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 03-19-97C

OBC Designates Rick Hill To N.I.G.A.

- 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 National Indian Gaming Association represents approximately 147 gaming tribes in the United States, and
- WHEREAS, the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin is a member of the National Indian Gaming Association, and
- WHEREAS, the Oneida Business Committee endorsed and supported Tribal Chairman Rick Hill in his campaign for Chairman of the National Indian Gaming Association in 1994 to protect the gaming interest of the Oneida Tribe, and
- WHEREAS, Rick Hill was reelected as Chairman of the National Indian Gaming Association at the annual elections held on April 19, 1995 in Green Bay, Wisconsin, and
- WHEREAS, Rick Hill is to serve as (2) year term as Chairman of the National Indian Gaming Association, and
- WHEREAS, to ensure continuity for the Chairman position of the National Indian Gaming Association against non-tribal interest to amend the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act that may be detrimental to gaming tribes.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Oneida Business Committee hereby designates Rick Hill to represent the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin at the National Indian Gaming Association annual meeting to be held in San Diego, California, on April 1-3, 1997, to protect the gaming interest of the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin and other gaming tribes.

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 constitute a quorum. <u>8</u> members were present at a meeting duly called, noticed and held on the <u>19</u> th day of <u>March</u>, 1997; that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of <u>7</u> for; <u>0</u> members against, and <u>0</u> members not voting; and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

Julie Barton, Tribal Secretary ONEIDA BUSINESS COMMITTEE