

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 Chlef 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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## **BC Resolution** #<u>10-10-07-A</u> *Amendments to the Tobacco Ordinance*

- 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 Tobacco Ordinance was adopted by the Oneida Business Committee by passage of BC-11-18-81-A; and
- WHEREAS, amendments to the Tobacco Ordinance are necessary to clarify provisions relating to the regulation of the sale, possession and distribution of cigarettes within the Tribe's Reservation boundaries; and
- WHEREAS, the amendments remove provisions that are outdated, provisions that conflict with federal and/or state law and provisions that do not allow for flexibility in business operation; and
- WHEREAS, the amendments received a public hearing in accordance with the Administrative Procedures Act on June 12, 2007; and
- WHEREAS, no comments were received concerning the proposed amendments to the Tobacco Ordinance.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Oneida Business Committee hereby adopts the attached amendments to the Tobacco Ordinance.

## 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. <u>8</u> members were present at a meeting duly called, noticed and held on the <u>10</u> day of <u>October</u>, 2007; that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of <u>7</u> members for;<u>0</u> members against; and <u>0</u> members not voting; and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.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."