

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



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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 #10-28-09-C

Emergency Adoption of Local Land Use Regulation Reimbursement Policy

- WHEREAS, the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin is a federally recognized Indian government and a treaty Tribe organized under 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 General Tribal Council has delegated the authorities of Article IV of the Oneida Tribal Constitution to the Oneida Business Committee; and
- WHEREAS, the Tribe enjoys positive government-to-government relationships with most surrounding governments; and
- WHEREAS, most surrounding governments respect the ability of the Tribe to govern tribal members and activities occurring on tribal land; and
- WHEREAS, most surrounding governments recognize their inability to enforce their local land use regulations against tribal members or activities occurring on tribal land; and
- WHEREAS, the Village of Hobart openly claims it has the authority to regulate tribal members and activities occurring on tribal land by inappropriately threatening enforcement of its local land use regulations, including fines, fees and/or litigation; and
- WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the Tribe to develop a process to reimburse tribal members and non-members subject to tribal land use regulations for costs associated with compliance under written protest with local land use regulations to the extent necessary to avoid the improper imposition of fines, fees and/or litigation by local governments; and

WHEREAS, the Oneida Administrative Procedures Act authorizes the 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 Local Land Use Regulation Reimbursement Policy is necessary to preserve and protect the inherent right of the Oneida Tribe to create and enforce tribal land use regulations on the Oneida Reservation; and

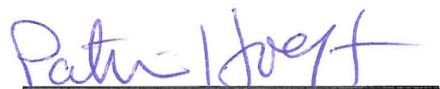
WHEREAS, emergency adoption of the Local Land Use Regulation Reimbursement Policy is necessary to protect tribal members and non-members who are inappropriately threatened with enforcement of local land use regulations.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the attached Local Land Use Regulation Reimbursement Policy are hereby adopted on an emergency basis.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that the Local Land Use Regulation Reimbursement Policy shall be effective immediately and remain in effect until permanent adoption or for six (6) months, whichever occurs first.

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 present 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 5 members for; 2 members against, and 1 member 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."