

## **Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin**

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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

## GENERAL TRIBAL COUNCIL RESOLUTION # GTC- 7-6-92-B

- WHEREAS, the Oneida General Tribal Council is the duly recognized governing body of the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin,
- WHEREAS, the Oneida Business Committee may be delegated duties and responsibilities by the Oneida General Tribal Council and is at all times subject to the review powers of the Oneida General Tribal Council, and
- WHEREAS, the General Tribal Council has been delegated the authority of Article IV, Section I of the Oneida Tribal Constitution, and
- WHEREAS, the Oneida Business Committee has determined that due to expansion of the Oneida Gaming enterprise, also known as the First American Games, to include games denominated as Class III games under the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act of 1988 (P.L. 100-4097), which federal law also provided for Compacts between Tribal and State governments governing the regulation of Class III games on reservations, and
- WHEREAS, the Oneida Tribe and the State of Wisconsin entered into a Class III Gaming Compact on November 7, 1991 which was approved by the Secretary of the Interior, Manual Lujan, on January 24, 1992. Said Compact addresses the conduct of the game known as Blackjack and gaming machines with video, or electronic displays and sets forth a system of joint regulation of these Class III games by the Tribe and the State, and
- WHEREAS, the Oneida Gaming Ordinance adopted by the Oneida Business Committee on April 21, 1989 has been revised by subsequent directives of the Oneida General Tribal Council which includes amending the composition of the Oneida Gaming Commission and the manner of their selection, as well as 8 recommendations of the Bingo Investigation Committee, and
- WHEREAS, these revisions and others have been incorporated into the proposed Comprehensive Oneida Gaming Ordinance, and
- WHEREAS, more than three public hearings have been held to allow the general membership and elected entities of the Onedia Tribe to comment and offer proposed revisions to this Ordinance, and
- NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: that the attached Comprehenisve Oneida Gaming Ordinance is hereby approved by the Oneida General Tribal Council for adoption by the Oneida Business Committee. It is specifically intended

Oneidas bringing several hundred bags of corn to Washington's starving army at Valley Forge, after the colonists had consistently refused to aid them that this ordinance conforms to the requirements of the Oneida Constitution, the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act of 1988, the Oneida Tribe of Wisconsin Class III Gaming Compact, regulations of the Federal Indian Gaming Commission as well as directives of the Oneida General Tribal Council. It is also intended that specific regulations as required by Oneida Administrative Procedure Act authorized by and for the purpose of implementing this Ordinance be promulgated, published and maintained in a Oneida Gaming Standard Operating Procedures Manual.

- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this Ordinance be published in the Kalihwisaks and copies available to the general membership and the public at their request. This ordinance shall also be provided to all Managers and Directors who shall insure that all employees are familiar with its requirements, and
- BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, this Ordinance and its implementing regulations shall be presented to the U. S. Department of the Interior, the Federal Indian Gaming Commission, the State of Wisconsin.

## <u>C E R T I F I C A T I O N</u>

I, the undersigned, as Secretary of the Oneida Business Committee, hereby certify that the Oneida General Tribal Council in session with a quorum of 128 members present at a meeting duly called, noticed, and held on the 6TH day of JULY, 1992; that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a unanimous vote of those present and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

Amelia Cornelius, Tribal Secretary Oneida Business Committee