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

## TRIBAL RESOLUTION # 060808-05

Request for funding from U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Administration for Children and Families, Administration on Children, Youth and Families, Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Child Care and Development Fund Program

- **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 Tribal Council is the elected legislative body of the Tribe;
- **WHEREAS** the Tribe places a very high regard for the welfare of Tribal members and their families;
- WHEREAS the United States Department of Health and Human Services, Administration for Children and Families, Administration on Children, Youth and Families in accordance with Section 418 of the Social Security Act; the Child Care and Development Block Grant Act of 1990 as amended; 45 CFR Parts 98 and 99 has made funds available for child care assistance;
- **WHEREAS** federal regulations at 45 CFR 98.81 require Tribal Lead Agencies to apply for Child Care and Development Fund (CCDF) funding with a biennial plan serving as the application;
- WHEREAS the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians as a federally recognized Indian Tribe with at least 50 children under the age of 13 is eligible to receive funds as a Tribal Lead Agency.

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Tribal Council of the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians authorizes and supports the biennial plan and grant application to

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the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Administration on Children, Youth and Families for the period of October 1, 2008 to September 30, 2010 from the Child Care and Development Fund.

**FURTHER 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.

## **CERTIFICATION**

As Tribal Council Legislative Leader and Tribal Council 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 <u>June 8, 2008</u> at which a quorum was present, by a vote of <u>6</u> in favor, <u>0</u> opposed, <u>0</u> abstentions, and <u>3</u> absent as recorded by this roll call:

	In Favor	Opposed	Abstained	Absent	
Fred Harrington, Jr.	X				
Melvin L. Kiogima	X				
Dexter McNamara	X				
Marvin Mulholland	X				
Shirley Oldman				X	
Alice Yellowbank				X	
Gerald V. Chingwa				X	
Regina Gasco Bentley	X				
Beatrice A. Law	X				
Date:					
	Beatrice A. 1	Beatrice A. Law, Legislative Leader			
Date:					
	Regina Gasc	Regina Gasco Bentley, Secretary			
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Date:					
	Frank Ettaw	ageshik, Tribal	l Chairperson		

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