

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

CERTIFIED MOTION # 092624-04

Request for Funding from the Great Lakes Inter-Tribal Council, Inc.,
Great Lakes Inter-Tribal Epidemiology Center,
Good Health and Wellness in Indian Country

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

WHEREAS commercial tobacco use continues to be a serious and growing problem for Native American communities throughout North America;

WHEREAS diabetes is a recognized problem within the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians;

WHEREAS promotion of physical activity to the Tribal community is a priority of the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians;

WHEREAS the Great Lakes Inter-Tribal Epidemiology Center (GLITEC) has announced funds available to reduce deaths and disability from commercial tobacco use, diabetes, heart disease and stroke in American Indian/Alaska communities for a 60-month project period.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tribal Council of the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians authorizes and supports this grant application to the Great Lakes Inter-Tribal Epidemiology Center for a 60-month Good Health and Wellness in Indian Country project to reduce disparities in chronic disease and related risk factors to improve overall health outcomes.

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the LTBB Tribal Chair, Vice Chair, Executive Directors, 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 recommends this action of the Tribal Council.

Date: _____

Executive, Tribal Chair/Vice-Chair

Received by the Legislative Office on _____ by _____

As the Tribal Council Legislative Leader and Tribal Council Secretary, certifies 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 September 26, 2024 at which a quorum was present, by a vote of ___ in favor, ___ opposed, ___ abstentions, and ___ absent as recorded by this certification as an official action on behalf of Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians.

Date: _____

Marcella R. Reyes, Legislative Leader

Date: _____

Emily Proctor, Secretary