

Oneidas bringing several hundred bags of corn to Washington's starving army at Valley Forge, after the colonists had consistently refused to aid them.

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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.

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 Oneida Tribal Constitution by the Oneida General Tribal Council, and

WHEREAS,

the Oneida Tribe has determined as part of its Seven Generation Commitment to "ensure a stable Oneida economy that sustains our sovereign government, family, community and affords all members the opportunities to participate in the economic resources", and

WHEREAS,

the goal of the Oneida Enterprise Division is to empower the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin to become one of "the most economically stable and diverse Indian nations", by developing the "framework from which we can continually perpetuate our economic stability for our next seven generations", and

WHEREAS,

the mission of the Oneida Construction Corporation is to provide quality products and services to the Oneida Tribal organization, tribal members and its commercial customers as well as employ and train as many tribal members as possible in all functional areas, and

WHEREAS,

the Oneida Tribe recognizes the need for continuous pursuit of social and economic development.

THEREFORE, LET IT BE RESOLVED, that in order to further enhance the sovereignty and economic well being of the Oneida Nation, the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin make application to the Administration for Native Americans for a Social and Economic Development Strategies Project grant.

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. ______ members were presents at a meeting duly called, noticed and held on the 7th day of <u>December</u>, 1994; that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of ______ members for; _____ members against, and _____ members not voting; and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

Julie Barton, Tribal Secretary
Oneida Business Committee