

# 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.



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 07-10-13-C

### Appointment of Councilwoman Melinda J. Danforth and Debra Danforth to the Tribal Technical Advisory Group to the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services

- 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 recognizes the importance of tribes to be at the forefront of Indian healthcare issues, and
- WHEREAS,** the Oneida Tribe was invited to designate a tribal leader to serve on the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) Tribal Technical Advisory Group (TTAG), and
- WHEREAS,** Councilwoman Melinda J. Danforth has been delegated the responsibility to serve as the liaison to the Oneida Comprehensive Health Division, and
- WHEREAS,** the Oneida Tribe recognizes the value of the Tribal Technical Advisory Group and the efforts being made to advance tribal interests in the decisions made by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS), and

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin hereby authorizes Councilwoman Melinda J. Danforth to serve in the capacity of Bemidji area representative on the Tribal Technical Advisory Group to the Centers of Medicare & Medicaid Services (TTAG) with the Oneida Comprehensive Health Division Director, Debra Danforth, to serve as the official alternate.

## 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 10<sup>th</sup> day of July 10, 2013; that the forgoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of 7 members for; 0 members against; 0 members not voting; and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

  
Patricia Hoefft, Tribal Secretary  
Oneida Business Committee

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