

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.

GENERAL TRIBAL COUNCIL RESOLUTION # GTC-08-03-92-A

- 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, Irene Metoxen Moore who lived upon this earth from 1903 to 1976 was the first woman Chairperson of the Oneida Indian Tribe of Wisconsin, and
- WHEREAS, Irene Moore headed the first Tribal Education Committee in 1964 and while in this position she originated the Senior Banquet each spring to honor all high school graduates, and
- WHEREAS, In 1965 Irene Moore helped establish The Oneida Housing Authority which with the assistance of the Federal Housing and Urban Development program has brought hundreds of new homes to the Oneida people, and
- WHEREAS, Irene Moore pushed for economic development and The Oneida Industrial Park was opened in 1970, and
- WHEREAS, Irene Moore held office as President of The Women's Society of Christian Service, and
- WHEREAS, Irene Moore was chosen as the most outstanding elder in the State of Wisconsin in 1976, and
- WHEREAS, Irene Moore dedicated her life to make Oneida a better place to live for all people.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that a color portrait at least 20 X 16 shall be commissioned and this portrait shall be displayed in the Oneida Tribal Business Committee room for all time.

CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, as Secretary of the Oneida Business Committee, hereby certify that the Oneida General Tribal Council in session with a quorum of 153 members present at a meeting duly called, noticed, and held on the 3rd day of August, 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resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a unanimous vote of those present and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.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

Óneida Business Committee