

**WAGANAKISING ODAWAK STATUTE # 2023- 021**  
**REPEAL OF WAGANAKISING ODAWAK STATUTE 2009-011**  
**EDUCATION APPEALS BOARD**

**SECTION I.           PURPOSE**

The purpose of this statute is to repeal the Education Appeals Board Statute, Waganakising Odawak Statute 2009-011.

**SECTION II.          FINDINGS**

The Education Appeals Board was established to conduct hearings for appeals of programs administered by the Education Department such as the Higher Education Scholarship Program, Adult Vocational Training Scholarship Program and Direct Employment Program. Due to the enactment of the Michelle Chingwa Education Honorarium Act, Waganakising Odawak Statute 2020-003, appeals of Higher Education Scholarship decisions are now heard directly by the Education Department. The Education Department's Vocational and Direct Employment Programs no longer exist in a form involving appeals. As the Education Appeals Board no longer serves the purposes for which it was established, the Education Appeals Board Statute should be repealed.

**SECTION III.         REPEAL**

The Education Appeals Board Statute, Waganakising Odawak Statute 2009-011, is hereby repealed.

**SECTION IV.         EFFECTIVE DATE**

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

## 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 November 30, 2023 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 Kiogima	_____	_____	_____	X
Tamara Munson	X	_____	_____	_____
William Ortiz	X	_____	_____	_____
Aaron Otto	X	_____	_____	_____
Melissa Pamp	X	_____	_____	_____
Jordan Shananaquet	X	_____	_____	_____
Leroy Shomin	X	_____	_____	_____
Emily Proctor	X	_____	_____	_____
Marcella Reyes	_____	_____	_____	X

Date: 12/1/2023

*Marcella R. Reyes*

Marcella Reyes, Legislative Leader

Date: 12/1/2023

*Emily Proctor*

Emily Proctor, Tribal Council Secretary

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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: 12/01/2023

*Regina Gasco*

Regina Gasco Bentley, Tribal Chairperson

Received from the Executive on 12/1/2023 by *Maria Taylor*