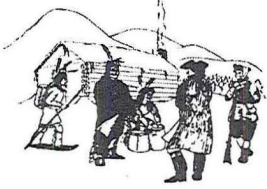


# Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin



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 09-28-11-A

### National Resource Damage Assessment (NRDA) Trustee Council Representatives

- WHEREAS,** the Oneida General Tribal Council is the duly recognized governing body of the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin, and
- WHEREAS,** the General Tribal Council has been delegated the authority of Article IV, Section I of the Oneida Tribal Constitution, and
- WHEREAS,** the Oneida Business Committee may be delegated duties and responsibilities by the Oneida General Tribal Council and is at all times subject to the review powers of the Oneida General Tribal Council, and
- WHEREAS,** the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin has a responsibility to restore and protect the natural resources of the Oneida Reservation, and
- WHEREAS,** the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA) § 107 (f) (1) affords the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin the authority to act as a Trustee for natural resources affecting the Oneida Reservation, and
- WHEREAS,** the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin is a co-trustee for the Fox River/Green Bay NRDA as described in the May 7, 2002 Memorandum of Agreement between the governmental parties involved in the NRDA.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** that the Oneida Business Committee appoints Councilmember Paul Ninham as the Trustee's Representative for all matters related to the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin asserting its authority as a Trustee for natural resources as described in § 107 (f)(1) of CERCLA.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** that the Oneida Business Committee appoints the Environmental Health & Safety Division Director to act as an alternate Trustee Representative to act as Authorized Official for the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin in the absence of the delegate Trustee Representative.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** that the Oneida Business Committee also appoints the Environmental Area Manager and the Environmental Supervisor as alternates to act as Authorized Official for the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin in the absence of the Trustee Representative and Alternate Trustee Representative.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** that the Trustee or Alternate Trustees will make all reasonable efforts to discuss posted Trustee Council agenda items and request direction from the Oneida Business Committee prior to all scheduled Trustee Council meetings and report all actions taken by the Trustee Council directly to the Oneida Business Committee within two weeks following all Trustee Council meetings.

### 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 28<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2011; that the forgoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of 8 members for, 0 members against, and 0 members not voting; and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

  
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."