

**Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin  
BUSINESS COMMITTEE**



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.

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**ONEIDA BUSINESS COMMITTEE  
EMERGENCY MEETING MINUTES**

**October 16, 2008**

**1:30 p.m.**

**Business Committee Conference Room**

**Members:** Kathy Hughes - Vice Chair  
Patty Hoeft - Secretary

Edward Delgado - Council member  
Melinda J. Danforth - Council member  
Brandon Stevens - Council member  
Ron "Tehassi" Hill Jr. - Council member  
Trish King - Council member

**Excused:** Rick Hill – Chair, Tina Danforth – Treasurer, Trish King – Council member until 2:15p.m.

**Others Present:**

1. **Call to Order:** Vice Chair Kathy Hughes at 1:35 p.m.
2. **Approval of Agenda:**
3. **Executive Session**

1. Chief of Staff RE: Employee Appeal of Termination

**Excerpt from October 1, 2008 Business Committee Meeting:** Motion by Patty Hoeft to direct the investigation of the appeal to the Chief of Staff who will bring back a recommendation to the Business Committee within the timeline stated in the appeal, seconded by Ed Delgado. For: Patty Hoeft, Ed Delgado Opposed: Ron "Tehassi" Hill Jr., Abstained: Kathy Hughes, Trish King. Motion carried.

Action: Motion by Melinda J. Danforth to recess until 2 p.m., seconded by Ron "Tehassi" Hill Jr. Not present: Patty Hoeft, Ed Delgado. Motion carried unanimously.

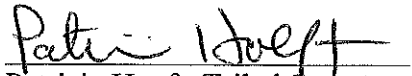
Action: Motion by Ed Delgado to come out of executive session at 3:55 p.m., seconded by Ron "Tehassi" Hill Jr. Motion carried unanimously.

Action: Motion by Ed Delgado to approve the recommendations, seconded by Melinda J. Danforth. Motion carried unanimously.

**5. Recess/Adjourn**

Action: Motion by Ed Delgado to adjourn, seconded by Ron "Tehassi" Hill Jr. Motion carried unanimously.

**Minutes Approved as presented/corrected on Feb. 11, 2009.**



Patricia Hoeft, Tribal Secretary  
ONEIDA BUSINESS COMMITTEE