



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 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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RESOLUTION # 10-28-09-B

United States Department of Health and Human Services/Indian Health Services/Special Diabetes Program for Indians Community-Directed Grant Program 2010-2012

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 under Article IV, Section 1 of the Oneida Tribal Constitution by the Oneida General Tribal Council, and

WHEREAS, the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin has determined that the overall mission of the Oneida Tribe is to protect, maintain and improve the standard of living and the environment in which the Oneida people live, and

WHEREAS, the Oneida Tribe has determined as part of its' Seventh Generation Commitment through the Oneida Community Health Center, "To provide the highest level of quality, culturally sensitive, holistic, and preventive healthcare," and

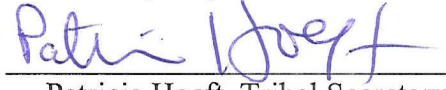
WHEREAS, the Oneida Tribe has established the Oneida Special Diabetes Program for Indians (SDPI) to provide holistic healthcare by utilizing diverse skills and tribal resources, where patients are empowered through knowledge to prevent and treat diabetes, ultimately leading to self sufficient community members woven into the fabrics of indigenous diet, health and wellness, and

WHEREAS, the Oneida Tribe believes that the Oneida family and community will be strengthened by providing critically needed services that will have a positive impact on the health and well-being of our community.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED: That the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin/Oneida Community Health Center (O.C.H.C.)/Special Diabetes Program for Indians in collaboration with the United States Department of Health and Human Services/Indian Health Services, authorizes, fully supports and submits this grant application for the purpose of securing external monies to support a community-based and community directed diabetes program.

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 presents at a meeting duly called, noticed and held on the 28th day of October 2009; that the foregoing 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."

GRANT: Department of Health and Human Services /Indian Health Services

PROGRAM: 2010-2012 Special Diabetes Program for Indians (SDPI) Community-Directed Grant Program

PROGRAM DIRECTOR: Margaret Nicholas

GRANT AMOUNT: \$711,690.00 over 2 years or \$1,423,380.00, total

MATCH: No Match

SYNOPSIS:

In April 2009, the diabetes prevalence rate of the OCHC was 21.13%. This translates to mean 2,673 patients have diabetes within the Oneida Community. This devastating disease is being diagnosed at an earlier age, meaning complications of diabetes such as retinopathy, neuropathy, cardiovascular disease and stroke will occur earlier in life, exposing our healthcare system to costly treatment options. Through utilization of the SDPI grant, the Diabetes program is about prevention and supporting life style changes for families by increasing awareness and knowledge of diabetes self management. The SDPI grant is competitive and not continuous as it has been in the past. Congress is already working on authorizing the SDPI grant for an additional five years.