

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

RESOLUTION #032209-04

Request for Funding from the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration
Center for Mental Health Services
Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians
Tribal Youth Suicide Prevention Grant

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 is listed as a federally recognized Indian Tribe in Volume 70, Number 226 of the Federal Register (p.71195);

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

WHEREAS the Tribe operates a Substance Abuse/Mental Health Services Department that is staffed by a culturally sensitive team of qualified professionals that assists Tribal members in fostering healthy lifestyles and healthy decision making;

WHEREAS: the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) is requesting proposals from federally-recognized Tribes to develop and implement youth suicide prevention and early intervention strategies grounded in collaboration among youth-serving institutions.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Tribal Council of the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians authorizes and supports the grant application to the U.S. Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration for the State/Tribal Youth Suicide Prevention Grant program.

FINALLY BE IT 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 funds under the grant.

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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 March 22, 2009 at which a quorum was present, by a vote of 8 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstentions, 0 absent as recorded by this roll call:

	In Favor	Opposed	Abstained	Absent
Fred Harrington, Jr.	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Melvin L. Kiogima	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Dexter McNamara	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Marvin Mulholland	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
VACANT	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Alice Yellowbank	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Gerald V. Chingwa	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Regina Gasco Bentley	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Beatrice A. Law	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>

Date: March 22, 2009

Beatrice A. Law, Legislative Leader

Date: March 22, 2009

Regina Gasco Bentley, Secretary

Received by the Executive Office on March 23, 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: March 23, 2009

Frank Ettawageshik, Tribal Chairperson