

# 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 10-08-14-C Oneida Nation Gaming Ordinance Emergency Amendments

- 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 of America; 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 of the Oneida Tribal Constitution by the Oneida General Tribal Council; and
- WHEREAS,** the Oneida Nation Gaming Ordinance (ONGO) is currently in noncompliance with National Indian Gaming Commission (NIGC) regulations; and
- WHEREAS,** a request for emergency amendments to ONGO was received to allow ONGO to comply with NIGC regulations; and
- WHEREAS,** the emergency amendments would (1) add requirements to keep the identity of each person interviewed in the course of a background investigation confidential; (2) require certain documents from the Oneida Gaming Commission to be retained for at least three years from the date of an employee's employment being terminated; and (3) if the Oneida Gaming Commission suspends, conditions or revokes a license based on information from NIGC, the Commission is required to forward that decision to NIGC within forty-five days of NIGC's notification that an employee is not eligible for a License; and
- WHEREAS,** the Legislative Procedures Act (LPA) authorizes the Oneida Business Committee to enact legislation on an emergency basis, to be in effect for a period of six (6) months, renewable for an additional six (6) months; and
- WHEREAS,** emergency adoption of the amendments to the Law is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health, safety, or general welfare of the reservation population, and amendment of the Law is required sooner than would be possible under the LPA.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** that the attached Oneida Nation Gaming Ordinance is adopted on an emergency basis.

**BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED,** that the above amendments shall be effective November 1, 2014 and remain in effect for six (6) months unless extended by the Oneida Business Committee for an additional six (6) months or replaced by permanent amendments by the Oneida Business Committee.

### 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; 5 members were present at a meeting duly called, noticed and held on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2014; that the forgoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of 4 members for, 0 members against, and 0 members not voting; and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Lisa Summers".

Lisa Summers, Tribal Secretary  
Oneida Business Committee

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