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# Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin, Inc.



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ONEIDA TRIBAL BUSINESS COMMITTEE MEETING  
SPECIAL MEETING 7:45 p.m. APRIL 16, 1973

OFFICERS PRESENT: Purcell Powless, Chrmm.; Irene Moore, Vice-Chrmm;  
Alma Webster, Treasurer; Margaret Doxtater, Secretary;  
COMMITTEE MEMBERS: Eva Danforth, Loretta Ellis, Norbert Hill, Gordon McLester, Wendell McLester

**BUSINESS CONDUCTED:**

Chrmm. called the meeting to order. Purpose of the meeting: Should Loretta Ellis be paid consultant fee for services for the Tribe. Wendell McLester moved to rescind the motion for a closed session. Norbert Hill seconded. Motion carried. Chrmm. read letter of support for Mrs. Ellis from the Education Committee. Also a letter for Pete Christensen concerning a consultant. Irene Moore made a motion to set aside \$300.00 per month for consultant fees (\$150 for mileage and per diem, \$150 for consultant fee). The Chairman to be the authorizing agent for contacting the consultant. In his absence, the Tribal Manager will be the authorizing agent. Gordon McLester seconded. Motion carried, 7 for, 1 abstain.

Joy Ninham is chairman of the Health Committee, Sal Smith a member. The chairman of the Business Committee appointed Florence Jones to take Sonny King's place. The chairman appointed Harriet Alicia as a non-voting member representing Head Start.

The chairman appointed Anderson Cornelius to the Housing committee for another term of office.

Alcoholism Program Loretta Ellis moved to negotiate for 10% of the program for administration. Irene Moore seconded. Carried.

Discussion of Emergency Employment phase-down with Loretta Ellis.

Discussion of Revenue Sharing funds. Gordon McLester moved to notify all committees to submit a budget listing their need for funds and present it at the next meeting. Norbert Hill seconded. Carried. Wendell McLester moved to table any more discussion on revenue sharing funds until the committee budgets are submitted. Eva Danforth seconded. Carried.

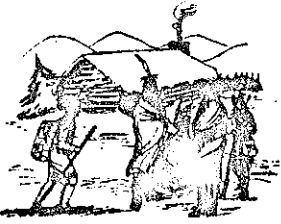
Land Committee report

Wendell McLester moved to approve the residential lease applications of John Christjohn, Carl Melcher, and David Powless. Irene Moore second. Carried.

Nurse Recruitment applications

Loretta Ellis made a motion to recommend Christine Margaret Doxtator. Gordon McLester seconded. Carried.

Loretta Ellis volunteer to be on the committee to negotiate the Buy-Indian contracts.



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Irene Moore made a motion to pay Loretta Ellis' bill of \$292.00 for consultant service; this time. Eva Danforth seconded. Motion carried, 7 for, 1 abstain.

Eva Danforth moved to table discussion of a workable program for the annuity treaty until the next meeting. Motion seconded and carried, 6 for, 1 against.

Irene Moore motion to adjourn. Gordon McLester second. Adjourned.

*Margaret Doxtater*

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Oneida Tribal Business Committee