

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.

RESOLUTION # 8-5-93-A

WHEREAS, the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin is a Federally recognized Indian government and a Treaty Tribe recognized by the law 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 authority under Article IV, Section 1 of the Oneida Tribal Constitution by the Oneida General Tribal Council; and

WHEREAS, the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin has determined as a goal to protect, maintain, and improve the standard of living for all Oneida People, and

WHEREAS, the Oneida Social Service Department has recognized the special need to support and provide services to protect, maintain, and improve the standard of living for our Tribal Veterans and all Native American Veterans who served their country.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED: that the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin hereby submit application to the Administration for Native Americans to develop a National model for Native American Veterans which would allow for better accessibility and utilization of services and benefits available.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: that the Oneida Tribal Chairman, or his delegate, is hereby authorized to negotiate and execute the contract and any amendments thereto.

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 constitutes a quorum. 8 members were present at a meeting duly called, noticed, and held on the 5th day of 1990; that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of 7 members for, 6 members against, 6 members not voting; and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.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