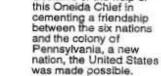
Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin BUSINESS COMMITTEE



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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RESOLUTION #3-16-00-A UNITY

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 or the Oneida Tribal Constitution by the Oneida General Tribal Council, and

WHEREAS, the youth of the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin represent a great natural resource, and

WHEREAS, today's youth of the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin will one day become leaders, and

WHEREAS, the youth need leadership training and experiences to better prepare them for these important roles, and

WHEREAS, the youth should be given the opportunity to bring about positive changes in the existing conditions of the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin, and

WHEREAS, the young people between the ages of thirteen to twenty-four should have a greater voice in matters concerning them, and

WHEREAS, the youth through their collective action, can serve as a catalyst to bring about more unity and harmony for the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin, and

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WHEREAS, there is a need for a mechanism which will allow for the distribution of information, coordination of activities, and sharing of resources, and

WHEREAS, there is a need for interaction and communication among the youth representing the various schools and communities.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED: the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin that we declare that the spiritual, mental, physical and social well-being of our youth is the highest priority.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: that is order to provide a greater voice for our youth and to give them greater opportunities to develop as leaders, the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin authorizes the formation of the O-Town Youth Council. This organization will operate under the supervision and with the support and encouragement of the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: that the youth council is approved to join the UNITY Network, sponsored by United National Indian Tribal youth, Inc. In an effort to bring about positive change in Native America.

CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, as Secretary of the Oneida Business Committee, hereby certify that the Oneida Business Committee is comprised of 9 members of whom 5 members constitute a quorum. 7 members were present at a meeting duly called, noticed and held on the 16th day of March, 2000 that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of 6 members for; 0 members against, and 0 members not voting; and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

June Barton, Tribal Secretary Oneida Business Committee