

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

RESOLUTION # 072504-01
Honoring the Service of Wesley L. Andrews as
Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act Representative

WHEREAS the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians seeks to protect and promote its legal, spiritual and moral rights to control and regain Tribal ancestral remains and artifacts, wherever they may be currently located;

WHEREAS under the Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act (NAGPRA) Indian tribes have the right to recover their artifacts and ancestral remains that are discovered on any federal lands or held in any federally funded institutions;

WHEREAS for nearly a decade, LTBB member Wesley L. Andrews served as the Tribe's official representative to pursue issues relative to NAGPRA on the Tribe's behalf. Mr. Andrew's served LTBB well in this capacity, drawing on his deep commitment to the Tribe, knowledge of Tribal history, and strong educational credentials and field experience as an archeologist

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians honors the service of Wesley L. Andrews as the Tribe's official NAGPRA representative and expresses its gratitude for his work, commitment and accomplishments to preserve and protect the Tribe's culture and heritage.

Certification

As Tribal Chairman and Tribal 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 on July 25, 2004 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
Regina Bentley	_x_	_____	_____	_____
Frank Ettawageshik	_x_	_____	_____	_____
Frederick Harrington, Jr.	_x_	_____	_____	_____
Beatrice Law	_x_	_____	_____	_____
Dexter McNamara	_x_	_____	_____	_____
Rita Shananaquet	_x_	_____	_____	_____
Alice Yellowbank	_x_	_____	_____	_____

Date: _____

 Frank Ettawageshik, Tribal Chairman

 Dexter McNamara, Tribal Secretary