

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

RESOLUTION #051803-02
2003-F1886-MI-DC Grant Authorization

- WHEREAS** the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians is a federally recognized Indian tribe as reaffirmed through Public Law 103-324 of September 21, 1994, as amended;
- WHEREAS** the Tribe seeks to work with its youth to prevent problems such as substance abuse, alcoholism, truancy, and other offenses, and to help rehabilitate youth who are already involved in such unhealthy and dangerous activities;
- WHEREAS** the Tribal Court, through the development of effective and culturally appropriate Wellness court, will be able to steer our youth and their families in a positive healthy direction;
- WHEREAS** the Wellness Court uses intensive drug team supervision for non-violent post-adjudicated youth and their family involved with substance abuse;
- WHEREAS** the Tribe and community benefit by the use of departmental intra-government collaboration that centers around the tribal values and culture;
- WHEREAS** the grant monies available through the United States Department of Justice Office of Justice Programs would enable the Tribal Court to implement a Wellness Court for juveniles and their families;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians, through its Tribal Council, authorizes submission of a grant application to United States Department of Justice Office of Justice Programs, to fund the Tribal Court's development of a Wellness Court in the amount of \$268,917 with a 25% match of \$67,229 over a three year grant.

FURTHER RESOLVED that the Tribal Chairman or his designee is authorized to sign any documents necessary to apply for, receive, and administer funds under the grant.

Certification

As Tribal 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 on May 18, 2003 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
George Anthony	<u> x </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Gerald Chingwa	<u> x </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Frederick Harrington, Jr.	<u> x </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Beatrice Law	<u> x </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Rita Shananaquet	<u> x </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Janet Shomin	<u> x </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Alice Yellowbank	<u> x </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>

Date: _____

Beatrice Law, Tribal Secretary