

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

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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 # 6-3-88-B

- 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 Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin seeks to protect and retain its tribal sovereignty and treaty=served rights, and
- WHEREAS, HONOR (Honor Our Neighbors' Origins and Rights) is an organization seeking to support the treaty rights and tribal sovereignty of Indian tribes in Wisconsin and nationally, and
- WHEREAS, HONOR seeks to bring together various organizations, Indian and non-Indian, in support of treaty rights, including church and civic organizations as well as individuals, and
- WHEREAS: HONOR actively seek ratification and communication with tribal governments, and
- WHEREAS, HONOR has identified as its basic principles 1) Honor government to government relationships and tribal sovereignty; 2) Affirm Indian treaties; 3) Honor and protect the Earth and the life therein for now and the future; 4) Conduct ourselves in a manner which is respectful of all people; 5) Promote intercultural understanding and awareness; 6) Offer to tribal governments for ratification and comment.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: that the Oneida Business Committee strongly endorses the principles of HONOR and encourages the continued effort of HONOR to form an expanded treaty-support network and promote education on issues of Indian treaties and rights.

<u>C E R T I F I C A T I O N</u>

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 constitutes a quorum. 7 members were present at a meeting duly called, noticed and held on the 3rd day of June 1988; that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of 6 members for; 0 members against, 0 members not voting; and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

Amelia Cornelius, Tribal Secretary Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin