



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



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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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Resolution #01-28-09-C

## GRANTING PARDON OF TODD METOXEN

- 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 Oneida General tribal Council, and
- WHEREAS,** the Oneida Pardon Screening Committee has presented a Pardon Petition on behalf of TODD METOXEN, and
- WHEREAS,** the requirements of the Oneida Pardon Ordinance and Oneida Pardon Procedures Policy have been fulfilled, and
- WHEREAS,** the Oneida Pardon Screening Committee hereby recommends APPROVING the pardon petition of TODD METOXEN, Petitioner.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Oneida Business Committee by this resolution hereby:

√ **GRANTS** the Pardon of TODD METOXEN, Petitioner and notifies the Oneida Nation and its employing agencies that the Petitioner is recognized as a member of the Oneida Nation to have all the benefits and employment opportunities available to all other persons as if the criminal past pardoned by this resolution did not exist.

### 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 28<sup>th</sup> day of Jan., 2009; that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of 4 members for; 0 members against; and 0 members not voting; and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.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."