

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

CERTIFIED MOTION # 072717-01

Request for Funding from the United States Department of Health and Human Services
Office of Minority Health
Empowered Communities for a Healthier Nation Initiative

WHEREAS the Waganakising Odawak, known in English as Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians is a nation of citizens with inherent sovereignty and right to self-governance;

WHEREAS the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians ("LTBB") is a federally recognized Indian Tribe under Public Law 103-324, and is a party to numerous Treaties with the United States the most recent of which being the Treaty of Washington of March 28, 1836 (7 Stat. 491) and the Treaty of Detroit of 1855 (11 Stat. 621);

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

WHEREAS the childhood obesity continues to be a serious and growing problem for Native American communities throughout North America;

WHEREAS childhood obesity is a recognized problem within the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians;

WHEREAS promotion of the health and welfare of the tribal community is a priority of the Little Traverse Bay Bands;

WHEREAS the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office of Minority Health has announced funds available to support minority and/or disadvantaged communities disproportionately impacted by childhood/adolescent obesity for a project period of 36 months.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tribal Council of the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians authorizes and supports this grant application to the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office of Minority Health for a 36-month Empowered Communities for a Healthier Nation Initiative project to reduce obesity prevalence within the child/adolescent population.

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the LTBB Tribal Chair, Vice Chair, Direct Services Administrator, or another designee from the Tribal Chair is authorized to execute any documents necessary to apply for, receive, and administer funds under the grant.

CERTIFICATION

Received by the Executive Office on 7-11-17 by JLJ/C

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

Date: 7-12-17 Regina Gasco-Bentley
Executive, Tribal Chair/Vice-Chair

Received by the Legislative Office on 7-12-17 by AO

As Tribal Council Legislative Leader and Tribal Council Secretary, we certify that this Certified Motion was duly approved by the Tribal Council of the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians at a regular meeting of the Tribal Council held July 27, 2017 at which a quorum was present, by a vote of 2 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstentions, 2 absent as recorded by this certification as an official action on behalf of Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians.

Date: 7-28-2017 AO
Aaron Otto, Legislative Leader

Date: 7-27-17 Julie Shananaquet
Julie Shananaquet, Secretary