

Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin



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

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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.

BC RESOLUTION 05-13-09-E *Repeal of the Oneida Boxing Ordinance*

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 of America; and

WHEREAS, the Oneida General Tribal Council is the governing body of the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin; and

WHEREAS, the Oneida Business Committee has been delegated the authority of Article IV of the Oneida Tribal Constitution by the General Tribal Council; and

WHEREAS, the Oneida Boxing Ordinance (Ordinance) was adopted by passage of BC resolution 1-03-96-A to govern amateur boxing, sparring, or exhibition matches conducted within the Reservation boundaries; and

WHEREAS, under the Ordinance, the Oneida Sports Council is the oversight body responsible for regulating these matches, which includes issuing permits and licenses to clubs and assigning inspectors and physicians to matches; and

WHEREAS, amateur boxing matches cannot be held in accordance with this law as the Oneida Sports Council is not a functional entity; and

WHEREAS, the Ordinance prohibits professional boxing matches from occurring and does not address other types of matches, such as mixed martial arts, kickboxing, and/or wrestling; and

WHEREAS, the repeal of the Ordinance would allow boxing, mixed martial arts, and other matches to occur on Tribal property, including at the Casino, and provide the Tribe with another revenue generating opportunity; and

WHEREAS, a contract between the Tribe and the promoters and/or participants of a match can ensure that applicable laws and regulations are followed when a match is held on Tribal property and limit the Tribe's liability associated with the match; and

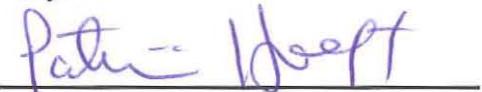
WHEREAS, a public hearing on the repeal of the Ordinance was held on March 31, 2009.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the attached Oneida Boxing Ordinance is hereby repealed.

THEREFORE BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, in order to protect the Tribe's interests, before any amateur or professional boxing, mixed martial arts, or similar match is held on Tribal property, a contract shall be secured between the Tribe and the promoter and/or participants of a match, in accordance with the Tribe's contracting policies.

CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, as Secretary of the Oneida Business Committee, hereby certify that the Oneida Business Committee is composed of 9 members of whom 5 members constitute a quorum. 6 members were present at a meeting duly called, noticed and held on the 13th day of May 2009; that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of 5 members for; 0 members against; and 0 members not voting; and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.



Patricia Hoeft, Tribal Secretary
Oneida Business Committee

*According to the By-Laws, Article I, Section 1, the Chair votes "only in the case of a tie."