

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

**TRIBAL COUNCIL RESOLUTION # 082006-03**

Members of Tribal Council shall be able to use the  
Michelle Chingwa Education Assistance Act

**WHEREAS** the Waganakising Odawak is a nation of citizens 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 Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Tribal Council is the elected legislative body of the Tribe;

**WHEREAS** the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Tribal Council is responsible for setting the level of scholarship funding;

**WHEREAS** the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Tribal Council has an ethics policy that is not clear on the use of this program for Councilors;

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that Members of the Tribal Council shall be permitted to use the Michelle Chingwa Education Assistance Act without conflict of interest.

**CERTIFICATION**

As Tribal Council Legislative Leader and Tribal Council Secretary, we certify that this Tribal Council 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 August 20, 2006 at which a quorum was present, by a vote of 7 in favor, 1 opposed, 0 abstentions, and 1 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>          </u>	<u>X</u>	<u>          </u>	<u>          </u>
Alice Yellowbank	<u>X</u>	<u>          </u>	<u>          </u>	<u>          </u>
Shirley Oldman	<u>          </u>	<u>          </u>	<u>          </u>	<u>X</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: \_\_\_\_\_

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Beatrice A. Law, Legislative Leader

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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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: \_\_\_\_\_

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Frank Ettawageshik, Tribal Chairperson