

LITTLE TRAVERSE BAY BANDS OF ODAWA INDIANS

**7500 Odawa Circle
Harbor Springs, MI 49740**

CERTIFIED MOTION # 031722-04

Request for Funding as a sub-grantee from Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS) for funding from the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration SOR 3 Anishinaabek Healing Circle Medication Assisted Treatment Initiative

WHEREAS the Waganakising Odawak, known in English as Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians is a nation of citizens with inherent sovereignty and right to self-governance;

WHEREAS the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians (“LTBB”) 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 Tribe’s treaty delineated reservation area encompasses approximately 337 square miles in the Northwestern Lower Michigan;

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 Executive power is vested in the Tribal Chairperson and Vice Chairperson, who oversee all Tribal Executive Departments;

WHEREAS the LTBB Health Department’s mission is to ensure a holistic approach for all Anishinabek by respecting and intertwining both modern and traditional healing;

WHEREAS MDHHS, has received funds from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) to implement a Medication Assisted Treatment (MAT) and Recovery Initiative, in order to improve access to treatment and recovery support services for under/uninsured American Indian/Alaskan Natives (AI/AN) with an Opioid Use Disorder;

WHEREAS the LTBB Health Department’s Behavioral Health program supports building the capacity of federally recognized tribes in Michigan to provide improved access to treatment and recovery support services for opioid use disorders to our most vulnerable Tribal citizens;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tribal Council of the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians authorizes and supports participation in the Inter-Tribal Council of Michigan, Inc. awarded SOR 3 Anishinaabek Healing Circle Medication Assisted Treatment Initiative for a 24-month project.

BE IT ALSO RESOLVED that the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians will provide the necessary indirect costs through IHS Third Party Funds as approved by Tribal Resolution.

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the LTBB Tribal Chair, Vice Chair, Direct Services Administrator, or another designee from the Tribal Chair is authorized to execute any documents necessary to apply for, receive, and administer funds under the grant.

CERTIFICATION

Received by the Executive Office on _____ by _____

The Executive concurs and recommend this action of the Tribal Council.

Date: _____

Executive, Tribal Chair/Vice-Chair

Received by the Legislative Office on _____ by _____

As Tribal Council Legislative Leader and Tribal Council Secretary, we certify that this Certified Motion was duly approved by the Tribal Council of the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians at a regular meeting of the Tribal Council held March 17, 2022 at which a quorum was present, by a vote of ___ in favor, ___ opposed, ___ abstentions, ___ absent as recorded by this certification as an official action on behalf of Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians.

Date: _____

Emily Proctor, Legislative Leader

Date: _____

Marcella R. Reyes, Secretary