

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

## **Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin** BUSINESS COMMITTEE





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.

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## GTC Resolution # 9-13-03-B Resolution Adopting FY 2004 BUDGET

- 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; 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, Section 1, of the Oneida Tribal Constitution by the General Tribal Council; and
- WHEREAS, the Oneida Business Committee has the fiscal responsibility of preparing a budgetary plan for review and approval by General Tribal Council; and
- WHEREAS, a comprehensive spending plan must encompass the various priorities of the Oneida Nation, which include: Health Care, Education, Economic, Government, Land & Environment, Language, Culture & Heritage, and Employment in Oneida; and
- WHEREAS, the comprehensive spending plan includes additional allocations for Operational Goals, Support Systems, Debt Payments, Membership Payments, and Capital Reserve; and
- WHEREAS, The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB), which sets accounting standards with which governmental entities must comply, has issued new accounting standards which impact the presentation of our financial statements. Compliance with these reporting requirements may affect how the financial activity is represented within individual areas without having any material effect on overall Tribal operations; and
- WHEREAS, GTC Resolution #7-08-02-A directed the Oneida Business Committee to conduct a compensation review of positions within the Oneida Tribal organization for implementation of wage modifications to begin with fiscal year 2004. Therefore, the budget plan has pooled funds for salary adjustments in the following areas: Elected Officials, Gaming, Governmental and Enterprises; and
- WHEREAS, The Oneida Business Committee has completed a budgeting process of assessment, development, measurement and implementation.

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NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: the FY2004 Budget of \$344,386,922 as defined by the attached document is approved by Oneida General Tribal Council for implementation with review and oversight by the Oneida Business Committee and includes the *Oneida Compensation Plan* in accordance with GTC Resolution #7-08-02-A.

## CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, as Tribal Secretary, hereby certify that the Oneida General Tribal Council, hereby certify that the Oneida General Tribal Council in session with a quorum of 228 members presented at a meeting duly called, noticed and held on the <u>13th</u> day of <u>September</u>, 2003; 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 away.

Inlie Barton, Secretary

Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin