

WAGANAKISING ODAWAK STATUTE

7500 Odawa Circle
Harbor Springs, MI 49740

TRIBAL COUNCIL RESOLUTION # 020506-03

Tribal Council Representatives Meet-the-Citizens Meetings

WHEREAS the Waganakising Odawak, known by some as the 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 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 Waganakising Odawak Tribal Council is the elected legislative body of the Waganakising Odawak,

WHEREAS the Waganakising Odawak Tribal Council wishes to carry out its fiduciary responsibilities to as many tribal citizens as possible,

WHEREAS the Waganakising Odawak Tribal Council wishes to avail themselves to the Waganakising Odawak citizens living outside of the boundaries of our reservation.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED the Tribal Council will hold an informal meeting with Waganakising Odawak citizens in Grand Rapids, Michigan, on Saturday, March 4, 2006.

FURTHER RESOLVED, the Tribal Council will hold an informal meeting with Waganakising Odawak citizens in Lansing, Michigan, on Saturday, April 1, 2006.

FINALLY BE IT RESOLVED, an invitation is extended to the Waganakising Odawak Executive Branch to join the Tribal Council at the aforementioned meetings.

CERTIFICATION

As Tribal Council Secretary, I certify that this Resolution was duly adopted by the Tribal Council of the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians at a regular meeting of the Tribal Council held February 5, 2006, at which a quorum was present, by a vote of 8 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstentions, and 1 absent as recorded by this roll call:

	In Favor	Opposed	Abstained	Absent
Regina Gasco Bentley	X			
Fred Harrington, Jr.	X			
Dexter McNamara	X			
Mary Roberts	X			
Rita Shananaquet				X
Alice Yellowbank	X			
Shirley Oldman	X			
Melvin L. Kiogima	X			
Beatrice Law	X			

Date: _____

Beatrice A. Law, Legislative Leader

Date: _____

Melvin L. Kiogima, Secretary