## 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. Post Office Box 365



Oneida, Wi 54155



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.

**Resolution** # <u>10-29-97-X</u> Resolution Adopting Amended Election Law

- 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 of Article IV, Section 1 of the the Oneida Tribal Constitution by the Oneida General Tribal Council, and
- WHEREAS, the Election Board has received comments and suggestions to make elections run more smoothly from start to finish, and
- WHEREAS, the Election Board has presented an amended Election Law based on these comments regarding election processes to the Legislative Operating Committee which has presented the amended law at Public Hearing, and
- WHEREAS, the Election Board has presented the amended document at Community Meetings to gather the greatest input from the membership and has made changes based on the comments at the Public Hearings and Community Meetings,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the General Tribal Council hereby adopts the attached Election Law for immediate implementation upon adoption, and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Election Board shall present a process for staggering the membership of the Election Board to the Oneida Business Committee within 30 days of adoption of this amended law to post for the open positions created by adoption of this amended law.

## **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  $\underline{7}$  members were present at a meeting duly called, noticed and held on the  $\underline{29th}$  day of October, 1997; that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by a vote of 5 members for; 0 members against, and 1 members not voting; and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

June Barton, Tribal Secretary Oneida Business Committee