Oneida Nation



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





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 possble.

BC Resolution # 06-08-16-A

DOJ/OJJDP FY16 Reducing Reliance on Confinement and Improving Community-Based Responses for Girls At Risk of Entering the Juvenile Justice System Grant Program

WHEREAS, the Oneida Nation is a federally recognized Indian government and a treaty tribe recognized by the laws of the United States of America: and

WHEREAS, the Oneida General Tribal Council is the governing body of the Oneida Nation; 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 Nation has determined that the overall goal of the Oneida Nation is to protect,

maintain, and improve the standard of living and the environment in which the Oneida

people live; and

WHEREAS, the Oneida Nation recognizes the need for culturally relevant prevention and intervention

strategies to address the problems of juvenile delinquency; and

WHEREAS, the Oneida Nation understands that the arrests, detainment, and court cases for girls and

young women has steadily increased over the past two decades and that alternatives to

detention and incarceration must be further developed and expanded; and

WHEREAS, the Oneida Nation supports a community-based, trauma-informed response to girls at

risk of entering the juvenile justice system; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED: that the Oneida Nation authorizes the development of a grant proposal to be submitted to the U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ)/Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP) – FY 2016 Reducing Reliance on Confinement and Improving Community-Based Responses for Girls At Risk of Entering the Juvenile Justice System program.

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 8th day of June, 2016; that the forgoing 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 amended in any way.

Lisa Summers, Tribal Secretary Oneida Business Committee

*According to the By-Laws, Article I, Section 1, the Chair votes "only in the case of a tie."