

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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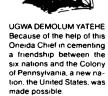
Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin

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RESOLUTION # 8-4-93-A

- 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 has within its' community a large number of artists, seeking the right and freedom to express their emotions and ideas through art in any medium, and
- WHEREAS, art is an integral part of our culture as indigenous people, a reflection of our history, culture, and whatever is perceived as beauty or worthy of interpretations, and
- WHEREAS, the Oneida Nation Arts Program wishes to establish and promote the arts, in all of its' various mediums, and provide a place and program to perpetuate the right and freedom of expression to all who are interested, and
- WHEREAS, the Oneida Business Committee is the duly elected body to address this need and request to, and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: That the Oneida Business Committee is hereby requested to initiate funding in the amount of \$90,000 to establish an Arts Program, recognize a seven (7) member art board, and assist through the Oneida Nation's management system the expertise required to operate this program for the benefit of our community and its' artists.

<u>CERTIFICATION</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. 6 members were present at a meeting duly called, noticed and held on the 4th day of August 1993; that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of 5 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