

Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin

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Oneidas bringing several hundred bags of corn to Washington's starving army at Valley Forge, after the colonists had consistently refused to aid them.



UGWA DEMOLUM YATEHE
Because of the help of this Oneida Chief in cementing a friendship between the six nations and the colony of Pennsylvania, a new nation, the United States was made possible.

RESOLUTION 3-26-98-A

Designating The Oneida Housing Authority as the Tribally Designated Housing Entity

- WHEREAS,** the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin is a federally recognized Indian government and a Treaty Tribe recognized by the laws of the United States,
- WHEREAS,** the Oneida General Tribal Council is the governing body of the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin,
- WHEREAS,** the Oneida Business Committee has been delegated the authority of Article V, Section I of the Oneida Tribal Constitution to the Oneida Business Committee; and
- WHEREAS,** the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin acting by and through the Oneida Business Committee has previously created the Oneida Housing Authority by enactment of an Ordinance dated April 20, 1963; and
- WHEREAS,** for many years an objective of the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin has been the development, maintenance and operation of safe, clean and healthy affordable housing within the Oneida Reservation boundaries and in other areas where low-income Indian families live; and
- WHEREAS,** in order to receive federal assistance that recognizes the right of tribal self-governance, and for other purposes, P.L. 104-330 requires that the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin designate the Oneida Housing Authority; and
- WHEREAS,** Pursuant to P.L. 104-330 the Oneida Housing Authority is the "Tribally Designated Housing Entity"; and
- WHEREAS,** it is the intent of the Oneida Business Committee and the Oneida Housing Authority that the legal continuity of the Oneida Housing Authority (OHA) continue uninterrupted;

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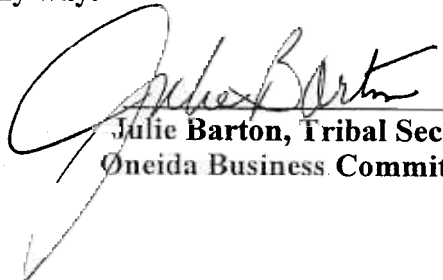
WHEREAS, the OHA certifies that community members of the Oneida Tribe have been made aware of information concerning the amount of funds available for proposed community development and housing activities, the range of activities that may be assisted as well as other Native American Housing Assistance and Self Determination Act (NAHASDA) requirements and solicited the community's view and participation; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that OHA requests that notwithstanding OHA's designation as the Tribally Designated Housing Entity by operation of federal law, the Oneida Business Committee establish OHA as the Tribally Designated Entity; and

NOW BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that as the Tribally Designated Housing Entity, OHA authorizes and submits the plan and application to the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development for the purposes of securing affordable, well built housing for Native Americans.

CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, as Secretary of the Oneida Business Committee, hereby certify that the Oneida Business Committee is composed of nine (9) members of whom (5) members, constituting a quorum, 6 were present at a meeting duly called, noticed, and held on the 26th day of March, 1998; that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of 5 members for, 0 members against, and 0 members abstaining: And that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.


Julie Barton, Tribal Secretary
Oneida Business Committee