



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

Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin

BUSINESS COMMITTEE



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.

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RESOLUTION # 08-06-08-A

Community Food Projects, Traditional Gardening in Indian Communities

Project Support

National Society for American Indian Elderly

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 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 that the overall goal of the Oneida Tribe is to protect, maintain and improve the standard of living and the environment in which the Oneida people live, and

WHEREAS, the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin established the Oneida Elderly Services Department to whose mission is to *"Assist our Elders to maintain an independent, healthy, productive and quality lifestyle through love, caring and respect by the services we provide."*, and

WHEREAS, the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin and the Oneida Elderly Services Department fully supports the Community Food Projects, Traditional Gardening in Indian Communities programs proposed by the National Society of American Indian Elderly (NSAIE). The Elderly Services Department operates a Title VI Elder Nutrition Site and will benefit from the development of these projects, and

WHEREAS, the Oneida Elderly Services Department would be pleased to have an opportunity to participate in this project if funded; we are very interested in participating in gardening and/or other similar projects. The expansion of

GRANT: Community Food Projects Funding

PROGRAM: Elderly Services Department

PROGRAM DIRECTOR: Florence Petri, Director

GRANT AMOUNT: N/A

MATCH: N/A

SYNOPSIS: The National Society of American Indian Elderly is submitting an application for the Community Food Project on behalf of interested Tribes. The NSAIE is seeking Project Support Resolutions to strengthen their proposal.

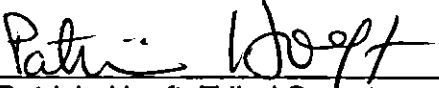
The NSAIE will work with the Elderly Nutrition Program and community members to determine local priorities. Workshops and training can be included to help inform the community on the use of fresh vegetables and how to improve food quality.

gardens will allow fresh vegetables to be included in our nutrition programs. We also hope to maintain interest in tribal cultural farming traditions to help create a healthy community, and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED: that the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin fully supports the National Society of American Indian Elderly in their efforts to develop programs through the Community Food Projects Funding. There are many components of this Project that would benefit our elderly tribal members.

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. 9 members were present at a meeting duly called, noticed and held on the 6th day of August, 2008; that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of 8 members for; 0 members against; member not voting; and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any



Patricia Hoeft, Tribal Secretary
Oneida Business Committee

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