

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.

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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BC Resolution # 10-03-01-C
Resolution Adopting Amendments to the TB Screening Policy and Procedure

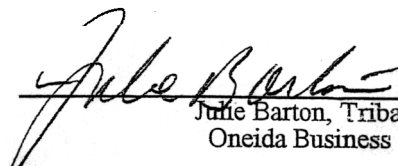
- WHEREAS,** the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin is a federally recognized Indian government and a treaty tribe recognized by the laws of the United States; and
- WHEREAS,** the Oneida General Tribal Council is the governing body of the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin; and
- WHEREAS,** the 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 Business Committee has previously adopted Resolution 9-28-84-C, recognizing that the tribal community has historically experienced unacceptable rates of tuberculosis infection, and requiring elected officials and tribal employees to take annual tuberculosis skin tests or x-rays administered by the Oneida Community Health Center, and
- WHEREAS,** the Oneida Occupational Health Nursing Department has available accepted medical capabilities to educate, identify, and refer persons for tuberculosis infection; and
- WHEREAS,** the said Occupational Health Nursing Department has in fact been implementing the said testing program since 1993, and may realize financial savings to the Tribe by continuing such implementation; and
- WHEREAS,** the Center for Disease Control now recommends annual screenings in place of x-rays for those persons who have previously had a positive skin test reaction; and
- WHEREAS,** step by step implementing procedures previously adopted by Resolution 4-16-84-C have been improved upon and replaced in practice by an Occupational Health Nursing Department internal standard operating procedure;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: that Resolution 9-28-84-C be and it is hereby amended to provide as follows:

- (1) that all elected and appointed officials, tribal employees, trainees and volunteer help be required to take a tuberculosis skin test or screening to test for active tuberculosis;
- (2) that an annual tuberculosis test plan be implemented by the Oneida Occupational Health Nursing Department in conjunction with the Oneida Human Resources Department Personnel Policies and Procedures to insure that all such persons be tested or screened annually for continued service with the Oneida Tribe; and
- (3) that those provisions of Resolution 4-16-84-C prescribing step by step procedures for the testing program are hereby repealed.

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. 7 members were present at a meeting duly called, noticed and held on the 3rd day of October, 2001; that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of 5 members for; 0 member against, and 1 members not voting; and that said resolution has not be rescinded or amended in any way,


Julie Barton, Tribal Secretary
Oneida Business Committee