

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

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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.

RESOLUTION # 2-2-90-C

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 Tribe participated in meetings on January 17, 18, 19, and 20, 1990, in Salt Lake City, Utah, to protect its Treaties rights and those of other Indian tribes for a proposed coalition of county governments to 'modernize' Indian Treaties at a conference organized by the Wisconsin Counties Association, and

WHEREAS, at this meeting the Oneida Tribe joined the Navajo, Onglala, Sioux, and Ute Nations and other Indian Tribes in Salt Lake City, and accomplished its purpose of educating the local and national public to the dangers of amending and abrogating Indian treaties as well as the absence of any need to do so, and

WHEREAS, Local Salt Lake City Indians and non-Indians were helpful in assisting the Oneida Tribe and other Indian tribes.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: that the Oneida Tribe extends its thanks and appreciation to LYNN MARTINEZ for her assistance and support in opposing the conference sponsored by the Wisconsin Counties Association to seek federal legislation to limit and possibly abrogate Indian Treaties:

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 constitutes a quorum. 7 members were present at a meeting duly called, noticed and held on the 2nd day of February 1990; that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of 6 members for; 0 members against, 0 members not voting; and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

Amelia Cornelius, Tribal Secretary Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin