



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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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.

BC Resolution # 6-30-04-H

Emergency Adoption of Amendments to the Oneida Tribal Sanitary District Ordinance

- 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 of America; 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 Business Committee granted a Corporate Charter to the Oneida Utilities Commission ("Commission") on May 20, 1990, in Oneida Business Committee Resolution 4-20-90-B and amended the Charter under subsequent resolutions; and
- WHEREAS,** the Oneida Business Committee approved the Commission by-laws on November 29, 1995, and passed the Oneida Tribal Sanitary District Ordinance which governs the duties and responsibilities of the Commission and the administrative operations of the sanitary district; and
- WHEREAS,** the Oneida Business Committee passed a motion on September 5, 2001, to facilitate the transfer of the duties and responsibilities of the Utilities Commission and the administrative operations of the sanitary district to the government of the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin; and
- WHEREAS,** passage by the Oneida Business Committee of a motion to dissolve the Commission is imminent; and
- WHEREAS,** Article VI of the Administrative Procedure Act (APA) authorizes the Oneida Business Committee to enact legislation on an emergency basis, to be in effect for a period of six months, renewable for an additional six months; and

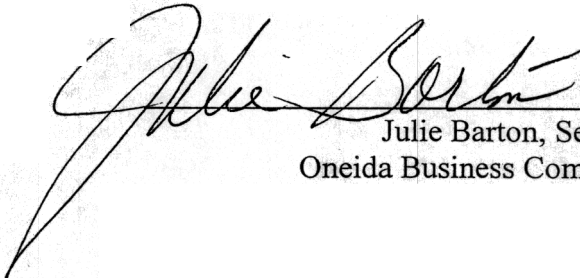
WHEREAS, the Oneida Business Committee finds uninterrupted administration of sewer and water service in the wake of the Commission's planned dissolution constitutes an emergency situation which requires the immediate passage of the amendments to the Oneida Tribal Sanitary District Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, amending the Oneida Tribal Sanitary District Ordinance in the wake of the Commission's planned dissolution is necessary for the preservation of the public health, safety, or general welfare of the reservation population, and that observance of the regular APA adoption requirements for passage of laws would be contrary to public interest.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the attached amendments to the Oneida Tribal Sanitary District Ordinance are hereby adopted on an emergency basis.

CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, as Secretary of the Oneida Business Committee, hereby certify that the Oneida Business Committee comprised of 9 members, of whom 5 members which constitute a quorum 6 members were present at a duly called meeting, held on the 30th day of June, 2004; that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of 5 members for, 0 members against, and 0 members abstaining; and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.


Julie Barton, Secretary
Oneida Business Committee