

Name of Tribe---Oneida Indians Inc.

Minutes of Meeting held by---Executive Committee

Place of meeting---Oneida CCC Bldg.

Regular or Special---Special

Was a quorum present--no

Date of meeting---March 5, 1964

Name and Title of Council members present-- Chairman Irene Moore, Vice-Ch. Lee Mc Lester
Treasurer Althea Schuyler, Sec. Eva Danforth.

Visiting Officials present--Thomas Williamson, Social Worker from Ashland

M I N U T E S

A special meeting was called to order at Oneida CCC bldg. to meet with Mr. Williamson in relation to his work here concerned with interviewing applicants under the pending Public Housing program.

Discussion was held concerning education on local and state level, and problems involving drop-outs.

Question was raised as to possibilities of Oneida Indian students entering Indian schools, and Mr. Williamson explained that the Federal Government has a very good program for education within the state and it isn't necessary for high-school students to have to seek education elsewhere.

Chairman called on Mr. Williamson to explain his purpose in connection with the Housing Program. Mr. Williamson said that the Public Housing Administration requires that applicants for the Mutual Help Housing be interviewed by a Social worker, and that is his job here. Council reviewed form sheet concerning the Mutual Help Housing program.

It was explained to the Council that the ~~SA~~ ^{SWA} furnishes forms for applicants, who after having made application will be interviewed in their home with both husband and wife present. Mr. Williamson suggested that every household be given a copy of the form sheet for Mutual Help Housing

Council discussed method of distribution of form sheets with Ch. of Housing Authority, and agreed to call a meeting for this purpose at 8:00 p.m. on Tues. March 10, at the Parish hall in Oneida, and Council would mail out copies to families that were not in attendance. Council considered removing third sheet of form as they concluded that the figures quoted thereon were misleading and do not measure up to actual cost in our case. However it was decided that this point would be stressed at the meeting scheduled for March 10.

Mr. Williamson advised members of Oneida Housing Authority that in screening applicants, steady employment should be one of major points of consideration versus age, and added that many exceptions will have to be considered in making people eligible such as size of family etc.

Mr. Williamson informed Council that a new program is under-way, the Wis. State Health Plan, which is a very liberal plan to cover medical care to the aged, where-by the state purchases the Insurance from an individual business such as Blue Cross, and he would be happy to explain this further in May if Council would wish to request more information from the Agency.

Mr. Williams said he would be working in Oneida from March 23 thru April 3 on interviews.

A resolution was presented to approve the sum of \$587. for the taking of 1.42 acres of Tribal land plus 18 shade trees by Outagamie and Brown Co. for high-way right-of-way in Sec. 27, 10, and 9, T. 24 N. Range 19 E.

A motion was made by Althea Schuyler to approve the said resolution. Seconded by Eva Danforth Carried.

Council advised Treas. to check enrollment of Cecelia Steffes's child, whom she, Mrs. Krawczy mother said she tried to enroll in 1959.

Council discussed the trees cut on highway- right-of-way as ownership may be claimed by Tribe. Lester Schuyler said he would investigate to see if they were worth hauling, as Council felt it would involve quite an expense to have them moved.

Motion by Eva Danforth to adjourn. Seconded by Althea Schuyler. Carried.

Eva Danforth
Tribal Sec.