

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

TRIBAL RESOLUTION # 061007-06

Request for Funding from the U.S. Department of Justice,
Office of Community Oriented Policing,
COPS FY 2007 Methamphetamine Initiative,
Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians
FY 2007 COPS Meth Initiative Project

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 recognizes the growing threat of methamphetamine use within the LTBB Community and the need for coordination, information sharing, and collaboration among local, state and tribal entities involved in prevention, intervention/treatment, and enforcement activities related to methamphetamine;

WHEREAS the U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Community Oriented Policing has announced the availability of funding for selected jurisdictions including Indian Tribes to support community policing efforts through the United States in preventing the production, use, and distribution of methamphetamine and build partnerships with other governmental agencies to develop or support comprehensive anti-methamphetamine strategies.

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. Department of Justice, Office of Community Oriented Policing for a Fiscal Year 2007 Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Methamphetamine Initiative Project to increase coordination, information sharing, and collaboration activities related to methamphetamine.

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 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 9 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstentions, and 0 absent as recorded by this roll call:

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

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