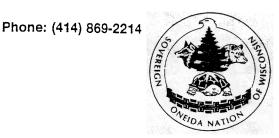
Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin





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



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 5-08-96-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 goal of the Oneida Tribe is to protect, maintain, and promote self-sufficiency and self-reliance

by providing high quality, organically grown foods that will ensure a healthier, more fulfilling

lives for the Oneida Community and,

WHEREAS, the Oneida Tribe through the Tsyuhekwa Center would like to become the facilitators of positive

dietary nutritional change throughout the community and Turtle Island and,

WHEREAS, the Oneida Tribe believes that the Oneida Family will be strengthened by promoting the overall

health and wellness of the Oneida Community.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: That the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin - Tsyuhekwa Center authorizes and submits this grant application to the Department of Agriculture, Rural Technology and Cooperative Development Grants for the purpose of developing a sustainable agricultural system that will economically benefit our rural community and sustain our next seven generations.

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, 8 members were present at a meeting duly called, noticed and held on the 8 day of May, 1996, that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of _7 members for; _0 members against, and _0 members not voting; and that said resolution has not been rescinded or members and way.

Julie Barton, Tribal Secretary Oneida Business Committee