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

TRIBAL RESOLUTION # 061106-09

Request for Funding from the U. S. Environmental Protection Agency, Source Reduction Assistance Grants Program, Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Pollution Prevention 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's treaty delineated reservation area encompasses approximately 336 square miles in Northwest-Lower Michigan;
- **WHEREAS** the Tribal government operations include the Environmental Services Department with a mission to ensure the protection of our natural resources and to lead the Tribe in reducing or eliminating the creation of pollutants;
- **WHEREAS** the United States Environmental Protection Agency has announced the availability of funding for source reduction/pollution prevention projects through the FY 2006 Source Reduction Assistance Grants Program including Region 5.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tribal Council of the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians authorizes and supports this request for funding fro the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 5, for a Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Pollution Prevention Project.

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 this funding.

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 11, 2006</u> at which a quorum was present, by a vote of _7_ in favor, _0_ opposed, _0_ abstentions, and _2_ absent as recorded by this roll call:

	In Favor	Opposed	Abstained	Absent
Regina Gasco Bentley	Х			
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. I	Law, Legislativ	e 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