbbodawa-nsn.gov or at 231-242-1427 or 231-242-1429. Please only call in your submissions if they are short. We also welcome comments, suggestions and story ideas.

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DEPARTMENTS & PROGRAMS



NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

WHAT SHOULD I DO IF I FIND A BABY ANIMAL?

By **Tim Mallory**, Conservation Officer



https://www.michigan.gov/dnr/0,4570,7-350-79136_79608_83071_86109---,00.html

In those rare occasions that you know the animal needs assistance, contact the NRD office during business hours at 231-242-1670 or if it is after business hours, e-mail me at tmallory@lbbodawa-nsn.gov

Chi Miigwech!
Courtesy photo.

Spring is finally here, and that means baby animals and baby birds are here as well!

Each spring and summer, we get calls as people have come across a baby animal or bird and desperately want to help.

Although your intentions may be admirable, the best thing you can do to help is to leave the animal alone.

Many animals will hide their young for safety, and they will return.

The majority of the time these wild animals do not need our help, and it is best for wildlife to remain in the wild.

The best thing to do is to leave them alone, but if you do need additional information regarding baby animals, follow this link:

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Harbor Springs, MI 49740
Tele: 231-242-1540 Fax: 231-242-1550
TTY: 7-1-1

Apartments for Rent

Now accepting applications

- Must belong to Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians
- Must be 55 or older or disabled of any age
- Rents are based on income
- Accept very low, low and moderate income applicants
- All units are 2 bedroom and 1 bath
- Bedrooms are approximately 121 sq. feet and 94 sq. feet
- Located in a quiet country setting, but only 4 miles from Harbor Springs, MI
- Barrier free units are available
- LTBB Housing office hours are Monday through Friday, 8 am to 5 pm

Wah Wahs Noo Da Ke Tribal Village is approximately 4 miles north of Harbor Springs, MI

Contact person: **LTBB Housing Department 231-242-1540**

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SOLAR ARRAY PROVIDES SUPPLEMENTAL POWER TO NRD OFFICE AND FACILITIES POLE BARN

Last summer, NRD had a 30 kilowatt tilt capable solar array installed. The array provides supplemental power to the NRD office and Facilities pole barn. Since the system was turned on last August, it has produced more than 15,270 kilowatt hours (kWh) of energy. NRD and the pole barns use approximately 80,000 kWh annually, and the array is on track to produce 30,000 of those kWh. Production will be much higher this year with the system operational for the entire summer.



cash savings, multiply the display for lifetime energy by 1000 for kilowatt hours (kWh) and multiply that by our average rate of \$0.12 per kWh.

Photo by Annette VanDeCar.

To see real-time data on the array production, follow this link: <https://tinyurl.com/NRDSolarArray>. The page displays energy production, CO2 emissions prevented, and tree planting equivalency. For

WEEDS TO WATCH OUT FOR

Invasive species are non-native plants, animals or other organisms that cause harm to our environment, our livelihoods or our health. These species may dominate our fields and forests, excluding beneficial native species, feeding upon native species and causing diseases. At a national level, the costs from invasive species are estimated to be over \$137 billion each year! While there are hundreds of invasive species in Michigan, one to watch out for this summer is wild parsnip (*Pastinaca sativa*). WHY IS WILD PARSNIP A PROBLEM?

Wild parsnip is the same species that is grown for food. However, while the roots of the parsnip are edible, the rest of the plant can be dangerous! After touching the aboveground parts of the plant react with sunlight to cause a condition called photodermatitis. The result is a chemical burn that may leave your skin covered with rashes and blisters!

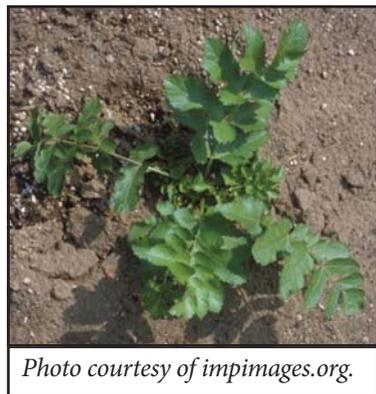


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WHAT DOES WILD PARSNIP LOOK LIKE?

Wild parsnip has a life cycle that lasts two or more years. The first year or two, it produces only a cluster of basal leaves. These are glossy and somewhat feathery and look kind of like celery leaves. The edges of the leaflets are toothed like a saw blade. During its final growing season, the plant puts up a flowering stalk between two and six feet tall. At the tops of the stem

and each branch are found large, flat-topped or umbrella-shaped clusters of yellow flowers.



Photo courtesy of flickr/ Joshua Mayer.

WHERE IS WILD PARSNIP FOUND?

Parsnip is native to Europe and Asia, but is now widely distributed in North America as well. It can be found along roadsides, bike paths and other sunny areas with disturbed soils. It tolerates a variety of soil types, but prefers upland soils and is less often found in wetlands.

WHAT SHOULD I DO IF I SEE WILD PARSNIP?

1. Avoid it! DO NOT LET THIS PLANT TOUCH YOUR SKIN!
2. Warn others about this plant.
3. Flowering plants may be hand-pulled while wearing gloves and protective clothing. Place removed plants in garbage bags and dispose of them in the trash or by burning. (Only invasive species are allowed to be disposed of in landfills. Other plants are not.)



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HOME IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM CHANGE

Due to HUD guidelines, the Housing Department is required to do an environmental review regardless of the work being done. The process of these reviews can take up to three to six months; we cannot proceed until this process has been completed. Please be aware there is a possibility the review could come back with a negative impact, in which case, could be cause for denial.

HOUSING DEPARTMENT PROGRAMS

Services are available to citizens residing within the 27 county service area. An application packet must be completed and returned to the Housing Dept. for processing to determine qualification. To obtain an application, please contact the Housing Dept. at 231-242-1540.

STR - Short Term Rental Assistance: This program offers up to \$1,500 for new tenants who need assistance with the first month's rent and/or security deposit. This can be used ONE TIME ONLY and the rent requested must be affordable and can NOT exceed 35% of the household gross monthly income. Please note the application packet must be received and approved in advance of your moving into the rental in order to qualify for this program.

HIP - Home Improvement Program: This program offers up to \$2,500 for non-cosmetic home repairs and may be utilized once every five years.

DPA - Down Payment Assistance: This program offers up to \$2,500 or 10% of your mortgage (whichever is less) and can be used to purchase or refinance a home. In order for you to receive any grant dollars, you must be able to match the grant amount with your own guaranteed funds.

FPA - Foreclosure Prevention Program: This program offers up to \$3,000 to assist in foreclosure prevention.

Well & Septic Assistance Program: Funded by the Indian Health Services located in Sault Ste. Marie, MI this program provides the resources and technical assistance associated with the installation of a new well and sanitation service or replacement of deficient existing well/septic.

Credit Counseling: We provide confidential advice and referrals to assist tribal citizens in regaining their financial stability and credibility.

Tribal Rental Housing Program: The LTBB Housing Department offers 29 rental units in the Northern Michigan area. These units are available to rent to Tribal Citizens and most rents are based on a family's monthly income. Any Tribal Citizen interested in renting a unit from the LTBB Housing Department should contact our offices for an application. Currently, there is a waiting list for available units.

SECTION 184 LOAN GUARANTEE PROGRAM

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- * Acquisition of existing housing
- * Rehabilitation of existing housing
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Accepting Applications

Equal Housing Opportunity TDD: 800-649-3777

June Elders Birthdays

June 1

Robert Thompson
Tamora Skelly

June 2

Angela Patterson
Samuel Lasley
Rodney Worthington
Stewart Walker

June 3

Dennis Degraff
Carrie Denemy
Gerald Garrow
Catherine Bonneau
Warren Petoskey
Charles Massey, Sr.
Moses Bernard, Jr.

June 4

Jacob Boyd
Craig Romes
Debra Harper
Lucille Lafreniere

June 5

Sandra Shepard
Jean Schlappi

June 6

Catherine Portman

June 7

Cynthia Wunderlich
Emerald Lacroix
David Norton
Marilyn Austin
Alvin Vandegriff
Theresa Schaner
Karen McGraw

June 8

Archie McMillan, Jr.
Susan Day
Deborah Medina
Kathleen Kilgore

June 9

Eugene Sineway
Donald Root, Jr.
Ervin Voisard, Jr.
George Santiago

June 10

Charles Mulholland
Carol McFall
Timothy Hemenway
Molly Baldwin
Thomas Strate
Anthony Genia, Sr.

June 11

Susan Slick
Karen Denney
Jeanette Root
Scott Charvez
Michael Minor
Jeffery Bernard
Marcia Radlicki

June 12

Dorothy Watkins
Thomas Colby
Mary Thornburg

June 13

Latricia Bell
Catherine Rotan

June 14

Dorothy Faustmann
Mary Foltz
Joseph Massey
Henry Lasley
Douglas Emery

June 15

Donald Boda
Mary Gaus
Dolphus Delmas, Jr.

June 16

Marcia Sutton
Gloria Ryan
Pearl Poole

June 17

Joann Carey
Mitchell Kewaygeshik
Doylene Fockler-Smith
Daneen Anthony

June 18

Diana Peltier
Johnny McFall
Sandra Parm
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Regina Ward

June 19

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June 20

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June 23

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June 24

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Lawrence Crossett
John Walker, Jr.
Kathryn McGraw
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Linda Hogge

June 25

Thomas Sharkey, Sr.
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Alice Marshall
Vera Oom

June 26

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Evon Pirsein
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June 27

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Rosanna Campbell
Eugene Nadeau

June 29

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Sandra Cripps
William Gasco
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Victoria Vogel

June 30

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Shirley Tipkey

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Laugh, Learn and Live Well

When: June 13, 2019
from 5-8 pm
Location: Waasnodegamik,
5656 Apgishmok Blvd., Harbor
Springs, MI 49740 (Community
Center off State Road)



We will make driftwood dream catcher mobiles; no two alike!

Stress, social isolation and loss of community can all contribute to diabetes, a major health concern for Anishinaabe. Come join us as we laugh, learn and create community.

Each session will be limited to 25 attendees. To register for the event or for more information, please contact Regina Brubacker-Carver at 231-242-1664 or rbrubacker@ltbbodawa-nsn.gov.



Al-Anon Family Groups
Strength and hope for friends
and families of problem drinkers

Al-Anon Meetings
LTBB Health Park,
every Wednesday
7-8 pm
Use the right back
door for entrance
and parking.

There is no magic formula that enables you to help someone stop – or cut back - on his or her drinking. Alcoholism is a complex problem with many related issues. But, Al-Anon can help you learn how to cope with the challenges of someone else's drinking. Come ask questions, share or just listen.

231-675-7044 www.miafg.org

**No Insurance?
See if you qualify
for the Healthy
Michigan Plan!**



The Healthy Michigan Plan provides health care benefits to Michigan residents at a low cost so that more people can have health care coverage. Individuals are eligible for the Healthy Michigan Plan if they:

- Are age 19-64 years
- Have income at or below 133% of the federal poverty level* (\$16,000 for a single person or \$33,000 for a family of four)
- Do not qualify for or are not enrolled in Medicare
- Do not qualify for or are not enrolled in other Medicaid programs
- Are not pregnant at the time of application
- Are residents of the State of Michigan

*Eligibility for the Healthy Michigan Plan is determined through the Modified Adjusted Gross Income methodology.

If you do not have insurance and would like to fill out an application, contact Valorie Glazier, Patient Benefits Specialist, at 231-242-1748 or by e-mail at vglazier@ltbbodawa-nsn.gov to set up an appointment today!

**TIME
FOR YOUR
EYE EXAM?**

NEW! • PRC has added Grand Traverse Ophthalmology as a NEW provider for routine vision care!

NEW! • INCREASED allotment for frames and lenses at BOTH providers!

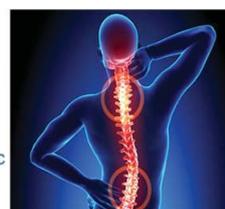
NEW! • Medicaid recipients NO LONGER limited to Medicaid approved selection!

For questions or more information, contact the Purchased/Referred Care front desk at 231-242-1600.

PRC Covers Chiropractic Care!

How do I get covered?

1. Make an appointment at the LTBB Health Clinic and discuss with your physician if chiropractic care would be helpful for you.
2. If so, your physician will refer you for chiropractic care and your referral will be reviewed by our managed care team.



All approved referrals will be eligible for **three visits** and **ONE medical massage per month!** Patients are required to follow up with their physician annually to continue chiropractic care.

Call the LTBB Health Clinic today to get started! 231-242-1700

BODY UNDER CONSTRUCTION MIND ON A MISSION

LADIES NIGHTS at NATIVE WAY
5:30pm – 7:30pm
Every 4th Tuesday of the Month
2 different style classes each time,
with Regina Brubacker-Carver
and Marlene Gasco

Come join us for one or both classes for a fun evening of fitness and support of each other while finding that little motivation.

Each participant is encouraged to participate at their own fitness level. There will be refreshments and healthy snacks to help keep you going throughout the night.

These classes will take place at Native Way Two located at 8730 E. Commerce Court, Units 7 & 8, Harbor Springs, MI 49740

VOLUNTEERS PLANT 565 TREES AND SCRUBS AT ZIIBIMIJWANG FARM

Chi miigwech to all the Earth Day Tree Planting volunteers! On April 26, 2019, approximately 14 people participated for all or part of the day, and they planted 565 trees and shrubs at Ziibimijwang Farm! These will provide cultural resources, improve habitat for wildlife, store carbon to offset

emissions of greenhouse gasses, and help the forest be better adapted to a changing climate. Special thanks to Environmental Services for organizing this event and providing lunch, and thanks to Facilities for providing tables and chairs.

Courtesy photos.



SEEKING INFORMATION

This jiiiman found its way home recently. We know it was made for Earl Young (the mushroom house architect) in the early 1900s. We are still looking

for information about this jiiiman. We believe it was built by an Anishinabe in the Charlevoix area. If you have information, please contact us at 231-242-1670.



The Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Natural Resources Commission is looking for LTBB tribal citizens with an interest in Great Lakes Commercial Gill Net Fishing

The LTBB Commercial Small Boat Apprentice Program is designed to provide eligible LTBB tribal citizens with an opportunity to learn the trade of commercial fishing from an experienced LTBB Great Lakes Commercial Fishing Captain

For more information on eligibility and requirements, please stop in or contact the LTBB Natural Resources Department



7845 Odawa Circle
Harbor Springs, MI 49740
231-242-1670
dbrowne@ltbbodawa-nsn.gov



HELP PROTECT OUR NATURAL RESOURCES
1-855-NRD-TIPS
TOLL FREE 1-855-673-8477

Please provide any information related to the tip which may include date, time, subject or vehicle description, nature of the incident, and location (Example: nearest crossroad). It is ok if you wish to remain anonymous. All tips are investigated in a timely manner.

LTBB Pharmacy
Hours: Monday – Friday 8 am – 6 pm
Phone: 231-242-1750

What prescriptions are filled at the LTBB Pharmacy?

- Prescriptions written by LTBB Clinic Providers
- Prescriptions written by providers where you have been referred to by the LTBB Clinic

PLEASE BE AWARE OF HOLIDAY HOURS AND MEDICATION REFILLS.

Weekend Urgent Care Alternative!

Quick Care Family Medical Center
116 W. Mitchell Street Petoskey, MI 49770
231-348-2828

McLaren NORTHERN MICHIGAN REGIONAL HOSPITAL
416 Connable Avenue Petoskey, MI 49770
1-800-248-6777

Charlevoix Area Hospital
14700 Lake Shore Drive, Charlevoix, MI 49720
231-547-4024

Quick Care can be utilized when immediate attention is needed for an urgent, but not life-threatening condition, and the LTBB Health Clinic in Petoskey, MI, is closed.

When using Quick Care, you are required to call LTBB Contract Health at 231-242-1600. Notice must be received within 72 hours of the visit. LTBB Elders have 30 days to notify Contract Health.

Notice: Up North Medical Center, also known as Boyne Country Urgent Care, located on M-119 in Harbor Springs, MI, is no longer open after hours or on weekends, so LTBB is no longer using it as an urgent care facility. After hours and weekend emergency treatment can be obtained at Quick Care Family Medical Center, McLaren Northern Michigan Regional Hospital in Petoskey, MI or Charlevoix Area Hospital in Charlevoix, MI.

The LTBB Community Health Department offers appointments with Jake Pine, Traditional Healer. Listed below is the schedule for 2019.

Office hours: 9 am – 12 pm & 1 pm – 5 pm

June 3-5, July 8-10, August 5-7
September 3-5, October 7-9
November 4-6, December 2-4

To schedule an appointment, call the Health Department at 231-242-1600, press option #3.

LTBB PURCHASED/REFERRED CARE

LTBB will be sponsoring Medicare Part D premiums for ALL PRC eligible patients that are also eligible for Medicare.

Are you eligible for Purchased/Referred Care?
Do you currently have Medicare?
Are you a patient at the LTBB Clinic?
Are you willing to commit to utilizing the LTBB Pharmacy for your medication needs?

Call Valorie Glazier, LTBB Patient Benefit Specialist, today at 231-242-1748!

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

ATTENTION:

Fuel and tobacco exempted purchases are only available to LTBB tribal citizens for their own vehicles or consumption. LTBB citizens are not allowed to utilize their sales tax exemption for non-LTBB citizens or non-LTBB owned businesses! Making tax-exempt purchases for non-LTBB citizens or businesses violates the tax agreement and may also violate applicable law. Store clerks have the right to deny any and all tax-exempt purchases that they have reasonable cause to believe are made for a non-tribal citizen or for the business/commercial vehicle of a citizen's employer. **YOU WILL THEN BE CHARGED THE FULL PRICE FOR FUEL AND TOBACCO PURCHASES.**

All citizens must remain present during the entire transaction.

TAX AGREEMENT INFORMATION

By **Theresa Keshick**, Department of Commerce Assistant

The Department of Commerce (DOC) would like to remind the tribal membership about a few items pertaining to the Tax Agreement.

First of all, I cannot express enough how important it is to keep your address updated.

The first step in becoming a Resident Tribal Member (RTM) is to officially change your address with the Enrollment Department. This must be done in writing and as soon as possible.

The DOC cannot and will not change the estimated beginning date (EBD) (which is always the first in any given month) of a member's tax exempt status (see example below).

It is YOUR responsibility to update your address on file with the Enrollment Department. This date will affect how many months you will be able to file the Annual Resident Tribal Member Sales Tax Credit (Tribal Form 4013). It is to your benefit to be able to file for the maximum number of months for this credit.

In addition, being an RTM will allow you to purchase large items such as vehicles, boats, motorcycles and off the road vehicles tax exempt.

There is a form that needs to be filled out called a "Request for TCE" (Tribal Certificate of Exemption), which is available in my office. Once this form

is completely filled out, I will then issue the RTM the actual Tribal Certificate of Exemption (Tribal Form 3998).

If you plan on purchasing any of these items, please contact me FIRST, and I will be happy to get you the form via e-mail or fax. I am also able to fax the TCEs to the dealership you are doing business with.

Being an RTM will also allow you to be tax exempt on utility bills such as phone, cable, gas, propane, electricity, satellite and cellular service. If you have not filled out a Utility Provider Survey, please contact the DOC, and I will be happy to get one to you.

Also, another important thing to remember is if you do move into the Tax Agreement Area (TAA), your RTM status does NOT take effect until the first day of the following month.

Example: I move to Petoskey, MI, (inside the TAA) on September 5, 2010. My RTM (EBD) status begins October 1, 2010. All updates are sent to the State of Michigan as close to the end of the month as possible.

The LTBB Tax Agreement is viewable on the State of Michigan's website at:

<https://tinyurl.com/lbmbmitax>

If you have any other questions pertaining to the Tax Agreement, I can be reached at my office at 231-242-1584 or via e-mail at tkeshick@lbbodawa-nsn.gov.

Department of Commerce Resident Tribal Member Tax Information

Cross Village (all)	Readmond (all)
Friendship (all)	West Traverse (all)
Little Traverse (all)	City of Harbor Springs (all)
Resort (partial)	Bay (partial)
Hayes (partial)	Bear Creek (all)
City of Petoskey (all)	
City of Charlevoix (only NORTH of the bridge)	

Resident Tribal Members are exempted from the following Michigan taxes:

1. Sales Tax (currently 6% of retail price) via Form 4013
2. Use Tax (currently 6% of purchase price)
3. Income Tax (4.35% of Adjusted Gross Income)
4. Michigan Business Tax (currently 4.95%)
5. *Motor Fuel Tax (currently, 36.5 cents per gallon unleaded and 32.6 cents per gallon on diesel)
6. *Tobacco Product Tax (currently \$2 per pack of cigarettes)

* All LTBB Tribal Members are entitled to the exemption on fuel and tobacco.

*The Motor Fuel and Tobacco Product Tax exemption is available at Biindigen (tribal convenience store) located at 2169 U.S. 31 North in Petoskey, MI.

*The Motor Fuel Tax exemption is also available at the BP station on the south side of Petoskey, MI, near the Big Boy restaurant.

Please note: Exemption for tobacco and fuel is for LTBB Tribal Members' sole consumption ONLY!

IMPORTANT REMINDER: TRIBAL MEMBERS ARE NOT ALLOWED TO USE THEIR TRIBAL ID SWIPE CARDS FOR PURCHASES OF NON-MEMBERS NOR ARE THEY ALLOWED TO LEND THEIR CARDS OUT TO ANYONE.

The current limit on tobacco purchases is four cartons per week per tribal citizen age 18 and over. The same applies to all other tobacco products (OTP) packaged in similar fashion.

TAX AGREEMENT REMINDER

When moving into the LTBB Tax Agreement Area, in order to become a Resident Tribal Member, you must change your address in writing at the Enrollment Department located in the LTBB Governmental Center in Harbor Springs, MI. Your RTM status will take effect on the first day of the following month in which you moved.

ATTENTION ALL RESIDENT TRIBAL MEMBERS (RTMs)

If you are planning to purchase a vehicle, ORV or plan on doing any home improvements to your principal place of residence, **YOU NEED TO CONTACT ME FIRST** before making the actual purchase(s). You must fill out the "Request for TCE" form located on the LTBB website or by contacting my office. I will then issue you a "Tribal Certificate of Exemption" for such purchases. The tribe no longer uses the Refund Method, as indicated in the monthly newsletter, as of January 1, 2008. If you've already made a purchase, there is no recourse! If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me. Thank you. - Theresa Keshick at 231-242-1584.

Tribal Citizens Fee Schedule	FEES
Replacement/Expired Cards A replacement card is lost, stolen, expired or has an address change. Free to Elders.	\$10
Tribal Directory Adults 18 and enrolled prior to 2/28/2017 Published every 4 years.	\$5
Tribal Directory Labels Requestor must provide labels.	\$5
LTBB List The list includes adult's first, middle and last names only.	\$5
Photocopies of Enrollment file First 3 copies free, \$1 for each page thereafter.	\$1 ea
Marriage License Application Certified Copies: \$10 Photo Copies: \$5	\$15
Tribal Notary Application Surety Bond: \$125 (Payable: Brownrigg Companies LTD)	\$10

Services

- Enrollment Applications.
- Address Change Forms.
 - Adults require notarization if mail is delivered to a post office box.
 - Minors require notarization annually.
- Tribal Directory.
- Marriage License Application.
- Tribal Notary Application.
- Michigan Indian Tuition Waiver Certification.
- BIA - 4432 Indian Preference Form.
- Eagle Feather Application and Re-Order Form.
- Certifier of LTBB Degree of Indian Blood.

Updated 11/29/2018

THE ENROLLMENT OFFICE NEEDS YOUR HELP!

We would like to start tracking LTBB Tribal Citizens who have completed military service or who are currently on active duty. If you are a veteran, please call us toll free at 1-866-652-5822 ext. 1521 or 1520. We will be asking you the following questions:

- (1) Name
- (2) Date of Birth
- (3) Branch of Service

This information will be used by the Grants Department.

Megwetch,
Pauline Boulton, Enrollment Officer

LTBB TRIBAL DIRECTORIES

LTBB tribal directories are available for sale in the Enrollment Office. The tribal directory includes adults' names and addresses of LTBB Citizens enrolled as of February 28, 2017, excluding undeliverable addresses and LTBB Citizens requesting not to be included.

Qualifications:

- Must include a copy of your tribal identification card
- A \$5 money order or check payable to LTBB of Odawa Indians

Mail to:

LTBB of Odawa Indians
Attn: Enrollment Office
7500 Odawa Circle
Harbor Springs, MI 49740

If you have any questions, please feel free to call the Enrollment Office at 231-242-1521 or 231-242-1520.

ENROLLMENT DEPARTMENT

ATTENTION: 2019 PER CAPITA REQUIREMENTS

We are still in the process of scanning enrollment records and linking relationships in our Citizenship Database (Progeny ES). We will be contacting you via mail if your enrollment record is missing a photo copy of your social security card.

If we **do not** have a copy of your social security verification on file prior to **October 31, 2019**, (the 2019 per capita payment distribution deadline), your per capita payment may be held or delayed in 2019.

Acceptable Verification of your Social Security number includes the following:

- ◆ Copy of your Social Security Card
- ◆ Social Security Card number printed by Social Security Administration Office

- ◆ Social Security Administration Benefit Statements
- ◆ W-2 or 1099 form
- ◆ Pay stub containing your name and social security number
- ◆ Valid U.S. military ID card with photo (DD-2 or CAC card)
- ◆ Other official document/card containing your name and social security number.

Our goal is to not only keep our records up to date, but to make sure by working together that everyone gets their 2019 per capita check. If you have any questions, call the Enrollment Department at 231-242-1520.

LEGISLATIVE BRANCH

The Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Tribal Council ATTENDANCE LOG										
		Fred Harrington, Jr.	Tamara Klogima	Marcella Reyes	Julie Shananaquet	Frank Bernard	David Harrington	Dexter McNamara	Emily Proctor	Leroy Shomin
DATE	April 2019									
04/01/19	Appropriations and Finance Committee Budget Hearings		x	x				x		
04/02/19	Appropriations and Finance Committee Budget Hearings		x	x				x		
04/04/19	Appropriations and Finance Committee Budget Hearings		x	x				x		
04/05/19	Land and Reservation Committee Meeting			x			x	x		
04/09/19	Tribal Council Work Session	x	x		x		x	x	x	x
04/11/19	Tribal Council Meeting	x	x	x		x	x	x	x	
04/12/19	Appropriations and Finance Committee		x	x				x		
04/14/19	Native American Finance Officers Association Meeting Portland, OR									x
04/25/19	Tribal Council Work Session	x	x	x	x		x	x	x	x
04/27/19	Tribal Council Meeting	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
*additional recording of attendance may be reported on future report logs										

Please Note:

Changeable address forms are available for LTBB Citizens at www.tinyurl.com/lbbsenrollmentforms. The forms must be printed and signed by the Tribal Citizen and hard copies returned to Enrollment. We still require the form to be witnessed or notarized depending on your address.

LTBB Enrollment Office 231-242-1521

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

2019 MICHIGAN INDIAN FAMILY OLYMPICS

Submitted by the **Community Health Department**

It's that time of year where LTBB competitors head to Mt. Pleasant, MI, to partake in the 2019 Michigan Indian Family Olympics!

We STRONGLY encourage you to participate, especially if you enjoy the following activities: Archery, Long Jump, Jump Rope and Fitness Circuit, Softball Throw, 3 Point Basketball Shot, Running/Walking and Lacrosse Speed Shot! The Community Health Department aims to bring the first-place team trophy back to LTBB! This is also a great opportunity to promote health and wellness through fun, competitive, physical activities with other Michigan tribes!

Opening ceremonies will begin at 9 a.m. on Friday, July 19, 2019 at Central Michigan University's Bennett Track & Field located at 1200 S. Franklin Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI. Kindly plan ahead for the travel time to the MIFO location. Please see the attached flyer for more information.

LTBB 2019 MIFO team incentives include paid lodging at the **Soaring**

Eagle Casino and Resort in Mt. Pleasant, MI, on Thursday, July 18, 2019, paid registration fees and a team t-shirt along with breakfast and snacks/drinks during the Family Olympics.

LTBB MIFO team members will be responsible for transportation and expenses prior to and after the event and a hotel deposit of \$50 per room for any amenities incurred during the hotel stay.

As in the past, we will need assistance with setting up and tearing down the LTBB team site. All LTBB team members are responsible to keep the team site clean. We do have volunteer positions available for LTBB team members. Team members should arrive at the field by 9 a.m. to participate in the opening ceremonies and plan accordingly, so you can participate in at least four events. If you do not participate in at least four events, then you will be jeopardizing the opportunity to participate with LTBB next year.

Lodging is limited and provided on a first-come, first-serve basis. Therefore, you will want to reserve your spot(s) as soon as possible. We are requiring a minimum of four par-

ticipants in each room, and you must have four names when you are reserving the room. Lodging arrangements can be made beginning Monday, June 3, 2019 until Friday, June 28, 2019 at 12 p.m. unless the allotted rooms are full prior to this date. There will be a waiting list available if all the rooms are reserved.

The registration forms are attached. Registration forms will be accepted beginning Monday, June 3, 2019 until Friday, June 28, 2019. You may mail registration forms to Little Traverse Bay Bands Community Health Department, 7500 Odawa Circle, Harbor Springs, MI 49740 or fax to 231-242-1717, Attn: Angeline Roberts or send via e-mail to ARoberts@LTBBODAWA-NSN.GOV. If you register yourself or others within the timeframe mentioned above, it is your responsibility to contact Angeline Roberts to ensure the registration is paid for by LTBB and to receive a team t-shirt.

For any concern pertaining to the 2019 Michigan Indian Family Olympics, please contact Angeline Roberts via telephone at 231-242-1601.

32nd Annual Michigan Indian Family Olympics
Friday, July 19, 2019
 Central Michigan University's Bennett Track & Field
 Registration opens: May 1 | www.sagchip.org/mifo/
 For more information, please contact: Jaden Harman at 989.775.4694

Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe of Michigan
 "Working Together for Our Future"
 7070 E. Broadway, Mount Pleasant, MI 48858
 989-775-4800
www.sagchip.org

SUBMIT SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS ONLINE!

Submit applications for the Michelle Chingwa, Higher Education Merit, Higher Education Completion, Pre K-12 Grade Scholarship & Shirley Oldman Secondary Completion Scholarships online through the LTBB website!
<https://tinyurl.com/lbbedapps>



32nd Annual Michigan Indian Family Olympics
 Friday, July 19, 2019

Registration Form

Registration Fee:

\$10 per person
 For people ages 5 -54

This event is open to all Native Americans and their family members who reside in the state of Michigan
This is an alcohol, tobacco and other drug-free event

First Name: (Please write in uppercase lettering)

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Last Name:

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Shirt Size:

Youth XS Youth M
 Youth S Youth L
 S M L XL
 2X 3X 4X 5X

Birth Date:

___ / ___ / ___

Email Address:

Gender:

Male
 Female

Tribe/Organization: (Please check box)

<input type="checkbox"/> AIS American Indian Services	<input type="checkbox"/> BMIC Bay Mills Indian Community	<input type="checkbox"/> Other
<input type="checkbox"/> GTB Grand Traverse Band of Ottawa and Chippewa	<input type="checkbox"/> HIC Hannahville Indian Community	<input type="checkbox"/> GLT Gun Lake Tribe of Potawatomi Indians
<input type="checkbox"/> AIHFS American Indian Health and Family Services	<input type="checkbox"/> KBIC Keweenaw Bay Indian Community	<input type="checkbox"/> NHBP Nottawaseppi Huron Band Potawatomi
<input type="checkbox"/> LTBB Little Traverse Bay Band of Odawa Indians	<input type="checkbox"/> MSCG Muscogee	<input type="checkbox"/> LRB Little River Band of Ottawa Indians
<input type="checkbox"/> SCIT Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe	<input type="checkbox"/> SSM Sault Ste. Marie Tribe	<input type="checkbox"/> PP Pokagon Potawatomi
		<input type="checkbox"/> WI Walpole Island

Please accept my entry in the 2019 Michigan Indian Family Olympics. I hereby state that I have conditioned myself properly for the activities I will participate in. I waive any right that I have against the Family Olympics officials, Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe, and all the participating groups for damages or injuries occurred by my participation in the 2019 Michigan Indian Family Olympics.

Signature: _____

Date: ___ / ___ / ___

(Must be signed by a parent or guardian if participant is under 18 years old)

Pre-Registration can be done online at:

www.sagchip.org/MIFO/

- If you are sending this form to a team coordinator then they may do online registration for you.
- By pre-registering, it will allow the registration process go much quicker on the day of the event.

For more information, please contact: Jaden Harman, MIFO Event Coordinator at 989.775.4694

The LTBB Cultural Library is open 5 days a week!

Monday - Friday
 9am - 5pm

For more library information, please contact the Education Department at 231-242-1480.

Ask us about downloading eBooks and Audiobooks online!



Michelle Chingwa Education Honorarium (MCEH)

Summer Deadline:

June 15th, 2019

Please contact the Education Department for more information at **(231) 242-1480**

ELDERS DEPARTMENT

Save on your next computer with Dell

Tribal Citizens and Employees can save money on their next computer purchase when shopping with Dell. It's easy, just log on to www.dell.com/EPP or call 1-877-289-9437 and enter Member ID#: CS25031222 to take advantage of the discount.

If you have any questions, please call Purchasing Technician Mandy Szocinski at 231-242-1439



Are You:

- Currently not eligible for Medicaid?
- 19-64 years old?
- Not eligible for Medicare?
- Not pregnant?
- Making under \$15,000 for a family of 1 or making under \$34,000 for a family of 4?

If you have answered "YES" to these questions, you may qualify for Medicaid due to the Michigan Medicaid Expansion: Healthy Michigan!! Please contact Valorie Glazier, Patient Benefits Specialist, at 231-242-1748 for assistance.

LTBB ELECTION BOARD CONTACT INFORMATION

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Treasurer
517-927-3255
jonnycadillac11@gmail.com

Alice Hughes
Board Member
231-838-9833
Alicehughes832@yahoo.com

ATTENTION TRIBAL BUSINESSES/ENTREPRENEURS!

If you would like to be on the tribal governmental vendor list for providing goods or services to the LTBB government, please contact Mandy Szocinski at 231-242-1439 or mszocinski@ltbbodawa-nsn.gov. Please be prepared to provide the following information: Name, contact information, good/services you are providing and any additional information as required. Supporting our tribal businesses is our preference. Chi Mi-igwech!

address is current with Enrollment.

How long does it take to receive my Allowance?

It takes up to 3-5 weeks for reimbursement to be received. Now, keep in mind that if you are missing documentation that your reimbursement will be delayed.

Is there a deadline?

Yes. The deadline for the Food and Utility Allowance is **November 30th of the current year**. If the Elders Department receives applications past the deadline, it is up to the discretion of the department whether or not the application may be processed. All mail must be postmarked by **November 30th**.

What if my address has changed?

If your address has changed, make sure that the Enrollment Department is aware of the changes. You will need to complete an address change verification form. Enrollment can be reached at 231-242-1521.

LITTLE TRAVERSE BAY BANDS OF ODAWA INDIANS

ELDERS DEPARTMENT

231-242-1423

7500 ODAWA CIRCLE

HARBOR SPRINGS, MI 49740

FOOD & UTILITY APPROPRIATION ALLOWANCE APPLICATION

Please print the following information:

CURRENT YEAR: _____ Tribal Enrollment Number: _____

Name: _____

First Middle Last

Address: _____

Street

City State Zip Code

Date of Birth (DOB): _____ Telephone Number: _____

Signature _____ Date _____

By signing above I certify this appropriation will be used towards food, cleansers or utility expenditures.

DO NOT WRITE BELOW THIS LINE! OFFICE USE ONLY.

	Amount
Food Reimbursement 2107-2-6370-10	
Utilities Reimbursement 2107-2-6380-10	
Total Amount of Check:	

ACCOUNTING USE ONLY

VENDOR #: _____

A.P. REVIEW: _____

CONTROLLER: _____

Requestor: _____ Date: _____

Approval: _____ Date: _____

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	MAIL:
<input type="checkbox"/>	RETURN TO DEPARTMENT:
<input type="checkbox"/>	OTHER:



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EXECUTIVE BRANCH

FROM THE EXECUTIVE OFFICE



to cross the Straits of Mackinac. We are people who are tied to the water, and it would devastate our way of life if this line was to break or be damaged. If you get a moment, please go to the water and offer a prayer as we must protect it.

I do want to take a moment to congratulate all of the graduates and tell you how proud you make all of us! May you all go out and pursue your passion.

I will leave you with a great quote by Billy Mills, "You have to look deeper, way below the anger, the hurt, the hate, the jealousy, the self-pity way down deeper where the dreams lie son, Find your dream. It is the pursuit of the dream that heals you."

I hope you all enjoy the summer months, and I look forward to seeing you at the Homecoming Pow Wow.

Courtesy photo.

As the weather gets better and we start to have some nice sunny days, I am constantly reminded of what a great area we live in to be able to go to the water and enjoy the bay. Water is critical to our survival; this administration has been diligent in protection of water. I recently attended a meeting with Governor (Gretchen) Whitmer's team in regards to the Line 5 construction of a tunnel. I expressed the need for Line 5 to be shut down and for the State of Michigan to exercise its public trust responsibility and immediately revoke the easement that allows Line 5



Signing of Statute WOS 2019-003 Protection of Employees From Supervisors That Have Committed A Crime Of Domestic Violence Or Sexual Harassment Statute

LTBB CULTURAL LIBRARY

CULTURAL LIBRARY UPDATE

Submitted by the Cultural Library

The Cultural Library is excited to announce our staff have been offered two full scholarships to participate in the 2019-2020 Tribal Digital Stewardship Cohort Program: Digital Heritage Management, Archiving and Mukurtu CMS Training at Washington State University's Center for Digital Scholarship and Curation. The Center for Digital Scholarship and Curation is on the traditional homelands of the Palus Band of Indians and the ceded lands of the Nez Perce tribe. The program begins in June 2019 and runs through June 2020.

The Tribal Digital Stewardship Cohort Program (TDSCP) is designed specifically around the needs of tribal archives, libraries and museums to manage, share and preserve their digital cultural heritage. The TDSCP curriculum topics include organizing collections, management and metadata, policy creation, providing access to digital collections in the community, digital return initiatives with non-Native repositories and digital content management through Mukurtu CMS.

The experience our staff will gain in the cohort program directly ties into the work we are doing through our current IMLS Enhancement Grant, the Ndbaajmowinaanin (Our Stories) Project. Mukurtu CMS will serve as the digital storage space for the Oral Histories that are collected through this project. By storing our oral histories on Mukurtu,

they will be accessible to our tribal citizens far and wide. It is an exciting opportunity for growth and future projects here with LTBB.

Updates on IMLS Enhancement Grant Project: Ndbaajmowinaanin (Our Stories)

Our stories make up the foundation of who we are as Waganakising Odawa. Each and every story has meaning and importance in our community. The IMLS Enhancement Grant project, Ndbaajmowinaanin (Our Stories), is seeking LTBB community elders who would be willing to share their stories for future generations.

Please help us preserve our stories so that future generations have the honor to hear the lived experiences of our elders. When your stories are not recorded and preserved digitally, there is a great chance the histories and part of LTBB culture will be lost forever to future generations.

Through the IMLS Enhancement grant project, our hope is to create a startup, to build a community-trained team to collect oral histories, the passed-down stories, experiences and traditions that uniquely make us Waganakising Odawa.

Interviews will begin this summer and can be collected in the comfort of your own home if needed. There will also be upcoming opportunities for interviews at the government building. The first 30 elders to sign up will receive \$25 compensation for their time and will receive a copy of their finished interview. Please contact the Cultural Library at 231- 242-1487 to reserve

your spot today!

Our oral traditions make up the fabric of who we are as Waganakising Odawak. Traditionally, important cultural information, family histories and spiritual teachings have been shared through storytelling. If this knowledge is not preserved, we risk losing this information for future generations. The Ndbaajmowinaanin (Our Stories) Oral History Project's purpose is to collect and preserve our oral traditions for future generations. The LTBB Cultural Library is hosting a two-part workshop in June & July where participants will receive training in Oral History & Video Production. Participants are required to attend both workshops and complete a minimum of one oral history interview with the assistance of a professional filmmaker. We are looking for tribal citizens, descendants or community members to participate in this two-part workshop. The workshops are full days with lunch provided each day. Participants will be compensated \$250 for their time.

The goal of this project is to establish a community-based team who are trained in the collection and production of oral histories that can move forward in collecting and preserving our elders' histories, stories and experiences. Our elders and the time they spend here as part of our families is to be honored and treasured. Help honor their lives and experiences by being a part of this project.

There are still a few spots open, and there will be a waiting

"Update" continued on page 10.



We welcome everyone to visit our Official Facebook Page at

<https://www.facebook.com/LTBBODAWA>.

Please be respectful in your comments.



Temporary Help Wanted

Are you a tribal citizen who would like to:

Gain valuable work experience?

Work in the tribal community?

Make a little extra money?

Gain experience in several fields?

Apply today to join our LTBB Temporary Worker pool!

Temporary assignments can last one day or as long as a month or more. Contact the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Human Resources Department today!

Call: 231-242-1563

LTBB GOVERNMENTAL OFFICE CLOSINGS

Please note that **ALL LTBB Governmental offices are closed on these dates, this includes Mskiki Gumik offices**



- July 4, 2019 - Independence Day
- September 2, 2019 - Lewis & Doris Adams Day
- September 20, 2019 - Sovereignty Day
- September 27, 2019 - Michigan Indian Day
- November 11, 2019 - Veteran's Day
- November 28, 2019 - Thanksgiving
- November 29, 2019 - Day After Thanksgiving
- December 24, 2019 - Christmas Eve
- December 25, 2019 - Christmas Day
- December 31, 2019 - New Year's Eve

LTBB COMMISSION AND BOARD VACANCIES

COMMISSION/BOARD	VACANCIES	TERM LENGTH
Zoning Board of Appeals	2	3 Years
Gaming Regulatory Commission	1	3 Years
Housing Commission	2	4 Years
Citizenship Commission	1	3 Years
Elders Commission	3	4 Years
Election Board	2	4 Years
Education Appeals Board	3	3 Years
Environmental Appeals Board	3	2, 3, 4 Years

Interested Tribal citizens can submit a cover letter along with a resume to:
LTBB Tribal Chair Office
7500 Odawa Circle
Harbor Springs, MI 49740

Please call 231-242-1401 with any questions



Tribal Council is pleased to announce Tribal Council work sessions and open meetings are now accessible through the LTBB Odawa website's Citizen's Portal.

Once logged in you will find Live-Stream links for:

- APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCE COMMITTEE
- LAND AND RESERVATION COMMITTEE
- TRIBAL COUNCIL WORK SESSIONS
- TRIBAL COUNCIL MEETINGS

If you are not registered for Citizen's Portal, follow the instructions on the Citizen's Portal web-link.



TRIBAL NOTARY INFORMATION

The Tribal Notaries listed below are eligible to perform notarial acts within Little Traverse Bay Bands Jurisdiction unless he/she violates section C. Revocation WOS#2008-05 Tribal Notary Statute

Tribal Notary Commission Full Name	Current Status	Appointment Date	Expiration Date	Serial Number	Phone Ext.
Theresa C Keshick	Active	02/18/2015	February 17, 2021	01-09	1584
Rebecca R Fisher	Active	02/22/2015	February 21, 2021	02-09	1418
Cynthia Brouckaert	Active	06/06/2017	June 05, 2023	05-09	1462
Gwendolyn Tuethorn	Active	07/02/2013	July 2, 2019	08-09	1475
Beverly J Wemigwase	Active	02/22/2015	February 22, 2021	10-09	1400
Julie Rose Janiskee	Active	08/24/2015	August 23, 2021	11-09	1401
Rose M Pyant	Active	04/06/2017	April 5, 2023	12-09	1563
Marin C Taylor	Active	05/15/2018	May 14, 2024	13-09	1521

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list. Please contact the Cultural Library at 231-242-1487 to reserve your spot today!

Little Free Library Available at LTBB Community Building

Another Little Free Library is now available at the LTBB Community Building, 5656 Ap-Gish-Mok Blvd., in Harbor Springs, MI. No library card required! Chi miigwech Tom Teuthorn for the beautiful build and design!

LTBB Cultural Library Summer Reading Challenge

June marks the beginning of the LTBB Cultural Library Summer Reading Challenge. It is open to ALL ages of our LTBB community, both citizens and descendants, local and non-local. We only ask that you show your support of the Cultural Library and its programming by signing up as a library patron. The Summer Reading Challenge runs from June 1st through July 20th, 2019.

For the youth and teen reading challenge, there are four age groups: 3-6 years old, 7-9 years old, 10-12 years old and 13-17



years old. All reading counts, and audiobooks count, too! For young or struggling readers, adults may assist with reading. We have incentive prizes for top readers in each age group, including gift certificates for pizza, ice cream, movies and more.

For the adult summer reading, there is a BINGO reading challenge. Youth/teen registration forms and reading logs, and adult BINGO forms are available from the Odawa Trails newsletter, the Cultural Library and

from the LTBB website. Let's challenge ourselves and encourage one another to make reading a part of each day!

Please contact the Cultural Library at 231-242-1487 or ltb-culturalibrary@gmail.com if you have suggestions for more reading challenges, ideas for incentive prizes for reading challenges or new titles to add to the collection. All suggestions are welcome. Happy reading!

Courtesy photos.

ORAL HISTORY INTERVIEW WORKSHOP
\$250 Compensation
 -Introduction to Oral History-
 -Interview Planning & HOW-TO-
 -Legal and Ethical Concerns-
 -Practice Interviews-
 -After the Interview-
 Saturday, June 22nd
 Location: WOCTEP LABEP computer lab

AUDIO/VISUAL STORYTELLING WORKSHOP
 July 20th, 27th, 28th
 -Camera Recording and Essentials-
 -Sound Design-
 -Audio recording-
 -Lighting-
 -Scene Setup-
 -Audio Visual Editing-
 PARTICIPANTS WILL BE REQUIRED TO ATTEND BOTH WORKSHOPS AND COMPLETE A MINIMUM OF ONE ORAL HISTORY INTERVIEW WITH THE ASSISTANCE OF A PROFESSIONAL FILMMAKER
 CONTACT THE CULTURAL LIBRARY AT 231-242-1487

Tribal Education System (TES) Community Committee Meetings

Wenesh pii?
 2nd Monday of each month in 2019:
 June 10

Aapiish?
 LTBB Governmental Building
 Commons Area
 7500 Odawa Circle
 Harbor Springs, MI 49770

Aaniish Epiichaak?
 5:30-7:30pm

Everyone welcome!
 Come join the planning of our future tribal school! Bring a shareable snack if you'd like & feast bags are encouraged!
 Stay informed through joining our Facebook group!
 Search: "LTBB Tribal Education System"
 Contact us for more information!

ADULTS: READ THROUGH JULY 20TH FOR BOOK BINGO!

Submitted by the Cultural Library

Rules:
 1) Sign up for a LTBB library card number (local and non-local, tribal and non-tribal).
 2) One book can be used to fill multiple spaces.
 3) Each BINGO (vertical, horizontal, or diagonal) receives one entry into prize drawing, but you are only eligible to win ONE prize.
 4) Turn in BINGO card to Cultural Library by Monday, July 22nd, by 3:00 p.m. to enter the prize

Prizes:
 ♦ \$25 gift card to McLean & Eakin Booksellers
 ♦ One pair of movie tickets (\$18.50 value)
 ♦ \$15 gift card to Kilwin's
 ♦ \$10 gift card to Subway

Book BINGO begins June 1st. BINGO cards available at the LTBB website (ltbbodawa-nsn.gov) and at the Cultural Library. Call 231-242-1487 with questions.

Starting winter semester, WOCTEP will offer assistance with the following programs through our partnership with Bay Mills Community College:

- ♦ Associate of Arts Early Childhood Education
- ♦ Associate of Arts Business Administration
- ♦ Associate of Applied Science Construction Technology
- ♦ Associate of Applied Science Computer Information Systems
- ♦ Medical Office Certificate

WOCTEP offers Financial Assistance!

- ♦ Tuition Assistance
- ♦ Textbook and required course materials Assistance
- ♦ Mileage Assistance
- ♦ Hourly Stipend (based on household income)
- ♦ Examination/qualification fee Assistance

In addition to WOCTEP Financial assistance, Native WOCTEP students may be eligible for Board of Regents Tuition Award at BMCC.

WOCTEP is funded by the US Department of Education through the NACTEP program. Federal funds contribute to 90% of funding (\$448,744) and tribal support of 10% (\$50,108) for project year 1 (2019) budget.

Starting winter semester, WOCTEP will offer assistance with the following programs through our partnership with North Central Michigan College:

- Computer Numerically Controlled (CNC) Certificate of Development
- Medical Billing and Coding Certificate of Development
- Medical Assistant Certificate
- Phlebotomy Certificate of Development
- Computer Information Services (AAS)
- Computer Support Specialist Certificate
- Basic EMS Certificate of Development
- Criminal Justice (AAS)

LTBB EDUCATION'S TEXT MESSAGE ALERTS

Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians 1h ago

- Want to be updated everytime there is an event?
- Stay updated with our text message alerts!
- Receive information on events, news, updates and more...

Text one of the keywords listed below to 33222 in order to sign up for updates from that department!

LTBB— General updates from the Education Dept. & the Cultural Library.
 WIOA— Updates from WIOA: Employment and Training Services.
 WOCTEP— Updates from Waganakising Odawa Career and Technical Education Program.
 K12— Updates from LTBB K-12 Services.
 HIGHERED— Updates from Higher Educational Services.
 CULTURAL— Updates from Cultural Services.
 *Standard messaging & data rates may apply.

PORTMAN'S HOME RUN CLEAN-OUTS
 CHARLEVOIX MICHIGAN 49720
 PHONE: 231-622-6202 ~ CELL: 231-330-6773
 LICENSED & INSURED

We have several years of experience in maintenance/cleaning services. We understand the importance of what it takes to get a property in shape, time is of the essence. So let Portman's Home Run Clean-outs get started, call us today so the bases can be covered and no one strikes out.

Services Provided:
 Handyman /General Repairs
 Residential/Commercial Cleaning
 Carpet & Vinyl (Removal)
 Construction Cleanup
 Debris Removal (interior, exterior)
 Interior Painting
 Spring/Fall Cleanup
 Snow Removal Service
 Before & After Photos



A Library Book	A Paperback	A Book with Magic	Read a Book Outside	A Book That Became a Movie
A Book You Own	Read a Banned Book	A Hardcover Book	A Book out of Your Comfort Zone	A Book Set in Summer
A Non-fiction Book	An Audiobook	FREE	A Book by a Local Author	Recommended by a Family Member
Read for an Hour without Stopping	Read a Young Adult Novel	Read under a Tree	Read a Book Based on Its Cover	An Ebook
A Book by a New-to-You Author	A Book with Water on the Cover	A Book Published in the Last Year	A Book that Won an Award	Read while Sitting Next to Someone

Summer Reading Challenge Begins June 1st

ALL Reading Counts!

- * Magazines
- * Graphic Novels
- * Audiobooks



Prizes for top three readers in each age group:

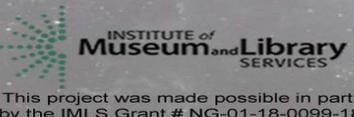
- 3-6 yrs old
- 7-9 yrs old
- 10-12 yrs old
- 13-17 yrs old

Open to all LTBB youth, teens, citizens & descendants. Local & non-local.

Registration forms & reading logs available in the Odawa Trails, on the LTBB website and at the Cultural Library.

Questions? Call 231-242-1487 or e-mail

LTBBculturalLibrary@gmail.com



This project was made possible in part by the IMLS Grant # NG-01-18-0099-18



Use your resume' to rise to the top!

Resume' Workshop Series

JULY 18TH 12PM-1PM
PETOSKEY PUBLIC LIBRARY

JUNE 26TH 12PM-1PM
LTBB GOV CENTER-WOCTEP LAB
ADDITIONAL SESSIONS TBA

AS PRESENTED BY:

CHRISTOPHER POLASKY
WOCTEP DIRECTOR

RACHAEL KOEPP
EMPLOYMENT & TRAINING SPECIALIST

KERSTINE BENNINGTON
HIGHER EDUCATION SPECIALIST



QUESTIONS? CONTACT THE EDUCATION DEPT AT 231-242-1492

LTBB Cultural Library summer Reading Registration

Name: _____

Age: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Reading totals must be turned in by July 22nd by 3pm to be counted. Totals can be given in person, by e-mail or called in.



LTBB Cultural Library
7500 Odawa Circle
Harbor Springs, MI 49740
231-242-1487
ltbbculturalibrary@gmail.com



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Helping Native Americans achieve self-sufficiency through employment and training opportunities in 28 counties throughout Michigan.

Examples of Services Provided:

- Help with job search & placement
- Development of an Individual Employment Plan
- Opportunities for classroom training
- Assistance for entrepreneurs and small business related costs
- Financial assistance for education and employment related costs.

For more information, contact Rachael Koepp at 231-242-1488 or e-mail rkoep@ltbbodawa-nsn.gov

LTBB of Odawa Indians is the recipient of this grant under the Department of Labor (DOL). In accordance with the Jobs for Veterans Act, WIOA

LTBB Cultural Library 2019 Summer Reading Challenge Book Log

Name: _____ Age: _____

Book Title	Minutes Read	Total
1. _____	___ + ___ + ___ + ___ =	_____
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21. _____	___ + ___ + ___ + ___ =	_____
22. _____	___ + ___ + ___ + ___ =	_____
23. _____	___ + ___ + ___ + ___ =	_____
24. _____	___ + ___ + ___ + ___ =	_____
25. _____	___ + ___ + ___ + ___ =	_____

Please Return Reading Log to Library by Monday, July 22, 2019



Scholarship Opportunities

To view scholarship opportunities for the 2018-2019 academic year, please visit Higher Education Programs on the LTBB website www.ltbbodawa-nsn.gov. All descendants must be documented at the time of application. For more information, contact Higher Education Specialist Kerstine Bennington at 231-242-1492.



The Shirley Naganashe Oldman Secondary Education Completion Award recognizes your academic achievements as an LTBB tribal member. This program has been developed to promote the completion of secondary education programs. The Shirley Naganashe Oldman Completion Award, in the amount of \$100, will be awarded to LTBB tribal members who complete a secondary education program. In order to receive this award, a copy of your official transcript, copy of high school diploma, GED certificate or certificate of completion MUST be submitted.

Award applications can be found online, in person at the Education office or mailed per request (contact Education at 231-242-1480).



STAY CONNECTED!
Text "HigherEd" to 33222 to receive LTBB Higher Education updates and deadline reminders. Standard data and msg rates apply.

EDUCATION IS THE GREATEST TOOL OF THE TRADE!

NEED FUNDING FOR VOCATIONAL SCHOOL?

THE ADULT VOCATIONAL TRAINING (AVT) SCHOLARSHIP PROVIDES ASSISTANCE TOWARDS THE COMPLETION OF A CERTIFICATE OR LICENSE LEADING TO AN INDUSTRY-RECOGNIZED CREDENTIAL.

APPLICATIONS CAN BE FOUND ONLINE AT LTBBODAWA-NSN.GOV OR ON HAND AT THE EDUCATION DEPT.

Questions? Contact us at (231) 242-1492 or highereducation@ltbbodawa-nsn.gov

HUMAN SERVICES DEPARTMENT

NATIONAL FOSTER CARE MONTH CELEBRATED IN MAY



May was National Foster Care Month, and the Little Traverse Bay Bands Department of Human Services would like to extend a heartfelt "thank you" to all of our past and present foster care homes. These families have opened their hearts and homes to our children in times of crisis. It is because of the willingness of

a few that we have been able to keep our youth in the community when out-of-home placement is necessary. This has assisted with reunification efforts, consistency (i.e. remaining in same city/town, schools, etc.) and familiarity (i.e. placement with family or community member). Chi miigwech for everything you have done to protect our most precious resource, our youth.

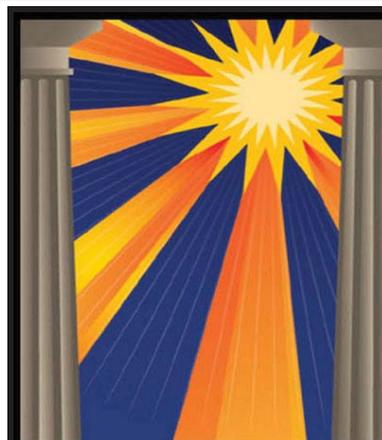
The Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Department of Human Services continues to actively seek anyone who may be interested in providing a safe and stable home for tribal children. There are families that may offer just overnight relief, and there are other families that provide homes for our children for up to a week or up to one year or more. We have also had families in the past that are interested in foster care with the intent to

adopt.

Families helping families is a traditional way of Native American nations of all types. Historically, children were raised by a village and protected by a village. The families of Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians are precious and have every right to be preserved. Please help preserve our family traditions and cultures by inquiring to become a foster parent today. The DHS staff will help guide prospective foster parents through the licensing process as LTBB licenses their own foster homes.

If you or someone you know is interested in learning more about what it takes to become a foster home, please call the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Department of Human Services office at 231-242-1620 for inquiries or questions.

Courtesy graphic.



Honoring Our Past. Creating Hope for the Future.

WE CAN HELP

Victim service providers help victims rebuild their lives. We can help you learn about your legal rights and options, cope with the impact of crime, access victim compensation, develop a safety plan, and navigate the criminal justice and social service systems.

DIRECT SERVICES FOR VICTIMS

- Childhelp National Child Abuse Hotline
800-4-A-CHILD
- Cyber Civil Rights Initiative
844-878-2274
- Love Is Respect
866-331-9474, TTY 866-331-8453
- Mothers Against Drunk Driving
877-MADD-HELP
- National Domestic Violence Hotline
800-799-SAFE, TTY 800-787-3224
- National Human Trafficking Hotline
888-373-7888, TTY 711
- National Runaway Safeline
800-RUNAWAY
- Parents of Murdered Children, Inc.
888-818-POMC
- Rape, Abuse, & Incest National Network
800-656-HOPE
- Pathways to Safety International
833-SAFE-833
- StrongHearts Native Helpline
844-7NATIVE
- National Suicide Prevention Lifeline
800-273-8255, TTY 800-799-4889
- The Trevor Project
866-488-7386
- Veterans Crisis Line
800-273-8255 x1, TTY 800-799-4889

INFO & REFERRALS FOR VICTIMS

- Battered Women's Justice Project
Legal Helpline
800-903-0111 x1, TTY 711
- Bureau of Indian Affairs, Indian Country
Child Abuse Hotline
800-633-5155
- Federal Trade Commission Identity
Theft Hotline
877-FTC-HELP, TTY 866-653-4261
- National Center for Missing &
Exploited Children
800-THE-LOST®
- Substance Abuse and Mental Health
Services Administration Helpline
800-662-HELP, TTY 800-487-4889
- VictimConnect Resource Center
855-4-VICTIM

JUNE 2019 FOOD DISTRIBUTION PROGRAM SCHEDULE

Open Distribution: 10th - 14th from 9am - 3pm

Call 231-881-2855 or 231-347-2573 for food pick-up appointments outside of our Open Distribution Week

828 Charlevoix Ave. Petoskey, MI 49770 Behind Fletch's Auto

Deliveries:

Local: 6th and 7th

Peshawbestown: 19th

Traverse City: 25th

For more information, contact Food Distribution Program Specialist Joe VanAlstine at 231-347-2573



DO YOU QUALIFY FOR THE LTBB U.S.D.A. FOOD DISTRIBUTION PROGRAM?

Please call our office to see if we are able to help you!
Call Monday - Friday

8 am to 5 pm at 231-242-1620.

*food distribution varies depending on availability

IN ACCORDANCE WITH FEDERAL LAW AND U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE POLICY, THIS INSTITUTION IS PROHIBITED FROM DISCRIMINATING ON THE BASIS OF RACE, COLOR, NATIONAL ORIGIN, SEX, AGE, RELIGION, POLITICAL BELIEFS, OR DISABILITY. TO FILE A COMPLAINT OF DISCRIMINATION, WRITE USDA, DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF CIVIL RIGHTS, ROOM 326-W, WHITTEN BUILDING 1400 INDEPENDENCE AVENUE, S.W. WASHINGTON D.C. 20250-9410, OR CALL (202) 702-5964 (VOICE AND TDD). USDA IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY PROVIDER AND EMPLOYER.

LAW ENFORCEMENT DEPARTMENT

TRIBAL LAW ENFORCEMENT AND TRIBAL PROSECUTOR RECEIVE INSTRUCTION FROM ASSISTANT UNITED STATES ATTORNEY

Tribal Law Enforcement and the Tribal Prosecutor had an in-service Federal Legal Update on May 15, 2019. Officers were instructed on changes in search and seizure, search warrant preparation, federal arrests, marijuana laws, sex offender registration, federal misdemeanor citations, grand juries,

firearms and case preparation.

The instruction was provided by the U.S. Attorney's Office in the Western District Office of Michigan by an Assistant United States Attorney (AUSA).

Photo by Pre-Press Graphic Specialist Wendy Congdon.



SEEKING: FOSTER HOMES

Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Department of Human Services is searching for foster homes!

If you, or someone you know, have the time and desire to become a foster parent for our youth, please contact the LTBB Department of Human Services at 231-242-1620

NEED HELP PAYING FOR CHILD CARE? WE CAN HELP!

APPLICANT DOCUMENTS

- ★ TRIBAL ID
- ★ SOCIAL SECURITY CARDS FOR ALL HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS
- ★ 30 DAYS PROOF OF INCOME FOR ALL HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS
- ★ SUPERVISOR SIGNED WORK/SCHOOL SCHEDULE
- ★ PROVIDER AGREEMENT

LICENSED PROVIDERS

- ★ COPY OF STATE UNEXPIRED LICENSE

UNLICENSED PROVIDERS

- ★ STATE ISSUED ID
- ★ ABILITY TO PASS ANNUAL BACKGROUND CHECKS

LITTLE TRVERSE BAY BANDS OF ODAWA INDIANS DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES
911 SPRING STREET, PETOSKEY, MICHIGAN

SURVIVOR OUTREACH SERVICES

The LTBB Survivor Outreach Advocate administers Support Services and is located in the LTBB DHS office. Assistance is available to Native American women and children who are survivors of domestic or sexual violence as well as non-Native intimate partners and their families.

Assistance may include the following:
Non-Emergency Transportation Assistance ~ Assistance with Personal Protection Orders ~ Problem Solving and Safety Planning ~ Emergency Food Vouchers ~ Advocacy and Referrals ~ Court Accompaniment ~ Relocation Assistance ~ Clothing / Toiletries

Please call LTBB Survivor Outreach Services at 231-242-1620, Monday - Friday, from 8 am to 5 pm

Support for domestic abuse or sexual assault is also available at the Women's Resource Center of Northern Michigan 24-hour crisis and information line at 231-347-0082 or for long distance callers 1-800-275-1995.

"THIS DOCUMENT WAS DEVELOPED BY THE LITTLE TRVERSE BAY BANDS OF ODAWA INDIANS SURVIVOR OUTREACH SERVICES SUPPORTED BY GRANT No. 2012-TW-AX-0034 AWARDED BY THE OFFICE ON VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE. THE OPINIONS, FINDINGS, CONCLUSIONS, AND RECOMMENDATIONS EXPRESSED IN THIS PUBLICATION/PROGRAM/EXHIBITION ARE THOSE OF THE AUTHOR(S) AND DO NOT NECESSARILY REFLECT THE VIEWS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, OFFICE ON VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN."

WELL AND SEPTIC ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

We can provide you with a new well and/or septic system for your new construction OR if your current well and/or septic system is deficient, we can help.

Please call the LTBB Housing Department at 231-242-1540 to find out more about how you can get a free well and septic system or replace your current system.

Please be aware it takes approximately 3 to 4 months to gain federal approval of your application.



BERRIES 5 WAYS



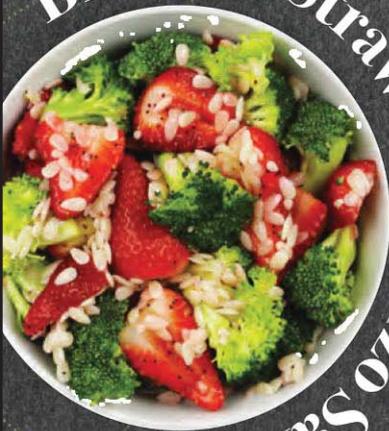
WHAT YOU'LL NEED:

- + Frozen raspberries
- + Lowfat milk
- + Greek yogurt (lowfat)
- + Uncooked rolled oats
- + Honey
- + Vanilla extract
- + Cinnamon

Overnight Oats & Berries



Broccoli Strawberry Orzo Salad



WHAT YOU'LL NEED:

- + Orzo pasta
- + Broccoli
- + Strawberries
- + Sunflower seeds
- + Poppy seeds
- + Lemon juice
- + Apple cider vinegar
- + Olive oil
- + Sugar

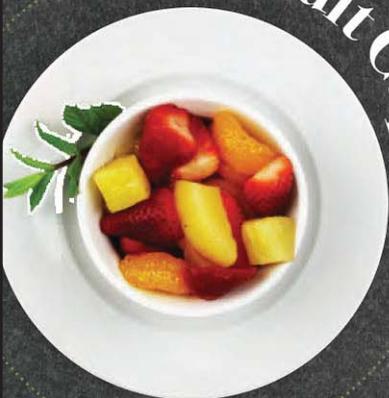
Fabulous Fruit Muffins



WHAT YOU'LL NEED:

- + Flour
- + Sugar
- + Baking powder
- + Buttermilk (lowfat)
- + Margarine
- + Egg
- + Vanilla extract
- + Frozen strawberries

Spicy Fruit Cup



WHAT YOU'LL NEED:

- + Strawberries
- + Mandarin oranges
- + Pears
- + Orange juice
- + Pineapple chunks
- + Cinnamon
- + Nutmeg

Very Berry Smoothie



WHAT YOU'LL NEED:

- + Frozen strawberries
- + Frozen raspberries
- + Banana
- + Milk (lowfat)
- + Ice

Find these berry recipes here: <https://go.usa.gov/x59VS>
For more recipes go to: www.whatscooking.fns.usda.gov






CNC Courses available!

Call 231-439-6265 for more information.



North Central MICHIGAN COLLEGE
It's what matters!



Financial assistance is available.
Contact SEEDS Project Director at 231-242-1579.

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2019-2020 SCHOLARSHIP CYCLES OPENING!

Check out the updated list of outside scholarships that are available on the LTBB website. The list will be updated monthly!



MICHELLE CHINGWA EDUCATION HONORARIUM (MCEH)

THE MCEH ACT IS ENACTED TO PROVIDE A GIFT TO TRIBAL CITIZENS THAT ARE OBTAINING POST-SECONDARY EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES.



HONORARIUMS ARE SENT DIRECTLY TO THE STUDENT



STUDENTS ARE ELIGIBLE TO USE THE MCEH WHILE ATTENDING FOREIGN INSTITUTIONS



STUDENTS ARE NO LONGER REQUIRED TO COMPLETE THE FAFSA

IMPORTANT DEADLINES

October 1st	February 15th	June 15th
FALL	WINTER/ SPRING	SUMMER

*Deadline for non-standard terms are 30 days after the start of classes.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA FOR MCEH

		^ 2.0	
LTBB TRIBAL CITIZEN	ENROLLED IN AN ACCREDITED SCHOOL	CUMULATIVE GPA OF 2.0 OR ABOVE	COMPLETE MCEH SUBMISSION

Ngododeziwin Ninjiinh Ngamwin (older sister, older brother version)

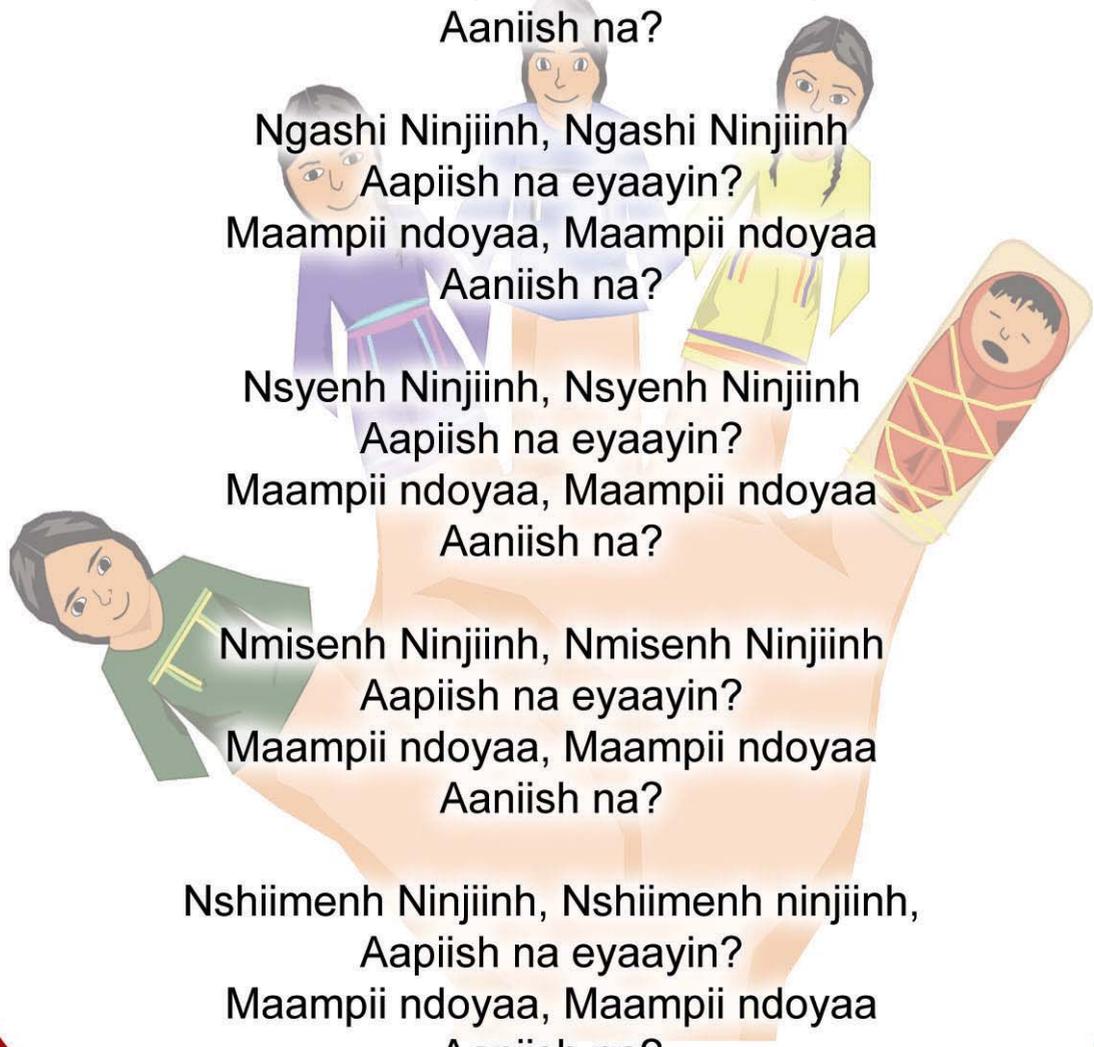
Nos Ninjiinh, Nos ninjiinh
Aapiish na eyaayin?
Maampii ndoyaa, Maampii ndoyaa
Aaniish na?

Ngashi Ninjiinh, Ngashi Ninjiinh
Aapiish na eyaayin?
Maampii ndoyaa, Maampii ndoyaa
Aaniish na?

Nsyenh Ninjiinh, Nsyenh Ninjiinh
Aapiish na eyaayin?
Maampii ndoyaa, Maampii ndoyaa
Aaniish na?

Nmisenh Ninjiinh, Nmisenh Ninjiinh
Aapiish na eyaayin?
Maampii ndoyaa, Maampii ndoyaa
Aaniish na?

Nshiimenh Ninjiinh, Nshiimenh ninjiinh,
Aapiish na eyaayin?
Maampii ndoyaa, Maampii ndoyaa
Aaniish na?



Ngododeziwin Ninjiinh Ngamwin (older sister, older brother version)

Vocabulary

- Ngododeziwin - My family
- Ninjiinh - Finger
- Ngamwin - Song
- Nos - Father/Daddy
- Ngashi - Mother/Mommy
- Nsyenh - My older brother
- Nmisenh - My older sister
- Nshiimenh - My younger sibling
- Aapiish na eyaayin? - Where are you?
- Maampii ndoyaa, - I am here.
- Aaniish na? - How are you?



Ebiimoshin (modern phrase to say "e-mail me")

Bibezhik Kidwin E-mail List - One word at a time - E-mails sent of a single word or phrase with MP3 audio sound attached.
Anishinaabemowin E-mail List: In addition to the Bibezhik Kidwin e-mails, you'll also receive occasional e-mails regarding Anishinaabemowin Language such as announcements of Language or Cultural Activities, Classes, Events or General Information and News.

Send us an e-mail, and we'll add you to the "Bibezhik Kidwin E-mail List" or the "Anishinaabemowin E-mail List."
Carla Osawamick (McFall) at cosawamick@ltbbodawa-nsn.gov

LTBB Anishinaabemowin

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Gijigowi Anishinaabemowin Language Department hosts Facebook Group called "LTBB Anishinaabemowin."

We will post materials for language learning, announcements and flyers. Materials will be accessible on the group page under the "Photos" tab or the "Files" tab. PowerPoints with audio and PDF's are downloadable.

- Search our name and "Join."
- Add your family and friends.
- Post Comments and Language Items.

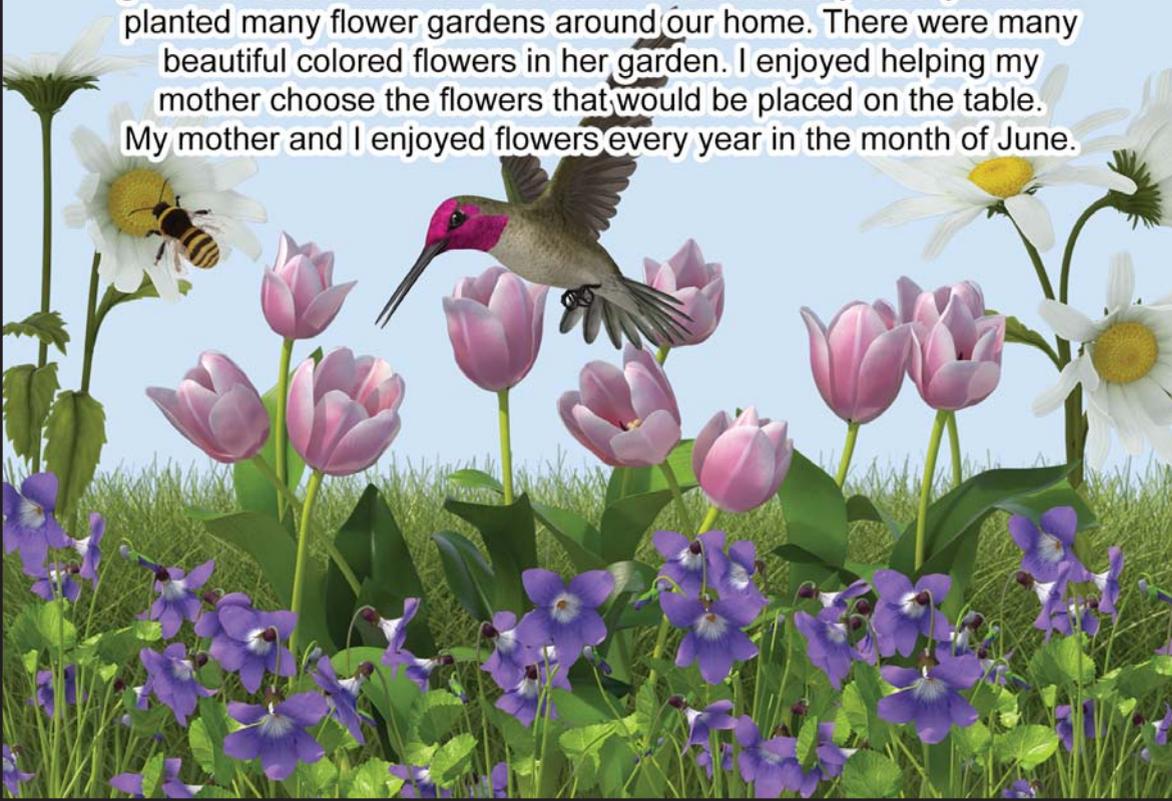
For more information, contact Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians, Gijigowi Anishinaabemowin Language Department at 231-242-1457 or toll free 1-866-652-5822 or e-mail LangTech@ltbbodawa-nsn.gov

Waabgonii Giizis – June



Mii maanda pii aapji mnoging kina gegoo ezaakiimgag gojiing, nemdage gwa waawaaskonesan. Aapji Ngashiba giiminwaangozi kitigaadang waawaaskonesan. Gbeyiing giinokiitanan kitigaanenhsan ensa niibing wiiginaajwang'gin. Nwaanj ngoji giikitige giitaayiing endaa'aang. Aapji giiminwaandeenon waawaaskonesan nwaanj ezhinaagook do'kitigaaning. Ngiipshigendaan Ngashi naadmowaak wenaamdang waawaaskonesan giji-dopwin waatoojin. Ngashiba minwaa niin n'giipshigendanaanin waawaaskonesan ensa Waabgonii Giizis.

This is when everything is blooming beautifully outside, especially the flowers. My mother was an avid gardener with her flower gardens. She worked hard to maintain their beauty each year. She planted many flower gardens around our home. There were many beautiful colored flowers in her garden. I enjoyed helping my mother choose the flowers that would be placed on the table. My mother and I enjoyed flowers every year in the month of June.



Message: Bibezhik Kidwin ~ One Word at a Time. AUDIO ATTACHED

LTBB Gijigowi Anishinaabemowin Language Department would like to add you to our Bibezhik Kidwin e-mail list. A word or phrase is sent each work day and includes mp3 audio, so you can hear the word sounded out. Just another little tool to learn and practice Anishinaabe Language! To be added to the list, e-mail [Carla Osawamick at carla.osawamick@ltbbodawa-nsn.gov](mailto:carla.osawamick@ltbbodawa-nsn.gov)

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NATIVE NEWS

GATHERING OF NATIONS Pow Wow 2019

Both Miss Odawa Nation Aryana Robinson and Junior Miss Odawa Nation Zailyn TwoCrow attended the Gathering of Nations Pow Wow in Albuquerque, NM, in April 2019.

Aryana and her father, Henry, flew to New Mexico while Zailyn TwoCrow and her family drove

there.

The TwoCrow family chronicled some of their trip at <https://tinyurl.com/jrmissodawagon>. Here are some of their photos from their trips. *Courtesy photos.*



AQUA FITNESS CLASSES

With Swim Instructor Sheran Patton

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BEGINNING JANUARY 15, 2019
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ODAWA CASINO RESORT EMPLOYEES GIVE BACK TO THE LOCAL COMMUNITY

The team at Odawa Casino Resort in Petoskey, MI, made a \$250 donation to Hospice of Northwest Michigan on May 1, 2019, and made a \$250 donation to Brave Hearts Estate on May 5, 2019.

Team members participate in "jeans day" twice a month by donation, and then decide which organization they would like the proceeds to benefit. Thanks to our wonderful team members for taking part and helping great causes!

For more information about Hospice of Northwest Michigan, visit www.hospicenwm.org

For more information about Brave Hearts Estate, visit <https://injuredsoldiers.org/wordpress/brave-hearts-estates/>

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QUESTIONS?
 Contact our Human Resources team at 231.439.5380

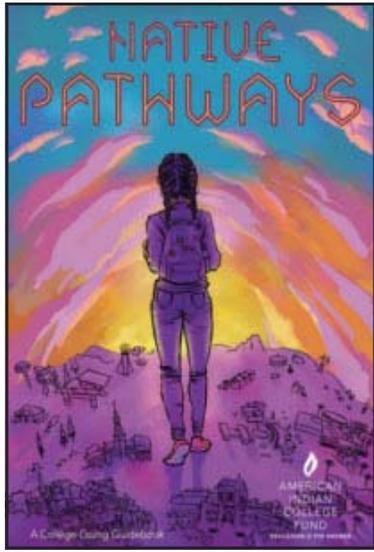
Information is subject to change. Please speak with an Odawa Casino Human Resources representative for specifics on each item. Benefits, PTO and Personal Time does accrue during your introductory period and becomes available after your first 90 days.

AMERICAN INDIAN COLLEGE FUND PUBLISHES FREE COLLEGE-GOING STUDENT GUIDE

Editor's note: The following is an American Indian College Fund press release dated May 2, 2019.

The American Indian College Fund, with generous support from the Andrew Mellon Foundation, is publishing an invaluable tool for Native American high school students seeking higher education. Native Pathways: A College-Going Guidebook provides content related to how to get into college, choose a school, pay for it and what to expect the first year in a way that speaks to Native cultures and experiences as students consider attending college.

In addition to content specific to student needs and culture, Native artists and designers contributed to the book. Jonathon Nelson, a member of the Navajo nation from Hogback, NM, who currently resides in Denver, designed the cover, titled, "Kindred Mocs." Nelson's work is featured at www.badwinds.com. Photos by Matika Wilbur, from the Swinomish and Tulalip Tribes of Washington, were included. Wilbur is the creator of Project 562, a project dedicated to pho-



tographing the more than 562 federally recognized tribes in the United States. Amanda Chero-miah, who is Pueblo from Laguna, also provided photos.

The guidebook was created as part of the Native Pathways to College Program, also funded by the Andrew W. Mellon Foundation. The College Fund launched the program to meet the needs of tribal communities and in response to the college-going and completion crisis amongst Native American and Alaska Native students. Research shows the national rate of all students going

to college within six months of graduating from high school is 70%. For Native American and Alaska Native students, those numbers are closer to 20%.

The College Fund knows that education improves the lives of individuals, their families and entire communities, yet merely providing scholarships to help students pay for college is not enough for Native students to succeed. To create a college-going culture, the College Fund initiated the program, working with high school students, first-year students and two-year college students seeking to continue their education at a four-year school. With a \$2.5 million grant renewal from the Andrew W. Mellon Foundation, the College Fund will be able to continue efforts to increase college access and success.

Students, school counselors and others can download the book for free on the College Fund's website. Hard copies may be available for some high schools. Please send an e-mail to nativepathways@collegefund.org for more information.

Courtesy graphic.

THE NOTTAWASEPPI HURON BAND OF THE POTAWATOMI SWEARS IN NEWLY ELECTED TRIBAL COUNCIL MEMBER

Editor's note: The following is a Nottawaseppi Huron Band of the Potawatomi press release dated May 17, 2019.

The Nottawaseppi Huron Band of the Potawatomi (NHBP) issued the oath of office today (May 17, 2019) to newly elected Tribal Council Member Nancy Smit at the Pine Creek Indian Reservation in Fulton, MI. The NHBP Tribal Council will keep the officers' appointments the same as prior to the 2019 election. Jamie Stuck will serve as Chairperson, Dorie Rios as Vice Chairperson, Nancy Smit as Secretary, Jeff Chivis, Ph.D., as Treasurer, and Homer A. Mandoka as Sergeant-at-Arms.

"I am proud to be able to continue to serve on Tribal Council with Tribal Elder Nancy Smit," Stuck said. "I'm confident that her relations with FireKeepers Casino Hotel, as well as her experience serving on several NHBP committees and as appointed Tribal Council Secretary, will be valuable assets for the Tribe."

Smit graduated with a Bachelor of Arts in American Indian Studies from Bemidji State University, a Master of Arts from Briercrest Biblical Seminary with an emphasis in Marriage and Family Counselling and holds a Master's degree in social work from Western Michigan University. She has served on a variety of NHBP committees for more than 15 years. Smit worked for FireKeepers Casino Hotel from 2013 to 2018, most recently as Team



Member Relations Supervisor, and was appointed to serve as Tribal Council Secretary in August 2018.

Stuck, of Scotts, MI, has served on Tribal Council since 2006. Rios, of Battle Creek, MI, has served on Tribal Council since 2010. Smit, of Battle Creek, MI, although recently elected, served one previous term as Tribal Council Secretary and was appointed in August 2018 to serve as Tribal Council Secretary. Chivis, of Middleville, MI, has served on Tribal Council since 2017. Mandoka, of Bronson, MI, has served on Tribal Council since 2002.

Pictured left to right in the courtesy photo are NHBP Tribal Council Vice Chairperson Dorie Rios, Secretary Nancy Smit, Treasurer Jeff Chivis, Ph.D., Chairperson Jamie Stuck and Sergeant-at-Arms Homer A. Mandoka.

LTBB AWARDED PETOSKEY-HARBOR SPRINGS COMMUNITY FOUNDATION GRANT



Petoskey-Harbor Springs Area community foundation

Included in its Spring 2019 grant cycle, the Petoskey-Harbor Springs Community Foundation awarded the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians (LTBB) with a \$10,452 grant to teach children science, history and Odawa culture with Lake Stur-

geon in the classroom.

For the last six years, LTBB has provided local classrooms with a fish tank and a young Lake Sturgeon—a culturally significant fish to LTBB. Students care for the fish throughout the school year while taking part in multiple science-based lessons centered on the fish. In caring for it, students connect science, history and LTBB culture as it relates to Lake Sturgeon. However, the current fish tanks require a lot of maintenance and do not provide an ideal environment for Lake Sturgeon to thrive. Many classroom fish have died due to problems with the tanks, which is frustrating for teachers and disappointing for students who have bonded with the fish. A grant to this project will help LTBB purchase new and improved tanks for this unique program.

Courtesy graphic.

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Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Elders Commission ~ 2019 Meeting Schedule

June 5, July 3, August 7
September 4, October 2
November 6, December 4, 2019

All meetings to be held at the LTBB Governmental Center, Room 312, at 5 pm.

The Little River Band of Ottawa Indians

Invites you to the 26th Annual 2019 Anishinaabe Family Language & Culture Camp



Friday, July 26:
Waabini Manidookewin (Sunrise Ceremony)
12:00pm Lunch
1:15pm - 5:00pm Presentations/Workshops
5:00pm Dinner
7:00pm Talent show

Saturday, July 27:
Waabini Manidookewin (Sunrise Ceremony)
8:00am Breakfast
9:00am - 12:00pm Presentations/Workshops
12:00pm Lunch
1:15pm - 5:00pm Presentations/Workshops
5:00pm Dinner
7:00pm Memorial Jiingtamok (Pow wow)

Sunday, July 28:
Waabini Manidookewin (Sunrise Ceremony)
8:00am Breakfast
9:00am - 12:00pm Presentations/Workshops
12:00pm Lunch, Giveaway & Closing

- No Registration Fee
- Meals Provided
- Camping available (first come, first serve)
- On-site Restrooms & Bath house
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- "Celebrating the Unity of Our Language & Culture"
- For the sunrise ceremony, please dress appropriately (women wear long skirts) and respectfully for all.
- We politely ask that English be the second language used at this camp.
- Bring your Nation's Flag and a Giveaway Gift
- The agenda and other information will be posted as soon as possible; please visit www.lrbol-nsn.gov or www.anishinaabemdaa.com for updates. Some presentations/workshops may include: cultural teachings, traditional medicines, craft making, games, language learning, etc.

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American Indian Pre-college Camp

July 7—July 17, 2019

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TC ENERGY ANNOUNCES DELAY IN KEYSTONE XL CONSTRUCTION, INDIGENOUS NATIONS FIGHTING BACK CITED AS PART OF THE REASON

Editor's note: The following is an Indigenous Environmental Network (IEN) press release dated May 3, 2019.



TC Energy (formally TransCanada) announced at a shareholders meeting today (May 3, 2019) that it will be unable to begin construction on the Keystone XL pipeline in 2019. The company cited "ongoing legal challenges" as the reason for losing the 2019 construction season.

The Indigenous Environmental Network (IEN) is one of the groups that have an active lawsuit against the President of the United States for an illegal approval of Keystone XL construction. IEN, along with the North Coast Rivers Alliance (NCRA), had won a previous lawsuit for the federal approval of the tar sands project. On April 23, 2019, the Rosebud Sioux Tribe and Fort Belknap

Indian Nations, represented by the Native American Rights Fund, filed an amended complaint against TransCanada and President Trump over the handling of the Keystone XL pipeline citing the company did not follow tribal law among other concerns.

Of further note, TC Energy has stated that although they will not be doing construction in 2019, they will be pursuing pre-construction activities along the route.

The following quotes are from the Indigenous Environmental Network:

Dallas Goldtooth, IEN Keep it in the Ground Campaigner, said: "Indigenous communities across Turtle Island have made it clear we will no longer allow dirty energy and Big Oil to trespass on our lands, communities, and bodies. Our treaties and inherent rights must be respected. We will continue to fight Big Oil on the frontlines and in the courtroom for as long as needed because Mother Earth depends

on it. The fight is not over, but this is a victory in this long battle to stop tar sands at the source."

Joye Braun, IEN Frontline Community Organizer, Cheyenne River Sioux Nation, said:

"We are thrilled that TC Energy, formerly TransCanada, has been stalled once again. Their shareholders decided the right course to withhold moving forward during this year's construction period. For our homelands across the Oceti Sakowin or Great Sioux Nation and indeed the many tribal lands along the proposed KXL route, this is great news. We will continue to raise awareness of the numerous problems this project presents; the threat to sacred sites, to our waters, homelands, and the many people along the route. We will defeat this zombie pipeline as we have done in the past. Despite threats of pre-construction, our spirit is strong and we stand ready to continue fighting for the next seven generations."

Courtesy graphic.

AMERICAN INDIAN COLLEGE FUND TO CONTINUE COLLEGE ACCESS AND SUCCESS PROGRAM WITH \$2.5 MILLION, THREE-YEAR GRANT

Editor's note: The following is an American Indian College Fund press release dated April 25, 2019.

Native American and Alaska Native students are in a college-going and completion crisis. Research shows the national rate of all students going to college within six months of graduation after high school is 70%. For Native American and Alaska Native students, those numbers are closer to 20%.

The American Indian College Fund knows that education improves the lives of individuals, their families and entire communities, yet scholarships are not enough for student success. It needed to create a college-going culture with prospective students to ensure the transition to college and support them while in college. Thanks to a \$2.5 million grant renewal for 36 months from the Andrew W. Mellon Foundation, the College Fund will continue its work to increase college access and success through the College Fund's Native Pathways to College Program.



The College Fund's Pathways program is divided into four components working with students. The High School Admissions Pathway program works to increase the college-going rate of Native Pathways participants closer to the national college going rate. The College Bridge Pathway works to bring Tribal College and Universities (TCUs) and area high schools together to help prepare students for the academic and social environments at college. The Tribal College Transfer Pathway aims to increase the retention rate of TCU students, increase the number of TCU graduates and increase the number TCU graduates transferring to a four-year institution. The Student Success Pathway will support successful transition and increase retention of students who transition into a new institution of higher educa-

tion.

The program will continue its work in broadening a college culture and college completion at more schools across the nation with the goal of working with 90 reservation-based high schools and 30 TCUs in 11 states, impacting approximately 16,000 students. The College Fund will provide training materials and will work with students, staff and community members on college access workshops, coaching and events.

Cheryl Crazy Bull, President and CEO of the American Indian College Fund, said, "The College Fund and the Andrew Mellon Foundation share a vision of equity that emerges when young people see themselves as having an education that leads to a better life. Engaged, active citizenship rooted in Native identity is our goal. We know that all of society benefits from healthy communities, diverse knowledge, and improved economies. We are pleased that the Andrew W. Mellon Foundation looks beyond the academy to the future of our society in our youth."

Courtesy photo.

COMMUNITY SPIRIT AWARDS

By **Sarah Elisabeth Sawyer** (Choctaw Nation), Artist in Business Leadership Fellow 2015

Editor's note: The following is posted on the First Peoples Fund website and is reprinted here with permission.

The Jennifer Easton Community Spirit Awards recognize exceptional Native artists who have shown a lifetime commitment to perpetuating their art and sharing it within their communities. These practicing artists embody First Peoples Fund's core principles: Knowing our history and ourselves; honoring our ancestors and relations; sharing our stories and knowledge.

We are honored to announce the four recipients of the 2019 Community Spirit Awards: **George Martin** (Lac Courtes Band of Lake Superior Chippewa Indians), Margaret Nakak (Bering Straits),

Melissa Widner (White Earth) and Misco-binayshii (St. Croix Chippewa Indians of Wisconsin).

GEORGE MARTIN

TRIBE: Lac Courtes Oreilles Band of Lake Superior Chippewa Indians Hopkins, Michigan

Use only hardwood ashes when "ashing" the shucked corn kernels. Ashes from softwood, coal, leaves or trash are always taboo because the mandaamin (corn) will never separate from its shell.

These teachings in the ways of processing Indian corn to sustain his people were given to George by elders. In the 1960s, after 10 years in the United States Air Force, George moved his family to his wife's homeland near Hopkins, MI. Her mother, Gladys Sands, who lived with them, was a black ash basket weaver and knew the old ways of preparing Indian corn to eat. George credits Gladys for



teaching him the art. He also practices peyote stitch beadwork.

"My wife Sydney and I try to show others to live your culture, every day," George says. "Being an active elder in my

Anishinaabe community shows others to keep going. My kids, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren see me beading every day."

Tribes throughout the Great Lakes region, as well as colleges and universities, invite George to teach Indian corn making. He was featured on The Cooking Channel's "My Grandmother's Ravioli."

Lisa Linda Lee Tiger (Muscogee [Creek] Nation) nominated George for the Community Spirit Awards to recognize him for his 60-plus years as a beadwork artist, culinary artist, storyteller, men's traditional pow wow dancer and head veteran dancer, jewelry maker and mixed media artist.

"He is a cultural icon, and yet a humble man content to bead, make soup, and share knowledge and stories with his people," Lisa says.

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(What Time?)
Aapiish?: Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians
(Where?) Behavioral Health Dept.
"Walking the Red Road"

White Bison - Medicine Wheel & 12 Steps for Women - A White Bison Program

Moving?

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Forms are also available at www.ltbodawa-nsn.gov. Click on Offices/Government Center/Enrollment Department and click on the appropriate form. The adult form must be printed on legal size paper and the minor form on letter size paper. We will continue to add forms there in the future.

It is the responsibility of the parent, guardian or custodial parent to complete an address verification form.

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28th Annual Odawa Homecoming Pow-Wow

August 10 & 11, 2019
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LTBB Pow Wow Grounds
7500 Odawa Circle



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3rd - \$200

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1st - \$4,000
2nd - \$3,000
3rd - \$2,000
4th - \$1,000

Dance Contest:
Golden Age 50+ & Adult 18-49

1st - \$600
2nd - \$500
3rd - \$400

Teen 13-17
1st - \$300
2nd - \$200
3rd - \$100

Junior 7-12
1st - \$100
2nd - \$75
3rd - \$50

Host Drum – Tomahawk Circle
Head Veteran - George Martin
Arena Director - R.J. Smith
MC - Joey Awonohopay
Head Male Dance Judge - Travis Schuyler
Head Female Dance Judge – Jackie Klein
Head Dancers - TBD Per Session
Sound - Rezonance Productions

Junior Miss Odawa & Miss Odawa Contests
Dance, Drum and Hand Drum Contests

Check out www.odawahomecoming.com and on Facebook: Odawa Homecoming Pow Wow for the latest information.

For more information: Annette VanDeCar
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Junior Miss Odawa Nation

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Junior Miss Odawa 2019 to be crowned at the Odawa Homecoming Pow Wow Saturday, August 10th, 2019

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July 30- August 4, 2019

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<https://wasauksing.ca/2019-potawatomi-gathering-registration-form/>
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23rd Annual Sugar Island Powwow

July 20-21, 2019

Sugar Island Powwow Grounds, Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.

July 19: 12 p.m. Spiritual Gathering
July 20: 1 p.m. Grand Entry
5 p.m. Feast
7 p.m. Grand Entry
July 21: 1 p.m. Grand Entry

Host Drum: Buffalo Bay
Co-Host Drum: Obadjiwan
Head Veteran: Nick VanAlstine
Arena Director: Demetri Morris
Head Male Dancer: Bnaaswi Bijaaswah
Head Female Dancer: Carrie Gaskin
Co-Master of Ceremonies: Joshua Homminga & Joseph Medicine
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Friday 7pm
Saturday 1pm & 7pm
Sunday 1pm
Public Welcome

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Local Drums
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4 Thunders
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KBIC Wikwedong
Ogichidaa Society

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Gerald White

Head Female Dancer
Delina White

MC's
Ronnie Preston
Erik Gahbow

Arena Director's
Mark Kingbird Sr.
Raistlin Awonohopay

Head Veteran Dancer
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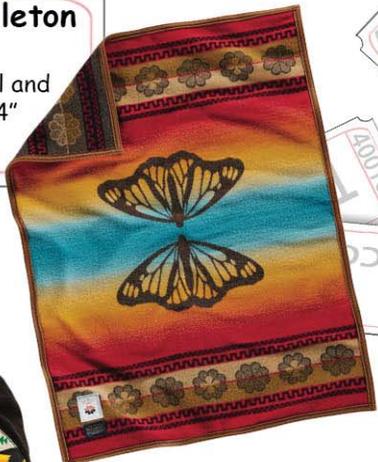
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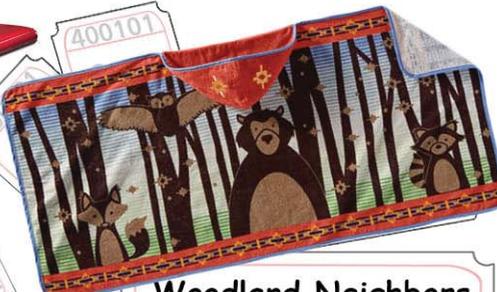
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TRIBAL COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES



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**Little Traverse Bay Bands
of Odawa Indians
Tribal Council Chambers
7500 Odawa Circle,
Harbor Springs, MI 49740
Tribal Council Regular Meeting
April 11, 2019**

Call to Order: 9:05 a.m.
Opening ceremony: Councilor Emily Proctor

Closed Session: yes
Council Present: Councilor Frank Bernard, Councilor Emily Proctor, Treasurer Marcella R. Reyes, Secretary Tamara Kiogima, Legislative Leader Fred Harrington Jr.

Absent: Councilor David Harrington, Councilor Dexter McNamara, Councilor Julie

Shananaquet, Councilor Leroy Shomin
Legislative Office Staff Present: Legislative Services Attorney Donna Budnick, Sr Financial Analyst Rachel Cope, General Counsel Jim Bransky, Legislative Office Manager Michele Portman-LaCount, Legislative Administrative Assistant Linda Gokee

Executive Officials and Staff Present: Tribal Chairperson Regina Gasco-Bentley, Direct Services Administrator Phil Harmon

Judicial Officials and Staff Present: none
Public: John Kawegoma
Invited Guest: none

Motion made by Secretary Kiogima and supported by Treasurer Reyes to adopt the agenda for April 11, 2019 as amended.

Vote: 5 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 4 - Absent (Councilor David Harrington, Councilor McNamara, Councilor Shananaquet, Councilor Shomin)
Motion carried.

Motion made by Councilor Proctor and supported by Secretary Kiogima to approve the minutes of March 28, 2019 as corrected.

Vote: 5 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 4 - Absent (Councilor David Harrington, Councilor McNamara, Councilor Shananaquet, Councilor Shomin)
Motion carried.

Legislative Officer Reports:
Legislative Leader Report
9:13 a.m. Motion made by Secretary Kiogima and supported by Treasurer Reyes to enter into Closed Session for Personnel.

Vote: 5 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 4 - Absent (Councilor David Harrington, Councilor McNamara, Councilor Shananaquet, Councilor Shomin)
Motion carried.

9:22 a.m. Councilor David Harrington arrives
9:36 a.m. Motion made by Treasurer Reyes and supported by Councilor Proctor to return to Open Session.

Vote: 6 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 3 - Absent (Councilor McNamara, Councilor Shananaquet, Councilor Shomin)
Motion carried.

Motion made by Secretary Kiogima and supported by Councilor David Harrington to contact candidate #1 and set up an interview for the Economic and Business Development Director.

Vote: 6 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 3 - Absent (Councilor McNamara, Councilor Shananaquet, Councilor Shomin)
Motion carried.

Discussion:
Apologized for his behavior at the April 9, 2019 Tribal Council Work Session. As an IT Professional himself, Legislative Leader Harrington was upset at the lack of progression from the cyber-attack. Five steps should have occurred right after the attack and didn't.

Tribal Citizens were turned away from the dental clinic without their names being taken down to be contacted for another appointment.

Legislative Leader, Tribal Chair, and General Counsel Bransky to meet with the State of Michigan regarding the Little Traverse Bay Bands Gaming Compact. A verbal and written statement regarding Online Gaming will be prepared.

Potential business options for business development.

Motion made by Secretary Kiogima and supported by Treasurer Reyes to accept Legislative Leader Fred Harrington Jr's verbal report for April 11, 2019.

Vote: 6 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 3 - Absent (Councilor McNamara, Councilor Shananaquet, Councilor Shomin)
Motion carried.

Motion made by Councilor David Harrington and supported by Treasurer Reyes to approve Legislative Leader Harrington's travel to the Tribal Consultation Session between the State of Michigan Governor's Executive Office of the Governor and the Michigan Tribes on April 12, 2019 in Roscommon, MI.

Vote: 6 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 3 - Absent (Councilor McNamara, Councilor Shananaquet, Councilor Shomin)
Motion carried

Motion made by Secretary Kiogima and supported by Treasurer Reyes to approve Legislative Leader Harrington's travel to meet with the State of Michigan Governor's Office for discussion on the terms of the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Gaming Compact.

Vote: 6 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 3 - Absent (Councilor McNamara, Councilor Shananaquet, Councilor Shomin)
Motion carried

Tribal Council Action Items:

Motion made by Treasurer Reyes and supported by Councilor Proctor to approve Tribal Council attendance to NAFOA 2019 Fall Finance & Tribal Economies Conference on October 6-8, 2019 at Mystic Lake Casino Hotel, Prior Lake, Minnesota.

Vote: 6 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 3 - Absent (Councilor McNamara, Councilor Shananaquet, Councilor Shomin)
Motion carried

Motion made by Secretary Kiogima and supported by Secretary Kiogima to approve Certified Motion #041119-01 Request for Funding as a sub-grantee from the Inter-Tribal Council of Michigan, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources and Services Administration, Healthy Start Program FY 2019-2023.

Vote: 6 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 3 - Absent (Councilor McNamara, Councilor Shananaquet, Councilor Shomin)
Motion carried

Motion made by Secretary Kiogima and supported by Treasurer Reyes to post the Gaming Regulatory Statute to the Legislative Calendar in the Odawa Register as sponsored by Legislative Leader Harrington.

Vote: 5 - Yes, 0 - No, 1 - Abstained (Councilor David Harrington), 3 - Absent (Councilor McNamara, Councilor Shananaquet, Councilor Shomin)
Motion carried

Motion made by Councilor David Harrington and supported by Treasurer Reyes to post the Tribal Historic Preservation Office Statute to the Legislative Calendar in the Odawa Register as sponsored by Legislative Leader Harrington.

Vote: 6 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 3 - Absent (Councilor McNamara, Councilor Shananaquet, Councilor Shomin)
Motion carried

Executive Oversight Report
Discussion: Tribal Chairperson Regina Gasco-Bentley

Vice Chair Kay is out at the Tribal-Interior Budget Council (TIBC) in Washington D.C.

The Veterans Affairs Loan Memorandum of Understanding and Assistance for Veterans will be signed soon.

Thanked Legislative Leader Harrington for attending the Legislative Consultation with the State of Michigan which the Tribal Chair will also be in attendance. She will provide an update on litigation in next report.

Chippewa Ottawa Resource Authority (CORA) one-on-one meeting with Little River Band will be held on April 24, 2019 at the Community Center. The next meeting will take place at the Sault Ste. Marie Tribe of Chippewa Indians.

Both the Chair and General Counsel Jim Bransky will have a phone conference with State of Michigan this morning.

A casino employee came to the Executive office for assistance which they channeled them over to the Tribal Council office.

The governor will appoint to the Michigan Public Service Commission which deals with safety.

Attorney General declared Line 5 unconstitutional.

Discussion: Direct Services Administrator Phil Harmon

All departments and programs gearing up for the Community Meeting on May 4, 2019. The Executive will have a PowerPoint presentation on the cyber-attack. Youth affiliated departments and pro-

grams gearing up for Summer Camps.

The Grants Department rebuilding their programs.

Purchase Referred Care now offers 1-hour massage therapy through Pateman Chiropractic & Massage. You must be referred by your Primary Care Physician and request a reference number.

MIS has received the ok to rebuild all servers. The P drive will be first.

Most health functions are up and running. The dental clinic will be up and running by next Thursday, April 18, 2019.

IT Phone conference at 2:00 p.m. with Law Firm Baker Hostetler.

Email sent out at 5:04 p.m. on 04/10/19 regarding Computer Network Update.

Purchase Referred Care is catching up on 300+ hand note files to date enter.

Spoke with law firm regarding letters being sent regarding cyber-attack.

Discussion: Tribal Chairperson Regina Gasco-Bentley

Executive Staff was outstanding during downtime. Will do Employee Appreciation.

10:04 a.m. Councilor McNamara arrives

Motion made by Secretary Kiogima and supported by Councilor Proctor to acknowledge the verbal and written March 2019 Executive Oversight Report as presented by Tribal Chairperson Re-

Tribal Council Meeting Dates

June 4 Work Session
June 6 Council Meeting
June 25 Work Session
June 27 Council Meeting

July 9 Work Session
July 11 Council Meeting
July 25 Work Session
July 27 Council Meeting

All Tribal Council meetings and work sessions are held in the Tribal Council Chambers located at 7500 Odawa Circle, Harbor Springs, MI.

Legislative

Tribal Council Members

Frederick Harrington, Jr.,
Legislative Leader
Tamara Kiogima, Secretary
Marcella Reyes, Treasurer
Julie Shananaquet, Councilor
Dexter McNamara, Councilor
Frank Bernard, Councilor
David Harrington, Councilor
Emily Proctor, Councilor
Leroy Shomin, Councilor

gina Gasco-Bentley and Direct Services Administrator Phil Harmon on April 11, 2019.

Vote: 7 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 2 - Absent (Councilor Shananaquet, Councilor Shomin) Motion carried

Motion made by Councilor David Harrington and supported by Treasurer Reyes to pass Waganakising Odawak Statute Contracting Statute.

Roll call: Councilor Bernard-yes, Councilor David Harrington-yes, Councilor McNamara-yes, Councilor Proctor-yes, Councilor Shananaquet-absent, Councilor Shomin-absent,

Treasurer Reyes-yes, Secretary Kiogima-yes, Legislative Leader Fred Harrington Jr.-yes Motion carried.

Motion made by Councilor Bernard and supported by Councilor McNamara to pass Protection of Employees from Supervisors that have Committed a Crime of Domestic Violence or Sexual Harassment Statute.

Roll call: Councilor Bernard-yes, Councilor David Harrington-yes, Councilor McNamara-yes, Councilor Proctor-yes, Councilor Shananaquet-absent, Councilor Shomin-absent, Treasurer Reyes-yes, Secretary Kiogima-yes, Legislative Leader Fred Harrington Jr.-yes
Motion carried.

Motion made by Secretary Kiogima and supported by Councilor McNamara to pass Amendment to Waganakising

Odawak Statute #2011-005 Gaming Regulatory Statute.

Roll call: Councilor Bernard-yes, Councilor David Harrington-absent, Councilor McNamara-yes, Councilor Proctor-yes, Councilor Shananaquet-absent-Councilor Shomin-absent, Treasurer Reyes-yes, Secretary Kiogima-yes, Legislative Leader Fred Harrington Jr.-yes Motion carried.

10:12 a.m. Break
10:40 a.m. Resume
Tribal Council Officer Reports continued.

Secretary Report

Documents Delivered to the Executive -Tribal Resolution Authorization for Michigan Indian Legal Services, Inc. To pursue AmeriCorps Funding on behalf of the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians to Develop a Medical-Legal Partnership was delivered to the Executive for signature on 04/04/19-the Executive signed on 04/04/19.

Vetoes (a vote of Tribal Council to override a veto shall occur within 90-days of the veto): none

Phone Polls passed by Tribal council: none

Motion made by Treasurer Reyes and supported by Councilor McNamara to accept Secretary Kiogima's verbal report as provided on the agenda for April 11, 2019.

Vote: 7 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 2 - Absent (Councilor Shananaquet, Councilor Shomin) Motion carried.

Treasurer Report

Appropriations and Finance Committee

-Last Regular Meeting: March 12, 2019 (Motions made at Appropriations and Finance Committee Meeting were presented at the March 28, 2019 Tribal Council Meeting)

-Special Budget Hearing dates:
Monday, April 1, 2019 at 9:00 a.m. (Executive Branch);

Tuesday, April 2, 2019 at 9:00 a.m. (Executive Branch);

Wednesday, April 3, 2019 at 9:00 a.m. (Remaining Branches, Charters and Boards) cancelled due to lack of attendees.

Thursday, April 4, 2019 at 9:00 a.m. (Remaining Branches, Charters and Boards)

-Next Meeting: Tuesday, April 16, 2019 at 9:00 a.m. in the Council Chambers

Phone Polls passed by Appropriations and Finance Committee:

-04/05/19 Motion to recommend to Tribal Council to approve Certified Motion #041119-01 Request for Funding as a sub-grantee from the Inter-Tribal Council of Michigan, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources and Services Administration, Healthy Start Program FY 2019-2023.

Phone Poll Vote: 3 Yes, 0 No, 0 Abstained, 0 Absent

Comments: none Motion carried.

Discussion: Councilor McNamara
Does not support the Executive Branch statement being made during the Budget Hearings regarding the Wage Grid Study and some staff being overpaid.

Motion made by Secretary Kiogima and supported by Councilor Proctor to accept the Appropriations and Finance Committee verbal and written report as provided on the agenda by Treasurer Reyes, Committee Chair for April 11, 2019.

Vote: 7 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 2 - Absent (Councilor Shananaquet, Councilor Shomin) Motion carried.

Land and Reservation Committee

-Last Meeting: April 5, 2019 (No motions made at Land and Reservation Committee Meeting)

-Next Meeting: Friday, May 3, 2019 at 9:00 a.m. in the Council Chambers

Motion made by Councilor McNamara and supported by Secretary Kiogima to accept the Land and Reservation Committee verbal and written report as provided on the agenda by Treasurer Reyes, Committee Chair for April 11, 2019.

Vote: 7 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 2 - Absent (Councilor Shananaquet, Councilor Shomin) Motion carried.

Tribal Council Member Reports: No Reports

Legislative Office Reports:
Office of Finance and Revenue

Budget timelines.

Sovereign Finance, Odawa Economic Development Management, Inc., and Fifth Third Non-Disclosure Agreement.

Michael Hughes training, is Tribal

Council interested?

Odawa Casino Resort free play escrow and 6% compact fees for State.

Met with Roger Borton and both will be presenting a PowerPoint analysis on debt refinancing of Odawa Casino Resort.

Tribally Accepted Accounting Principles (TAAP) training.

Motion made by Councilor McNamara and supported by Treasurer Reyes to accept Sr Financial Analyst Rachel Cope's verbal and written report for April 11, 2019.

Vote: 7 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 2 - Absent (Councilor Shananaquet, Councilor Shomin) Motion carried

Motion made by Treasurer Reyes and supported by Secretary Kiogima to authorize Legislative Leader to sign a non-disclosure agreement with Fifth Third Bank as presented by Senior Financial Analyst.

Vote: 7 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 2 - Absent (Councilor Shananaquet, Councilor Shomin) Motion carried

Tribal Historic Preservation Officer - no report

Public Comment
11:08 a.m. Public Comment opened

John Kawegoma commented he wants an explanation of how and why the data network and phone service system was attacked on two free standing systems? He wants reassurance his sensitive information wasn't breached including our minors. Who is checking on their credit on the black market?

11:16 a.m. Public Comment closed
Legislative Services Attorney

11:16 a.m. Motion made by Treasurer Reyes and supported by Councilor Proctor to enter into Closed Session for Confidential Legal Matters.

Vote: 7 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 2 - Absent (Councilor Shananaquet, Councilor Shomin) Motion carried

11:24 a.m. Motion made by Treasurer Reyes and supported by Councilor Proctor to return to Open Session.

Vote: 7 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 2 - Absent (Councilor Shananaquet, Councilor Shomin) Motion carried

Discussion:
Closed Session for Confidential Legal material.

The next 20/20 Consent Decree discussions between Tribes will be with the Sault Tribe on April 29, 2019 in the Sault.

A Tribal Economic Development and Contracting Forum will be held at the Odawa Casino Resort-Ovation Hall on Wednesday, May 1, 2019. There is no cost to attend.

Motion made by Secretary Kiogima and supported by Treasurer Reyes to acknowledge receipt of Legislative Services Attorney Donna Budnick's verbal and written report for April 11, 2019.

Vote: 7 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 2 - Absent (Councilor Shananaquet, Councilor Shomin) Motion carried

General Counsel

Motion to acknowledge receipt of Office of Citizens Legal Assistance Cherie Dominic's

verbal and written 2019 1st Quarterly Report.

Comments: Legislative Leader Harrington commented Dominic's report should be reported similar to an attorney billing statement.

Vote: 7 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 2 - Absent (Councilor Shananaquet, Councilor Shomin) Motion carried

General Counsel Jim Bransky is on a telephone conference. A written report for April 11, 2019 is requested via email.

Legislative Office Manager

Continue to have a lot of staff time devoted to working around network issues; developing some specific hard copy files and other such related materials for file retrieval.

Adobe and the BIS recording system are still not functioning.

Contacted MIS regarding setting up for a new Adobe based on the licenses we have already purchased.

Three (3) letters of interest for American Indigenous Sovereign Funds were received and the background checks are in progress. Will bring to next Tribal Council meeting.

Odawa Economic Development Management, Inc. has requested documents on the Mackinaw study.

Reminder to RSVP Su Lantz regarding CSNAP Training on April 25-26, 2019.

Had a potential audit compliance issue

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with Odawa Economic Development Management, Inc. regarding new auditor not receiving new documents from the Board. This has been ironed out and we are back on track.

There are other minor levels of information received from the Traditional Tribal Burial, Inc. and Ziibimijwang, Inc. and we are getting through those.

Motion made by Councilor McNamara and supported by Treasurer Reyes to accept Legislative Office Manager Michele Portman-LaCount's verbal and written report as presented on April 11, 2019.

Vote: 7 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 2 - Absent (Councilor Shananaquet, Councilor Shomin) Motion carried

Corporate Charters and/or Board Updates: No reports

Other Items of Business:

Motion made by Councilor McNamara and supported by Councilor David Harrington to authorize the release of the Mackinaw Feasibility Study to Odawa Economic Development Management, Inc. contingent upon receiving a non-disclosure agreement from the board members.

Vote: 7 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 2 - Absent (Councilor Shananaquet, Councilor Shomin) Motion carried

Public Comment

11:44 a.m. Public Comment opened

No comments

11:44 a.m. Public Comment closed

Adjournment:

11:57 a.m. Motion made by Councilor David Harrington and supported by Councilor Bernard to adjourn.

Vote: 7 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 2 - Absent (Councilor Shananaquet, Councilor Shomin) Motion carried

Next Scheduled Meeting

Saturday, April 27, 2019 at 9:00 a.m.

These Minutes have been read and are approved as corrected/written.

Tamara Kiogima, Tribal Council Secretary Date

9:09 a.m. Motion made by Councilor McNamara and supported by Councilor David Harrington to go into closed session for Confidential Business Matters.

Vote: 8 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 1 - Absent (Councilor Shomin) Motion carried.

9:24 a.m. Councilor Shomin arrived.

10:30 a.m. Motion made by Councilor Proctor and supported by Treasurer Reyes to return to Open Session.

Vote: 9 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 0 - Absent Motion carried.

Executive Report

Tribal Chairperson Regina Gasco-Bentley: Tribal/Interior Budget Council Meeting; Human Resources Department Employee Benefit Costs Report for 2018.

Direct Services Administrator Phil Harmon: FY2020 4% Budget cuts; Attendance at the State of the Community Luncheon; February 6 Blood Drive; February 6-7 Professional Development; February 14 Leadership Little Traverse presentation; Attended Tribal Nations Land Grant Systems meeting; Executive Branch restructure; March 14 cyber-attack; Department of Commerce transferring to Accounting Department; Education Library Story Telling/creation of “Little Free Library”; Elder’s Food & Utility; Inclement Weather; Elder’s Director researching to expand program to out of service area; Enrollment Department to host Enrollment Director’s meeting for 12 federally recognized Tribes of Michigan; Gijigowi Language seeking grant for on-line program; New 2nd Dentist hired; 2019 Snovsnake cancellation; Aqua Fitness Classes; Housing continues to pursue tax credits; Planning continues on Indian town parcel and Monroe Street; Human Services meeting with Emmet/Charlevoix Department of Health and Human Services; New Community Law Enforcement Officer; February 16 annual ice fishing event.

Motion made by Treasurer Reyes and supported by Councilor Proctor to acknowledge the verbal and written Executive Oversight Report as presented by Tribal Chairperson Regina Gasco-Bentley on April 27, 2019.

Vote: 8 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 1 - Absent (Councilor David Harrington) Motion carried.

10:30 a.m. Break

10:50 a.m. Meeting resumed. Councilor David Harrington leaves the meeting

Motion made by Treasurer Reyes and supported by Councilor Shananaquet to accept Legislative Leader Fred Harrington, Jr.’s verbal report and written Travel Report for April 27, 2019.

Vote: 8 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 1 - Absent (Councilor David Harrington) Motion carried.

Motion made by Treasurer Reyes and supported by Councilor Shomin to authorize the Legislative Leader, General Counsel or the Legislative Service Attorney to sign Non-disclosure Agreement (NDA) for economic development purposes, and upon execution of the NDA, a copy will be submitted to Tribal Council.

Vote: 8 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 1 - Absent (Councilor David Harrington) Motion carried.

Motion made by Councilor McNamara and supported by Treasurer Reyes to adopt Tribal Resolution Designation of May 5th as a Day of Awareness for Missing and Murdered Native Women and Girls.

Roll Call Vote: Councilor Bernard-yes, Councilor David Harrington-absent, Councilor McNamara-yes, Councilor Proctor-yes, Councilor Shananaquet-yes, Councilor Shomin-yes, Treasurer Reyes-yes, Secretary Kiogima-yes, Legislative Leader Fred Harrington, Jr.-yes

Motion carried.

Motion made by Councilor Shananaquet and supported by Councilor McNamara to approve the statement below to Tribal Citizens.

Vote: 8 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 1 - Absent (Councilor David Harrington) Motion carried.

“Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians - Statement to Tribal Citizens

Most of you are aware that the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians had a ransomware attack on our computers. This type of attack does not collect and sell sensitive data, such as names, birthdates, social security numbers, addresses, or any other type of personal data. Instead, the ransomware blocks large encrypted files, and attempts to hold the files hostage to exact a ransom payment.

We have engaged an outside cyber security firm to help us investigate this incident and safely resume operations. About 80% of the computer servers have been investigated to date uncovering no

evidence that any data has been extracted from the Tribal systems. The firm will continue to assess the remaining servers until completion of their forensic investigation. We will let you know if we find any evidence that sensitive data has been taken.

While this investigation has been going on, we have been able to gradually get our computer systems back up and running, but there are still some services that are not running at full capacity.

We expect the Tribal Operations to be at 100% in the next few weeks. If you have any questions about any Tribal Government service or program, we encourage you to call the Department directly.

Miigwech for your patience and understanding.”

11:01 a.m. Motion made by Treasurer Reyes and supported by Councilor Proctor to enter into Closed Session for Personnel.

Vote: 8 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 1 - Absent (Councilor David Harrington) Motion carried.

12:04 p.m. Treasurer Reyes left the meeting.

12:12 p.m. Motion made by Councilor Shananaquet and supported by Councilor Shomin to return to Open Session.

Vote: 8 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 1 - Absent (Councilor David Harrington, Treasurer Reyes) Motion carried.

12:12 p.m. Lunch recess

1:30 p.m. Meeting resumed, Councilor Bernard left the meeting

Corporate Charters and/or Board Updates:

Gaming Authority 2019 1st Quarter Report: Promotional, Advertising, Operational and Financial Review.

Motion made by Secretary Kiogima and supported by Councilor Proctor to acknowledge receipt of the verbal and written Gaming Authority/Odawa Casino Resort’s 2019 1st Quarter Report as presented by the Gaming Authority and Odawa Casino Resort Leadership Oversight Committee (LOC) Team on April 27, 2019.

Vote: 5 - Yes, 0 - No, 1 - Abstained (Councilor Shananaquet), 3 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Treasurer Reyes, Councilor Proctor) Motion carried.

2:15 p.m. Motion made by Councilor Proctor and supported by Councilor Shomin to enter into Closed Session for Confidential Business.

Vote: 6 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 3 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Councilor David Harrington, Treasurer Reyes) Motion carried.

2:40 p.m. Motion made by Secretary Kiogima and supported by Councilor Proctor to return to Open Session.

Vote: 6 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 3 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Councilor David Harrington, Treasurer Reyes) Motion carried.

Odawa Economic Development Management, Inc.: 2019 1st Quarter Report: Victories Square update given to Chamber of Commerce; Appropriations and Finance Committee meeting and Elder’s lunch attendance; Met with Environmental Services; Energy and fire code requirements; Kings Inn update; 2018 Audit; exploring financing/options for next phase at Victories Square; will attend community on Meeting May 4, and Michigan Economic Development Meeting on May 1.

Motion made by Secretary Kiogima and supported by Councilor Shananaquet to acknowledge receipt of the verbal and written Odawa Economic Development Management, Inc. 2019 1st Quarter Report as presented by the Alan Proctor, Tanya Gibbs and Shiloh Slomsky on April 27, 2019.

Vote: 5 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 4 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Councilor David Harrington, Treasurer Reyes, Councilor McNamara) Motion carried.

2:47 p.m. Break

2:57 p.m. Meeting resumed

2:57 p.m. Public Comment opened: no comments.

2:57 p.m. Public comment closed

Traditional Tribal Burial Board, Inc.: 2019 1st Quarter Report: Office worker/space update; will have a prevention at the Annual Membership Meeting; Fundraising at the Pow Wow; Cemetery Development; Next quarter update regarding administrative policies and procedures, costs of plots, and burial procedures.

Motion made by Councilor Shananaquet and supported by Councilor Proctor to acknowledge receipt of the verbal and written Traditional Tribal Burial, Inc.’s 2019 1st Quarter Report as presented by Patrick Wemigwase and Lisa Flynn on April 27, 2019.

Vote: 7 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 2

- Absent (Councilor Bernard, Treasurer Reyes) Motion carried.

Ziibimijwang, Inc.: 2019 1st Quarter Report: Transition plan (2014) and a Feasibility Study (2015) update; meetings updates, funding for staff support (Farm Manager, Farm Hands, Field Manager and Minogin Manager); Overview of harvest report; events, field activities, infrastructure development outreach, Farm Market and wholesale activities; Grants, funding and financials.

Motion made by Secretary Kiogima and supported by Councilor Proctor to acknowledge receipt of the verbal and written Ziibimijwang, Inc.’s 2019 1st Quarter Report as presented by Blayne Bott on April 27, 2019.

Vote: 6 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 3 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Councilor David Harrington, Treasurer Reyes) Motion carried.

3:44 p.m. Motion made by Councilor McNamara and supported by Councilor Proctor to enter into Closed Session for personnel.

Vote: 6 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 3 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Councilor David Harrington, Treasurer Reyes) Motion carried.

4:11 p.m. Motion made by Councilor Shananaquet and supported by Councilor Shomin to return to Open Session.

Vote: 6 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 3 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Councilor David Harrington, Treasurer Reyes) Motion carried.

Motion made by Councilor Shomin and supported by Councilor Shananaquet to post Amendment to Waganakising Odawak Statute # 2008-012 Criminal Code to the Legislative Calendar in the Odawa Register as sponsored by Legislative Leader Harrington.

Vote: 6 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 3 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Councilor David Harrington, Treasurer Reyes) Motion carried.

Motion made by Councilor Shananaquet and supported by Councilor Shomin to repost LEG-243 Hemp Authorization and Regulatory Commission Statute to the Legislative Calendar in the Odawa Register as sponsored by Legislative Leader Harrington.

Vote: 6 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 3 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Councilor David Harrington, Treasurer Reyes) Motion carried.

Motion made by Secretary Kiogima and supported by Councilor Proctor to acknowledge receipt of Clayton “Cody” Woodin’s Letter of Interest and Resume for the American Indigenous Sovereign Funds, Inc. Corporate Charter Board of Directors and set up an interview.

Vote: 6 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 3 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Councilor David Harrington, Treasurer Reyes) Motion carried.

Motion made by Councilor Shomin and supported by Secretary Kiogima to acknowledge receipt of Carla Osawamick’s Letter of Interest and Resume for the American Indigenous Sovereign Funds, Inc. Corporate Charter Board of Directors and set up an interview.

Vote: 6 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 3 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Councilor David Harrington, Treasurer Reyes) Motion carried.

Motion made by Councilor McNamara and supported by Councilor Shomin to acknowledge receipt of Robert Ellerman’s Letter of Interest and Resume for the American Indigenous Sovereign Funds, Inc. Corporate Charter Board of Directors and set up an interview.

Vote: 6 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 3 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Councilor David Harrington, Treasurer Reyes) Motion carried.

Motion made by Councilor Shomin and supported by Councilor Proctor to approve Tribal Council travel to United Tribes of Michigan on May 28-30, 2019 in Hannahville, MI.

Vote: 6 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 3 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Councilor David Harrington, Treasurer Reyes) Motion carried.

Motion made by Councilor McNamara and supported by Councilor Shananaquet to approve Certified Motion # 042719-01 Request for Funding from Michigan Department of Health and Human Services, Public Health Preparedness and Emergency Response FY 2020.

Vote: 6 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 3 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Councilor David Harrington, Treasurer Reyes) Motion carried.

Motion made by Secretary Kiogima and supported by Councilor Shananaquet to approve Certified Motion # 042719-02 Request for Funding from the U.S. Department of Transportation,

Federal Highway Administration, Tribal Transportation Program Safety Funds.

Vote: 6 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 3 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Councilor David Harrington, Treasurer Reyes) Motion carried.

Motion made by Councilor Proctor and supported by Secretary Kiogima to approve Certified Motion # 042719-03 Request for Funding from the US Fish and Wildlife Services, Great Lakes Fish and Wildlife Restoration Act FY 2019, Whitefish Spawning in Eastern Lake Michigan Tributaries.

Vote: 6 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 3 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Councilor David Harrington, Treasurer Reyes) Motion carried.

Motion made by Councilor McNamara and supported by Councilor Shomin to approve Certified Motion # 042719-04 Request for Funding from the United States Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Good Health and Wellness in Indian Country.

Vote: 6 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 3 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Councilor David Harrington, Treasurer Reyes) Motion carried.

Motion made by Councilor Proctor and supported by Councilor Shananaquet to appoint Secretary Kiogima from Tribal Council to the Strategic Planning Steering Committee for Community Safety Net Accountability Program (CSNAP).

Vote: 6 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 3 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Councilor David Harrington, Treasurer Reyes) Motion carried.

Motion made by Councilor Proctor and supported by Councilor Shomin to approve Tribal Council attendance at the Tribal Economic and Government Contracting Forum on May 1, 2019 at Odawa Casino Resort-Ovation Hall (free registration).

Vote: 6 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 3 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Councilor David Harrington, Treasurer Reyes) Motion carried.

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Vote: 6 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 3 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Councilor David Harrington, Treasurer Reyes) Motion carried.

Secretary Report
Documents Delivered to Executive:
-Waganakising Odawak Statute Protection of Employees from Supervisors that Have Committed a Crime of Domestic Violence or Sexual Harassment Statute was delivered to the Executive for signature on 04/11/19-the Executive signed on 04/24/19.

-Waganakising Odawak Statute Contracting Statute was delivered to the Executive for signature on 04/11/19-PENDING SIGNATURE (due back to Tribal Council on or before 05/13/19).

-Waganakising Odawak Statute Amendment to Waganakising Odawak Statute # 2011-005 Gaming Regulatory Statute was delivered to the Executive for signature on 04/11/19-PENDING SIGNATURE (due back to Tribal Council on or before 05/13/19).

Vetoes: none
Phone Polls passed by Tribal council: none

Motion made by Councilor Shananaquet and supported by Councilor McNamara to accept Secretary Kiogima’s verbal and written report as presented on the agenda for

Vote: 6 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 3 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Councilor David Harrington, Treasurer Reyes) Motion carried.

Treasurer Report:
Appropriations and Finance Committee

Last meeting: Last Meeting: April 16, 2019

(Motions made at Appropriations and Finance Committee Meeting)

-Motion made by Secretary Kiogima and supported by Councilor McNamara to recommend to Tribal Council to approve Certified Motion # 042719-01 Request for Funding from Michigan Department of Health and Human Services, Public Health Preparedness and Emergency Response FY 2020.

Vote: 3 yes, 0 no, 0 abstain, 0 absent Motion carried.

-Motion made by Secretary Kiogima and supported by Councilor McNamara to recommend to Tribal Council to approve Certified Motion # 042719-02 Request for Funding from the U.S. Department of Transportation, Federal Highway Administration, Tribal Transportation Program Safety Funds.

Vote: 3 yes, 0 no, 0 abstain, 0 absent Motion carried.

-Motion made by Councilor McNamara and supported by Secretary Kiogima to recommend to Tribal Council to approve Certified Motion # 042719-03 Request for Funding from the US Fish

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Vote: 3 yes, 0 no, 0 abstain, 0 absent Motion carried.
-Next Meeting: May 14, 2019 at 9:00 a.m. in the Council Chambers
Phone Polls passed by Appropriations and Finance Committee:
-04/24/19 Motion to recommend to Tribal Council to approve Certified Motion #042719-04 Request for Funding from the United States Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Good Health and Wellness in Indian Country.
Phone Poll Vote: 3 yes, 0 no, 0 abstain, 0 absent

Comments: none Motion carried.
Motion made by Councilor Shananaquet and supported by Secretary Kiogima to accept the verbal and written report for the Appropriations and Finance Committee as provided on the agenda by Councilor McNamara, Committee Member, for April 27, 2019.
Vote: 6 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 3 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Councilor David Harrington, Treasurer Reyes) Motion carried.

Land and Reservation Committee Last meeting: April 5, 2019 (Motions made at Land and Reservation Committee Meeting were presented at the April 11, 2019 Tribal Council Meeting.)
Next meeting: May 3, 2019 at 9:00 a.m. in the Council Chambers
Motion made by Secretary Kiogima and supported by Councilor Shananaquet to accept the verbal and written report for the Land and Reservation Committee as provided on the agenda by Councilor Proctor, Committee Secretary, for April 27, 2019.

Vote: 6 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 3 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Councilor David Harrington, Treasurer Reyes) Motion carried.
Tribal Council Member Reports:
Councilor Shomin Travel Report: Native American Finance Officers Association Conference (NAFOA) hosted by the Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians regarding the role of finance in fostering economic opportunity within Tribal Communities, Tax and Finance and changes in policy, and the Economic Agenda that effect Indian Country. Recession Proofing Your Tribe, Benefitting from Social Security, diversifying to a sustainable Future, Unallowable Costs, Building Community: Infrastructure, Cannabis/Hemp Industry, Per Capita Payments, taxation of Indians, Short

Term Lending, and Controlling Your Own Energy Production.
Motion made by Councilor Shananaquet and supported by Councilor Proctor to accept Councilor Shomin's verbal and written Travel Report regarding NAFOA 2019 - 37th Annual Conference.
Vote: 6 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 3 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Councilor David Harrington, Treasurer Reyes) Motion carried.

Legislative Staff Reports:
Office of Finance and Revenue Report: Michael Hughes meeting; Odawa Economic Development Management, Inc. Audit and Financing; Sovereign Finance Meeting; Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians/Odawa Casino Resort Unemployment; Native American Finance Officers Association follow up; Financial Reports.
Motion made by Councilor McNamara and supported by Councilor Shomin to accept Sr. Financial Analyst Rachel Cope's report for April 27, 2019.
Vote: 6 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 3 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Councilor David Harrington, Treasurer Reyes) Motion carried.

Tribal Historic Preservation Officer Motion made by Councilor Proctor and supported by Secretary Kiogima to acknowledge receipt of the Interim Tribal Historic Preservation Officer Melissa Wiatrolik's written report for April 27, 2019.
Vote: 6 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 3 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Councilor David Harrington, Treasurer Reyes) Motion carried.

Legislative Services Attorney Report: Two-Tribes Meeting
Motion made by Secretary Kiogima and supported by Councilor Proctor to acknowledge receipt of Legislative Services Attorney Budnick's verbal and written report for April 27, 2019.
Vote: 6 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 3 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Councilor David Harrington, Treasurer Reyes) Motion carried.

General Counsel Motion made by Councilor Proctor and supported by Councilor Shomin to acknowledge receipt of General Counsel Bransky's written Confidential Report for April 11, 2019.
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Legislative Office Manager Report: BIS recording system now functioning, Adobe still down; lost some P-drive files between January and March 2019; We will be running weekly back-ups of files in addition to MIS processes; getting ready for community Meeting; Updated current Regulations on the web; Still waiting on the following Regulations/Administrative Procedures From 2012 to date as required: 2018-23 Amendment To WOS 2009-007 Land Use Building Regulation and Zoning Statute, WOS 2018- 003 Qualified Expert Witness Designation, WOS 2016-008 Nibiish Naagdownen "The Care Of Water": Clean Water Act, WOS2015-22 Eshkiniigijik-Tribal Youth Services Department, WOS 2014-007 Amendment to WOS 2011-009 Accounting Department (Posted for Comment on 01/04/19), WOS 2014-004 Amendment to WOS 2012-009 Department of Human Services, WOS 2013-008 Department of Kikaajik,
WOS 2012-016 Limited Liability Company Code, WOS 2012-011 Child Welfare Commission.
Motion made by Secretary Kiogima and supported by Councilor Proctor to accept Legislative Office Manager Portman-LaCount's written and verbal report as presented on April 27, 2019.
Vote: 6 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 3 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Councilor David Harrington, Treasurer Reyes) Motion carried.

4:49 p.m. Motion made by Councilor McNamara and supported by Councilor Shomin to enter into Closed Session for personnel.
Vote: 6 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 3 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Councilor David Harrington, Treasurer Reyes) Motion carried.

4:59 p.m. Motion made by Secretary Kiogima and supported by Councilor Proctor to return to Open Session.
Vote: 6 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 3 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Councilor David Harrington, Treasurer Reyes) Motion carried.

4:59 p.m. Motion made by Secretary Kiogima and supported by Councilor Proctor to adjourn.
Vote: 6 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 3 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Councilor David Harrington, Treasurer Reyes) Motion carried.

Next Tribal Council Regular Meeting May 9, 2019
These Minutes have been read and are approved as corrected/written.
Tamara Kiogima, Tribal Council Secretary Date

Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians
NOTICE: Sex Offender Registration Requirements

All persons who have been convicted as a sex offender are required by the LTBB Sex Offender Registration and Notification Statute to register with LTBB Law Enforcement if any of the following circumstances are true:

1. If your residence is on Tribally owned land;
2. If you will be visiting and staying on Tribally owned land for more than seven (7) days;
3. If you are enrolled in any classes or schools located in Tribal buildings; or
4. If you are employed on Tribally owned lands.

LTBB Law Enforcement is located at:
911 Spring Street, Petoskey, MI 49770
231-242-1500

For more information regarding Sex Offender Registry, you can visit the LTBB Website www.ltbbodawa-nsn.gov and choose the Law Enforcement link on the right side of the page.

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Michigan Indian Legal Services may be able to help you with your legal issue. MILS Attorneys can handle the following types of cases in Tribal Court:

- ◆ Child Welfare
- ◆ Juvenile Delinquency
- ◆ Guardianship*
- ◆ Eviction
- ◆ Criminal Defense
- ◆ ICWA-MIFPA
- ◆ Appellate Cases*
- ◆ Other Matters

*Available in State Court Proceedings

To find out if we can help you with your legal issue, call us at 231-947-0122 or toll free at 1-800-968-6877. Our office is open Monday - Friday from 9 a.m. to Noon and from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. For more information, visit our website at www.mils3.org.

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LTBB OFFICE OF CITIZENS LEGAL ASSISTANCE

The Office of Citizens Legal Assistance has been established to provide free legal advice to enrolled tribal citizens in non-criminal matters such as:

- ❖ Family Law
 - Divorce
 - Child Custody
 - Child Support
 - Guardianships
 - Parentage/Paternity
- ❖ Indian Child Welfare Act / Michigan Indian Family Preservation Act
- ❖ Setting Aside a Conviction
- ❖ Driver License Restoration
- ❖ Estate Planning
 - Wills
 - Health Care Directives
 - Powers of Attorney
- ❖ Probate
- ❖ Landlord/Tenant
 - Evictions
 - Tenant Rights
- ❖ Consumer
 - Debt Collection

The office is available to provide legal guidance and drafting of certain legal documents but does not provide in court representation at this time. The office may give procedural advice only on matters that are of a criminal nature or involve the Tribe or other Tribal Citizens as a potential party in a dispute.

For assistance and to make appointments, Please call Monday - Friday, 9 am - 5 pm
231-242-1433

TOGETHER
With compassion and community we can end violence against women and girls

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Be respectful

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Women's Resource Center of Northern Michigan
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2019 TRIBAL ELECTION SCHEDULE

Friday, May 24 Mailing of the General Election Ballots
Monday, June 24 General Election Day at the LTBB Government Complex from 9 am to 6 pm
Friday, July 5 Last Date to File a Challenge to the General Election by 5 pm
Tuesday, July 9 Certification of the General Election at 5 pm
Thursday, August 8 Oath of Office for the New Tribal Officials



LITTLE TRAVERSE BAY BANDS OF ODAWA INDIANS
PRIMARY ELECTION
OFFICIAL ELECTION RESULTS
MAY 6, 2019

TRIBAL COUNCIL	IN PERSON	MAIL IN	HAND TALLY	TOTAL	%
EMILY CHRISTINE PROCTOR	21	278	2	301	11.09%
FRED KIOGIMA	9	247	0	256	9.43%
DAVID MATTHEW HARRINGTON	5	216	1	222	8.18%
MARTY VANDECAR	10	206	2	218	8.03%
SHARON LEE SIERZPUTOWSKI	11	199	2	212	7.81%
MELISSA PAMP	12	186	0	198	7.29%
BEATRICE ANN LAW	10	180	1	191	7.03%
JOHN W. KESHICK, III	17	160	2	179	6.59%
KATHRYN L. MCGRAW	5	166	0	171	6.30%
AARON WAYNE OTTO	9	146	1	156	5.75%
MARIE ELIZABETH SCHUYLER-DREAYER	16	126	1	143	5.27%
WILLIAM R. ORTIZ	6	134	2	142	5.23%
JOAN TEPKEAH JACOBS	7	113	1	121	4.46%
WILLIAM MARSH MCNAMARA	4	80	0	84	3.09%
JOSEPH THOMAS MIER	4	61	1	66	2.43%
KENNETH EUGENE DEWEY	6	49	0	55	2.03%

BALLOTS CAST	40	702	4
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VOTER PARTICIPATION	REGISTERED VOTERS	TOTAL BALLOTS CAST	% VOTING
	1834	746	40.68%

CERTIFICATION
We, the undersigned election officials of the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians do hereby certify the above to be a true and accurate abstract of the votes cast for the election held on the sixth day of May, 2019 and reflect the results of a mandatory recount.

SIGNED

CHAIRPERSON: [Signature] 5/20/19
VICE-CHAIRPERSON: [Signature] 5/20/19
SECRETARY/TREASURER: [Signature] 5/20/19
BOARD MEMBER: [Signature] 5/20/19
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Elders Open Swim Odawa Hotel Pool, Petoskey, MI Monday - Friday, 9 am - 4 pm Call 231-242-1423 for details	Please Note: Meeting times and dates are subject to change.					Election Board Regular Meeting 9 am 407-A Michigan St. Petoskey
2		3	Elders Luncheon at Noon 4 Tribal Council Work Session 9 am Govt. Center Tribal Council Chambers	Elders Commission Meeting 5 pm Govt. Center Rm. 312 5 Gaming Regulatory Commission Meeting 5:30 pm 911 Spring St.	Elders Luncheon at Noon 6 Tribal Council Meeting 9 am Govt. Center Tribal Council Chambers Ziibimijwang Meeting At Ziibimijwang Farm	Housing Commission Meeting 5:30 pm 1345 U.S. 31 N, Petoskey, MI 7 OEDMI Board Meeting 1 pm 1345 U.S. 31 N, Petoskey, MI
9	10	Elders Luncheon at Noon 11 CWC Meeting 10 am Govt. Center Rm. 312 AFC Meeting 1 pm Govt. Center Tribal Council Chambers	NRC Meeting 6 pm - NRD Conference Room 12	Elders Luncheon at Noon 13	Land and Res. Cmte Meeting 9 am Govt. Center Tribal Council Chambers 14 Election Board Regular Work Session 4:30 pm 407-A Michigan St. Petoskey	Election Board Regular Meeting 9 am 407-A Michigan St. Petoskey 15 Gaming Authority Work Session 11 am Odawa Hotel, Superior Room Gaming Authority Meeting 1 pm Odawa Hotel, Superior Room
16 Father's Day	17	Elders Luncheon at Noon 18 Citizenship Com. Meeting 5:30 pm Govt. Center Rm 118	Gaming Regulatory Commission Meeting 5:30 pm 911 Spring St. 19	Elders Luncheon at Noon 20	21	22
Election Board Regular Work Session 4:30 pm 407-A Michigan St. Petoskey 23	24	Elders Luncheon at Noon 25 Tribal Council Work Session 9 am Govt. Center Tribal Council Chambers	NRC Meeting 6 pm - NRD Conference Room 26	Elders Luncheon at Noon 27 Tribal Council Meeting 9 am Govt. Center Tribal Council Chambers	28	29
30	General Election Day					

"Naganashe-Oldman" continued from page 1.
Shirley's cousin, Steve Oldman, Sr. is the Arena Director, head dancers are Ray Cadotte and Julie Whitepigeon, and head junior dancers are Quincey Antoine-Jackson and Alexa Oldman, Eva's daughter and Shirley's granddaughter who was Miss Odawa Nation 2015-2016 and Miss Wiigwaasmin (Cherry in Anishinaabemowin) 2013-2014.

Eva's oldest son, Alonzo, is also a traditional dancer.

"We invite other drums to attend; we'll have honorariums for the first three registered drums," Eva said. "My Dad says he's a retired Arena Director, but he'll do it for her. Alexa is honored and happy to do it for her Grandma, who has always had a close connection to her. My mom actually delivered Alexa in the back seat of the car in the parking lot of Little Traverse Primary Care (in Harbor Springs, MI)."

Specials include the Patrick Naganashe Men's Traditional for ages 18-plus, the Shirley Naganashe-Oldman Women's Traditional for ages 18-plus, a men's grass special for ages 18-plus sponsored by Fade Did Grooming Lounge in Petoskey, MI, the Robert Wemigwase Tiny Tot Special for ages 4-8 and the men's traditional sneak-up special for ages 18-plus in memory of Mary "Maanii" Keshick-ba.

If anyone is interested in sponsoring a spot dance in someone's memory, please contact Eva at 269-365-3979.

"I see it as a day of honoring everyone who has passed on," Eva said.

Shirley served her tribe in many ways: Serving on Tribal Council from 1989 until she walked on February 22, 2009 (serving as Vice Chairperson and Treasurer on Tribal Council); represented LTBB before the United States Senate Committee on Indian Affairs for the passage of SB 1357 for the Reaffirmation of the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians; helped develop the tribal constitution; helped establish the Odawa Homecoming Pow Wow in 1992; helped establish tribal gaming with the opening of Victories Casino in Petoskey, MI; worked at both Victories Casino and Odawa Casino Resort; served as the Chair-



person on the following LTBB commissions and committees: Enrollment Committee, Housing Commission, Education Commission, Odawa Homecoming Pow Wow Committee, Sovereignty Day Celebration Committee and Tribal Council Appropriations and Finance Committee. She also served on



the LTBB Health Board and on the Andrew J. Blackbird Museum Board.

She helped to preserve LTBB culture by creating and producing the videos "History of the Waganakising Odawa, Journey to Sovereignty" and "Four

Directions."

"Her big smile, her laugh and her kindness and caring," Eva said when asked what she remembers the most about her mother. "She cared deeply for others. She worked hard trying to preserve the culture and was a big advocate for education. I think she'd be happy that we (her children) are passing on what she taught us."

LTBB's Shirley Naganashe Oldman Secondary Education Completion Award recognizes the academic achievements of LTBB Tribal Members who complete a secondary education program. After attending Holy Childhood of Jesus Boarding School, Shirley attended the Institute of American Indian Art in Santa Fe, NM, the University of Colorado and then graduated from Haskell Indian Junior College in Lawrence, KS.

The pow wow flyer, designed by Eva, features a thunderbird and thunder because Shirley was thunder clan, and the image of the female traditional dancer represents Shirley wearing one of her regalia. Eva, the LTBB Elders Department Administrative Assistant, previously worked as a graphic designer for Phone Guide and Simple Digital Media and for LTBB as the Archives and Records Administrative Assistant. She graduated from Harbor Springs High School in Harbor Springs, MI, and earned Associate degrees in Graphic Design and Web Design from Kalamazoo Valley Community College.

For more information about the pow wow, if you would like to be a craft vendor at the pow wow or would like to volunteer at the pow wow, please contact Eva at 269-365-3979.

Photos and graphics courtesy of Eva Oldman.

Shirley Naganashe - Oldman MEMORIAL POW WOW
JUNE 22, 2019
LTBB Pow Wow Grounds
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Alpha Director: STEVEN OLDMAN
Head Veteran: TBA
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The success of the SEEDS Project, having trained nearly 400 community members during the past five years and present in more than seven high schools, is a testament to how collaboration between regional entities can have a positive impact on the region's economic standing. Without the support of North Central Michigan College, NLEA, Mi-Works, CharEm, MEDC, Precision Edge and other regional manufacturing companies, the opportunity for so many would never have occurred.

While the SEEDS Project is in its final years, LTBB and project partners have diligently worked on and submitted a new grant which we hope will expand on the STEM programing offered in the region.

Courtesy photo.

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3. ZIEBIGBIIDAN
4. AIPZ
5. HIAZIZGBI
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7. ZAAKASHWZAAHW
8. HIAGIACHIN

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Birthdays

Happy birthday wishes to my son, **Jonathon Boda**, celebrating 32 years on June 10th. Love you much,
Mom, Ashley, Carter, Grayson, Theresa, Aria, Joaquin & Gavin.

Happy birthday to my DaddyBear, **Josh Gasco**, the best Daddy of them all!! I love you so so very Much! Let's go wheelin'!!!! Love, Lane (and happy birthday from Mallory, too!)

Happy 33rd birthday to my little brother, **Josh Gasco**! THANKS for being my Best Man! It was great! Love, BJ and Jessica.

Happy birthday #33 on June 13th to a great big brother, **Josh Gasco**! Love, Holly & Joe.

Happy birthday to our fun loving, cool, Uncle, Unc **Josh Gasco**! We love you lots! Kentin & Audrey.

Happy 33rd birthday on June 13 to our wonderful son, **Josh Gasco**. Proud of the man and Daddy that you are!!! We love you very much, always! Mom & Dad.

Happy birthday to my big brother, **Kentin**! You're my big bubba, and I love you! Audrey Sissy-girl!

A HUGE happy 9th birthday to the greatest little man in the entire world! Happy birthday **Kentin Wyatt LaCombe** on June 28th. We love you very much! We are very proud of the amazing young man you are!! Love, Momma & Daddy.

Happy birthday #9 on June 28th to our wonderful grandson, **Kentin LaCombe**! Hope your day is as special as you are! We love you! Grammy & Grumpa.

Happy birthday to an amazing nephew, **Kentin**! We love and miss you! Love, Unc B & Aunt Jess.

Happy birthday to the best cousin a guy could ask for! Happy birthday **Kentin**! Love, Lane.

Happy birthday #9 to the coolest nephew, **Kentinator**! Love you! Love, Unc Josh & Mallory.

Happy birthday wishes to my niece, **Christina Dewey**, celebrating her day on June 6th. Love you, Aunt Theresa and cousins, Ashley, Carter & Grayson.

Happy birthday wishes to **Steven Jackson, Chandler Ford** and **Kamryn Schaeffer**. Hope you all have a wonderful day. From Cousin Ashley and Aunt Theresa.

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Pat Denemy would like to thank the **Denemy family** and **all the other wonderful people** who prayed for her during her 32 days in the hospital. Through their prayers and guidance, I was able to make it through as they said the world still needs that lady to finish her work on earth.

Walking On...



Andrea Victoria Reese, 24

Andrea Victoria Reese, 24, formerly of Petoskey, MI, passed away unexpectedly in Wayne County, MI. She was born at Northern Michigan Regional Hospital on May 20, 1994 to Dakota Shananaquet and Dominic Reese. She was a member of the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians. She loved outdoor activities, singing/dancing and spending time with her family. She was known for being an uplifting, kind spirit filled with laughter, smiles and love. Surviving are her parents, Dakota Shananaquet and Dominic Reese; siblings, Kasheena, Elana, Carlitos, Santiago, Deshanta, Dominic, Jr., Jocelyn, Isaiah and Carolena; Grandmother Carolyn Duhart; Grandfather, Antonio Rodriguez; Godmother, "Nokomis to all," Mildred Shomin; and the aunt of her heart, Nicole Hawkins; along with many aunts, uncles and cousins. She was preceded in death by her Great Grandma Marie R. Shananaquet; Great Grandpa Lawrence Shananaquet, Sr.; Grandma Mary Lou Shananaquet; Grandpa Mike Duhart and Uncle Charles Reese.



Cynthia Jo (Casey) Stackpoole, 69

Cynthia (Cindy) Stackpoole of Clinton Township, MI, departed this Earth for her heavenly home on March 14, 2019 after battling a debilitating disease for the past few years. Cindy was born in Flint, MI, on September 10, 1949 to Thomas and Joanne (Piper) Casey. Cindy was a woman of deep compassion and love for her family. She was a dedi-

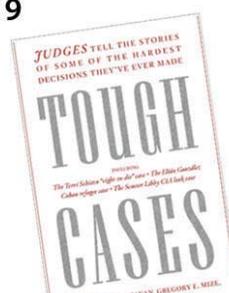
Walking On...

cated healthcare giver (R.N.) for many years and loved the Lord with all her heart. She was a caring mother, grandmother, sister, aunt, spouse and friend to many others who knew her. Cindy was united in marriage to Tom Stackpoole on May 10, 1982. Cindy is survived by her husband, Tom, her son, Brian Bennett (Melody), her brothers, Kevin Casey (Gayle), Kelly Casey (Patricia) and Michael Casey as well as several grandchildren. Cindy was a proud member of the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians. She had an amazing collection of Indian artifacts, paintings, carvings and made many friends dream catchers to display proudly on their walls. Her passing was bittersweet; her suffering had ended as she passed from this temporary home to her eternal and heavenly home with her maker and Lord.

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