

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

**TRIBAL RESOLUTION # 051709-05**

Request for Funding from the Michigan Department of Community Health,  
Office of Drug Control Policy (ODCP),  
FY 2010 Governor's Discretionary Grant,  
Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians  
FY 2010 Safe Communities Program

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

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

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

**WHEREAS** the Tribal government places a high regard for the youth of the Tribe and is concerned with juvenile delinquency including the prevention of alcohol and substance abuse and interventions for court-involved American Indian youth;

**WHEREAS** the Michigan Department of Community Health has announced funding through the Governor's Discretionary Grant to prevent youth drug use and violence involving parents and communities in a coordinated effort to foster a safe and drug-free environment.

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Tribal Council of the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians authorizes and supports this request for funding from the Michigan Department of Community Health for a FY 2010 Governor's Discretionary Grant for a Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Safe Communities Project.

**FURTHER RESOLVED** that Tribal Chairman Frank Ettawageshik, Vice Chairman William I. Denemy, Tribal Administrator Albert Colby Jr., or another designee from the Tribal Chairman is authorized to execute any documents necessary to apply for, receive, and administer the funds under the cooperative agreement.

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**CERTIFICATION**

As Tribal Council Legislative Leader and Tribal Council Secretary, we certify that this Tribal Resolution was duly adopted by the Tribal Council of the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians at a regular meeting of the Tribal Council held May 17, 2009 at which a quorum was present, by a vote of 8 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstentions, 1 absent as recorded by this roll call:

	In Favor	Opposed	Abstained	Absent
Fred Harrington, Jr.	_____	_____	_____	X _____
Melvin L. Kiogima	X _____	_____	_____	_____
Dexter McNamara	X _____	_____	_____	_____
Marvin Mulholland	X _____	_____	_____	_____
Rita Shananaquet	X _____	_____	_____	_____
Alice Yellowbank	X _____	_____	_____	_____
Gerald V. Chingwa	X _____	_____	_____	_____
Regina Gasco Bentley	X _____	_____	_____	_____
Beatrice A. Law	X _____	_____	_____	_____

Date: May 17, 2009

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Beatrice A. Law, Legislative Leader

Date: May 17, 2009

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Regina Gasco Bentley, Secretary

Received by the Executive Office on May 18, 2009 by Lisa Flynn

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

Date: May 20, 2009

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Frank Ettawageshik, Tribal Chairperson