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

TRIBAL RESOLUTION # 080909-08

Strategic Plan for Tribal Land Acquisition

- **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 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 Land and Reservation Committee received a grant from the Indian Land Tenure Foundation to complete a strategic plan for land acquisition;
- **WHEREAS** In accordance with the grant requirements, the Land and Reservation Committee met with Executive staff and prepared a strategic plan;
- **WHEREAS** A draft of the plan was submitted from the Land and Reservation Committee to Tribal Council for approval.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Tribal Council approves the Strategic Plan for Land Acquisition dated August 9, 2009 as submitted by the Land and Reservation Committee and requests and authorizes the Tribal Chairman through his administrative oversight authority to implement the plan in conjunction with Tribal Council.

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 <u>August 09, 2009</u> at which a quorum was present, by a vote of <u>7</u> in favor, <u>0</u> opposed, <u>0</u> abstentions, <u>2</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				
Rita Shananaquet					X	
Alice Yellowbank					X	
Gerald V. Chingwa		X				
Regina Gasco Bentley		X				
Beatrice A. Law		X				
Date:	08/09/09	Beatrice A. Law, Legislative Leader				
		Regina Gasco Bentley, Secretary				
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Date:	08/10/09					
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