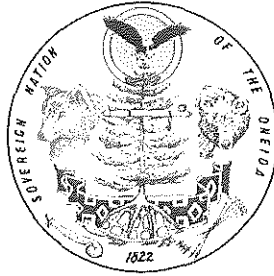


Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin



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



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 12-11-13-I Regarding Pardon of Patricia Thomas

- 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 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 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 Pardon and Forgiveness Screening Committee reviewed the pardon application of Patricia Thomas at a duly called hearing held on November 14, 2013, and
- WHEREAS,** the requirements of the Pardon and Forgiveness Law have been fulfilled.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Oneida Business Committee by this resolution hereby:

☒ Approves the pardon of Patricia Thomas for the crime(s) of 1.1st Degree reckless endangerment, and notifies the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin and its agencies that she is recognized as a member of the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin to have all the benefits and opportunities available to all other persons as if the criminal offenses(s) pardoned by this resolution did not exist. The pardon has been approved based on the following:

1. List of reasons for approving the pardon per 5.9-3.
 - Received Associates Degree
 - Had good letters of recommendation
 - Received AODA through Taycheetah Correctional
 - Had Civil Rights restored
 - Volunteers as an intern at HRD

☐ Denies the pardon of **Name**, for the crime(s) of _____, and notifies **him/her** that **she/he** may request another pardon after one (1) year from the date of certification of this document. The pardon has been denied based on the following:

1. List of reasons for denying the pardon per 5.9-3.

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; 7 members were present at a meeting duly called, noticed and held on the 11th day of December, 2013; that the forgoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of 6 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