

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

TRIBAL RESOLUTION # 061007-01

Support H.R. 2120 to direct the Secretary of the Interior to proclaim as reservation for the benefit of the Sault St. Marie Tribe of Chippewa Indians a parcel of land now held in trust by the United States for that Indian Tribe.

WHEREAS the Waganakising Odawak is a nation of citizens with inherent sovereignty and right to self-governance;

WHEREAS the Waganakising Odawak is a nation of citizens with a long history of making agreements written and unwritten with the many Tribes in the Great Lakes region including the Sault Ste. Marie Tribe of Chippewa Indians;

WHEREAS the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians 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) and;

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

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Tribal Council supports H.R. 2120 to direct the Secretary of the Interior to proclaim as reservation for the benefit of the Sault St. Marie Tribe of Chippewa Indians a parcel of land now held in trust by the United States for that Indian Tribe.

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 June 10, 2007 at which a quorum was present, by a vote of 7 in favor, 2 opposed, 0 abstentions, 0 absent as recorded by this roll call:

	In Favor	Opposed	Abstained	Absent
Regina Gasco Bentley	X			
Fred Harrington, Jr.	X			
Dexter McNamara	X			
Mary Roberts	X			
Rita Shananaquet		X		
Alice Yellowbank	X			
Shirley Oldman	X			
Melvin L. Kiogima		X		
Beatrice A. Law	X			

Date: _____

Beatrice A. Law, Legislative Leader

Date: _____

Melvin L. Kiogima, Secretary

Received by the Executive Office on _____ by _____

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: _____

Frank Ettawageshik, Tribal Chairperson