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Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin, Inc. Education Offices







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TRT BAL RESOLUTION

- 2-2-78-A
- Whereas, The Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin, Inc. contracts the Bureau of Indian Affairs Higher Education Scholarship Program, and,
- Higher Education is deemed a continuing priority of the Oneida Tribe of Indians Whereas. of Wisconsin, Inc. and a responsibility to the Bureau of Indian Affairs via the Snyder Act, and,
- This priority encourages increasing numbers of Oneida students to participate Whereas, in the Oneida Higher Education Scholarship Program, and,
- The cost of Higher Education is continuing to increase due to the impact Whereas, of inflation and other considerations, and
- Reductions experienced by the Oneida Higher Education Office are inconsistant Whereas, of the afore mentioned priorities. and have necessitated reductions in student awards from Oneida in the amount of \$19,552.04, and,
- Whereas. This amounted to an average reduction per student of 17% based on \$646.32 average request to Oneida Higher Education Office. and
- Obtaining the deficit figure of \$19,552.04 would serve only to accommodate the Whereas, second semester 1977-78 students and no further allocation can be expected prior to October 1, 1978, and,
- The process employed by the Minneapolis area office to determine the contract Whereas, amount available to each contractor is inconsistent within the Minneapolis area,
- Therefore, Be It Resolved, that the Oneida Tribe Of Indians of Wisconsin, Inc., in order to provide adequate funds for its Higher Education students has the necessity for additional funding from supplemental sources consisting of:
 - 1. Year-end leftover monies from the Bureau of Indian Affairs Central Office, Minneapolis Area Office or Great Lakes Agency
 - New legislation passed to develop additional funding for Tribal Higher 2. Education Contractors
 - 3. Emergency or any other form of funding for Tribal Higher Education Contractors
 - 4. Any other available sources

To provide educational opportunities for Spring, Summer and Fall for Higher Education applicants, and, that an equitable distribution formula be utilized in the disbursement of Minneapolis Area Office Higher Educational Scholarship Funds, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin in order to effectively serve its Higher Education students requests, according to need, the additional Higher Education amount of \$54,500.00 (\$19,500.00 Semester II 1977-78, \$10,000.00 Summer Session 1978, \$25,000.00 Semester I, 1978-79).

CERTIFICATION -Oneida Business Committee-

I, the undersigned, as Secretary of the Oneida Business Committee, hereby certify that the Oneida Business Committee is composed of $\underline{9}$ members of whom $\underline{6}$ constitute a quorm; at a meeting duly called, noticed and held on $\underline{10}$ month $\underline{20}$ day of 1978, the foregoing resolution was adopted by a vote of $\underline{5}$ for, and $\underline{0}$ against and $\underline{0}$ abstentions.