

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

RESOLUTION # 030605-01

Honoring Simon Otto

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 official language of the tribe is Anishnaabemowin and Simon Otto promotes the use of Anishnaabemowin in his work

WHEREAS: Simon Otto is an Ojibway and Ottawa Elder and Storyteller

WHEREAS: Simon has traveled through out the Midwest giving lectures on the traditions, history, culture and Indian life of old as well as of today.

WHEREAS: Simon Otto has been writing columns for thirty years for newspapers and magazines and does lectures and readings from his books sharing the traditions of his people.

WHEREAS: Simon Otto’s writings divulge many things he has heard and strives to pass his knowledge onto the younger ones of the tribe, so they can carry on the traditions.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Tribal Council hereby wishes to acknowledge Simon Otto for his past accomplishments and continuing efforts to promote and preserve Anishinaabe culture and heritage.

CERTIFICATION

As Tribal Chairman and Tribal Secretary, we certify that this Resolution was duly adopted by the Tribal Council of the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians at a regular meeting of the Tribal Council held March 6, 2005 at which a quorum was present, by a vote of 7 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstentions, and 0 absent as recorded by this roll call:

	In Favor	Opposed	Abstained	Absent
Frank Ettawageshik	<u> x </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Beatrice Law	<u> x </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Alice Yellowbank	<u> x </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Dexter McNamara	<u> x </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Fred Harrington, Jr.	<u> x </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Rita Shananaquet	<u> x </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Regina Bentley	<u> x </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>

Date: _____

 Frank Ettawageshik, Tribal Chairman

 Dexter McNamara, Tribal Secretary