

## Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin

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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, WI 54155

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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- 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 governmental 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 goal of the Oneida Tribe is to continue to acquire, preserve, protect, and improve the tribal lands and environment, and respond to the needs of our Mother Earth through integrated management, and
- WHEREAS, the Oneida Tribe through the Oneida Environmental Department believes that we must respect, honor and care for Mother Earth and her families within the sacred circle of life, nurturing all generations, and
- WHEREAS, the Oneida Tribe believes it is our privilege and responsibility to protect the land and preserve the environment.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED: That the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin-Oneida Environmental Department authorizes and submits this grant application to the United States Environmental Protection Agency, Office of Environmental Justice for the purpose of regulating the environmental standards of Oneida Tribal Lands.

## CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, as Secretary of the Oneida Business Committee, hereby certify that the Oneida Business Committee is composed of nine (9) members of whom  $\underline{\mathcal{B}}_{-}$  members, constituting a quorum, were present at a meeting duly called, noticed, and held on the  $\underline{/57}$  day of  $\underline{726}$ , 1995; that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of  $\underline{-7}$  members for,  $\underline{-0}$  members against, and  $\underline{-0}_{-}$  members abstaining: And that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

Julie Barton, Tribal Secretary Oneida Business Committee