

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

TRIBAL RESOLUTION # 100806-04

Request for Legal Review of the Holy Childhood Land Transfers

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

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) and;

WHEREAS the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Reservation encompasses the land that was transferred to the Catholic Church in the area now known as Harbor Springs;

WHEREAS the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Tribal Council desires a complete and full understanding of the transfers that have taken place, any conditions affecting the transfer of land to the Catholic Church in the area now known as Harbor Springs and any promises the Church has made to local Indians.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED the Tribal Council requests a memo from the Legal Department describing all agreements, conditions, restrictions, covenants, transactions or promises associated with the transfer of land to the Catholic Church and the Holy Childhood School in the area now known as Harbor Springs.

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 October 08, 2006 at which a quorum was present, by a vote of 5 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstentions, and 4 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> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u>X</u>
Mary Roberts	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Rita Shananaquet	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Alice Yellowbank	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u>X</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> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u>X</u>

Date: _____
Beatrice A. Law, Legislative 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