

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



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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 # <u>8-25-04-A</u> Calendar Year 2005 BIA/Oneida Funding Agreement

WHEREAS, the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin is a federally recognized Indian

government, a Treaty Tribe recognized by the laws of the United States, and a Self-Governance Tribe with the Department of the Interior's Bureau of Indian Affairs and with the Department of Health and Human Service's Indian Health Service; 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, it is the mission of the Oneida Nation of Wisconsin to protect and improve the

resources, the standards of living, and the environment in which the Oneida people live while maintaining, enforcing, and exercising the sourceign rights of the Oneida

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Nation: and

WHEREAS, the Oneida Business Committee has determined that entering into a Self-Governance

Compact and Annual Funding Agreement with the U.S. Government's Department of the Interior pursuant to P.L. 93-638, as amended, supports and enhances the Oneida Nation's

sovereignty.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED: that the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin approves the Reprogramming Request and annual Funding Agreement (FA) negotiated with the Department of the Interior's Bureau of Indian Affairs for Calendar Year 2005 and authorizes the Treasurer to sign the Reprogramming Request as negotiated and authorizes the Chairwoman to sign the Funding Agreement as negotiated.

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 25th day of August, 2004; that the foregoing 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.

Julie Barton, Secretary Oneida Business Committee