

WAKANAKISING ODAWAK STATUTE # 2021-____
AMENDMENT TO WAGANAKISING ODAWAK STATUTE 2006-017
BURIAL PROGRAM

SECTION I. REPEAL

SECTION III. IMPLEMENTATION

A. LTBB shall maintain a separate Burial Program Account administered by the Executive Branch. Funds for the Burial Program will be appropriated annually in the budget process.

B. Burial funds are only provided through direct payment, or reimbursement with receipts, as a result of funeral and burial costs. Therefore, this assistance is only available if receipts are provided to LTBB no later than six months after the death. The receipts will be paid in the order received or according to the preferences indicated by the person handling the affairs of the deceased.

SECTION II. REPLACE

SECTION III. IMPLEMENTATION

A. LTBB shall maintain a separate Burial Program Account administered by the Executive Branch. Funds for the Burial Program will be appropriated annually in the budget process.

B. Burial funds are only provided through direct payment, or reimbursement with receipts, as a result of funeral and burial costs. Therefore, this assistance is only available with proof of death and submission of receipts. The receipts will be paid in the order received or according to the preferences indicated by the person handling the affairs of the deceased.

SECTION III. EFFECTIVE DATE

Effective upon signature of the Executive or thirty (30) days from Tribal Council approval whichever comes first, or, if the Executive vetoes the legislation, then upon Tribal Council override of the veto.

Passed by Tribal Council on February 11, 2021 by a vote of 7-yes, 2-absent. This statute is scheduled to be sent the Executive for signature.

CERTIFICATION

As the Tribal Council Legislative Leader and Tribal Council Secretary, we certify that this Statute 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 on February 11, 2021 at which a quorum was present, by a vote of 7 in favor, 0 opposed, 0 abstentions, and 2 absent as recorded by this roll call:

	In Favor	Opposed	Abstained	Absent
Fred Harrington Jr.	X	_____	_____	_____
Fred Kiogima	X	_____	_____	_____
Tamara Kiogima	X	_____	_____	_____
Melissa Pamp	X	_____	_____	_____
Leroy Shomin	_____	_____	_____	X
Marty Van De Car	X	_____	_____	_____
Marcella R. Reyes	_____	_____	_____	X
Julie Shananaquet	X	_____	_____	_____
Emily Proctor	X	_____	_____	_____

Date: _____

 Emily Proctor, Legislative Leader

Date: _____

 Julie Shananaquet, Tribal Council 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: _____

 Regina Gasco Bentley, Tribal Chairperson

Received from the Executive on _____ by _____

