

Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin

Executive Committee

June 18, 1969

Chicago Corners School

Special

Present: Chrm. Purcell Powless, Vice Chair. Irene Moore, Sec. Amelia Cornelius, Treas. Joycelyn Ninham.

Others: Mr. E. J. Riley, Mr. Chevey – BIA

The meeting was called to order at 8:30 p.m.

Present at meeting: VISTA Neil Olson, John Sherwin, Priscilla Manders, CAP coordinator, Evelyn Danforth, Community worker Wendell McLester, Loretta Ellis, Ida Fuss, Mr & Mrs Stanley Webster, MRs. Ervin Cook, Mrs. Fastwolf, Mrs. Elsie Cooper, Mrs. White, Mr. Cook and daughter.

Purpose of the meeting was to discuss so-called discrepancies of the June 14, 1969 election claimed by Mrs. Fastwolf and Mrs. Cooper.

1. No provision in amendment for absentee ballots
2. Too much authority for Executive Council
3. Election board chairman not present
4. Members of Executive Board on election board
5. Instruction by Secretary on how to vote in booth
6. 1 person voted twice
7. Opened absentee ballots before closing time
8. Official ballots outside
9. Were not allowed to be poll watchers
10. Open electioneering in building
11. Persons unaware of contents of the ballots
12. Were not allowed a proper hearing with Council
13. Members were evicted from building

Discussion on the Industrial Corporation with MR. Riley.

Motion to adjourn by Amelia Cornelius, second by Irene Moore. Motion carried.

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