

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

RESOLUTION #051505-05

Request for Funding from the Bureau of Justice Statistics,
Office of Justice Programs,
United States Department of Justice,
2005 Tribal Criminal History Record Improvement Pilot Program

WHEREAS: the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians (“LTBB” or “Tribe”) is a Federally recognized Indian Tribe reaffirmed by the United States Congress on September 21, 1994 in Public Law 103-324, as amended, which exercises sovereign governmental authority over the people, land, and water within its jurisdiction and administers a wide range of governmental programs;

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

WHEREAS: the safety and protection of the Tribal community is not only a priority of the Tribe but is the primary purpose and mission of the Tribe’s Law Enforcement Department;

WHEREAS: the United States Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Bureau of Justice Statistics, has announced funding availability to improve public safety in Indian Country by enhancing the quality, completeness, and accessibility of criminal history record information.

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 Bureau of Justice Statistics, Office of Justice Programs, U.S. Department of Justice for a Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Tribal 2005 Criminal History Record Improvement Pilot Project.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Tribal Chairman Frank Ettawageshik or Tribal Administrator Albert Colby Jr., or another designee from the Tribal Chairman is authorized to execute any documents necessary to receive and administer funds under this non-competitive grant.

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 May 15, 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: May 15, 2005

Frank Ettawageshik, Tribal Chairman

Dexter McNamara, Tribal Council Secretary