

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

TRIBAL RESOLUTION #090907-05

The Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Acknowledges Nungo-kwe's (Dorothy Sagataw's) Life-Long Commitment to the Odawa Culture, Use of Anishinaabemowin, and Personal Contributions to the Men and Women of the Armed Forces and bestows upon her our Greatest Accolades and Gratitude for Her Unselfish Actions and Example She Sets for All to Follow.

WHEREAS the Waganakising Odawak is a nation of citizens with inherent sovereignty and right to self governance;

WHEREAS The little Travers 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 and the Treaty of Detroit of 1955;

WHEREAS the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Tribal Council is the elected Legislative elected body of the Tribe;

WHEREAS Nungo-kwe also known as Dorothy Sagataw is the daughter of Hattie and Benedict Sagataw;

WHEREAS Nungo-kwe is a respected Waganakising Odawa Tribal Elder and life-long resident of Harbor Springs;

WHEREAS Nungo-kwe has actively supported area veterans and service members and Harbor Springs American Legion Auxiliary and has been known to sell more poppies than anyone else in the chapter does;

WHEREAS Nungo-kwe has actively participated in the planning and production of the Three Kings Supper and annual Spring Feast (Return Supper) representing a unique blend of new and old local traditions;

WHEREAS Nungo-kwe's persistent use of Anishinaabemowin (the language of the Odawak) and the traditional manner she lives her daily life provide excellent examples for younger generations to follow and promotes the revitalization of Anishinaabemowin and Odawak Culture.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians acknowledges Nungo-kwe's life-long commitment to the Odawa Culture, use of Anishinaabemowin, and personal contributions to the men and women of the armed

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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 September 9, 2007 at which a quorum was present, by a vote of 8 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstentions, 1 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
Shirley Oldman	X			
Alice Yellowbank	X			
Gerald V. Chingwa	X			
Regina Gasco Bentley	X			
Beatrice A. Law	X			

Date: _____

Beatrice A. Law, Legislative Leader

Date: _____

Regina Gasco Bentley, 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

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