Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin



Oneidas bringing several hundred bags of corn to Washington's starving army at Valley Forge, after the colonists had consistently refused to aid them. Post Office Box 365



Oneida, Wi 54155



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 # 3 - 1 - 95 - 6

- WHEREAS, the Oneida Nation in 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 Nation Constitution by the Oneida General Council, and
- WHEREAS, the goal of the Oneida Nation is to project, maintain and improve the standard of living and the environment in which the Oneida people live; while maintaining and reestablishing the sovereign rights of the Oneida Nation, and
- WHEREAS, under the Constitution and By-Laws of the Oneida Nation in Wisconsin, the Oneida Business Committee is charged with the duty of protecting and enhancing the health, security, and general welfare and advancement of the Oneida Nation in Wisconsin and,
- WHEREAS, ISTEA Legislation has made additional funding available for communities to meet their transportation needs, and
- WHEREAS, the State Multimodal Improvement Program (SMIP) exists to reimburse award recipients up to 80% of the cost of community transportation improvement projects, and
- WHEREAS, the Oneida Nation wishes to participate in said program by submitting its Pedestrian Path Plan for consideration, and
- WHEREAS, such a Pedestrian Path System will link numerous community developments and housing areas to the benefit of many, and
- WHEREAS, the Oneida Nation agrees to fund the minimum 20% of the entire project cost, and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Oneida Nation of Wisconsin hereby approves the submission of the Statewide Multimodal Improvement Program MIP).

I IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Tribal Chairperson or her delegate are authorized to negotiate and execute the grant and any amendments thereto.

<u>CERTIFICATION</u>

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 five (5) members constitute a quorum. _____ members were present at a meeting duly called, noticed and held on the <u>_____</u> day of <u>______</u>, 1995; that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of 7 members for; _____ members against, and _____ members not voting; and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

ie Julie Barton, Tribal Secretary

Oneida Business Committee

<u>SUMMARY</u>

GRANT NAME: Statewide Multimodal Improvement Program (SMIP)

- NAME OF DEPT: Oneida Planning Department
 - MATCH: Minimum 20% of project cost NOTE: Applicant must initially pay for entire project costs; to be reimbursed on a quarterly basis.
 - AMOUNT: Up to 80% of project cost
 - SUMMARY: Adrian Gershom is working with Frieda Clary, Grantswriter for the above mentioned grant monies available. Any funds granted would be applied to the funding of the Oneida Pedestrian Path System, linking multiple community developments and housing areas. The estimated cost of the project including paving, lighting, landscaping, and public fixtures is \$400,000.00.