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ONEIDA TRIBAL BUSINESS COMMITTEE MEETING

REGULAR MEETING 8:00 p.m. December 4, 1972

OFFICERS PRESENT: Chairman, Purcell Powless; Vice-Chairman, Irene Moore; Treasurer, Alma Webster; Secretary, Margaret Doxtater; Committee members: Eva Danforth, Loretta Ellis, Norbert Hill.

MEMBERS ABSENT: Gordon McLester and Wendell McLester

BUSINESS CONDUCTED: The meeting was called to order and opened with a prayer by John Powless.

The minutes from November 6 were read. Loretta Ellis made a motion to amend the minutes to read "motion carried" regarding the resolution on aerial maps. Eva seconded the motion. Motion carried. Another correction was inserting the word "Indian" in Wisconsin Legal Services. Loretta Ellis read all resolutions adopted by the Business Committee. Norbert Hill made a motion to approve the minutes as amended. Loretta Ellis seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Treasurer's tentative report..	Cash on hand November 1..	\$1,724.79
	Receipts	271.74
		<u>1,996.53</u>
	Disbursements	635.12
	Balance	<u>\$1,361.41</u>

Eva Danforth made a motion to accept the Treasurer's report. Irene Moore seconded. Motion carried.

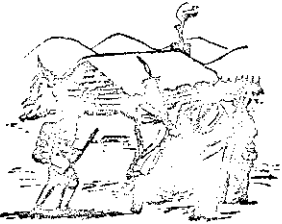
Norbert Hill made a motion to adopt a resolution requesting the Head Start Director to make payment to the Tribe. Irene Moore seconded. Motion carried.

Loretta Ellis made a motion to re-assess the "well" needs and put Frank Skenandore's name on priority list and request these services from Indian Health services. Irene Moore seconded. Motion carried.

CHR report given by Wanda Webster, Home-school coordinator report by Alberta Baird, Right to Read by Albert Manders, Head Start by Mrs. Keyser, Vista report by Annette Powless (introduced Betsy Tolofson- Vista nurse) Education Committee report by John Powless, Industrial Development Corp. report by Norbert Hill, report on Standing Stone by Loretta Ellis, Health Committee report by John Powless and Maternal & Child Health Care by Priscilla Manders.

Irene Moore made a motion to pay bills. Eva Danforth seconded. Carried.

Loretta Ellis made a motion to request⁴ additional Vistas, two Nationals and two Community Vista, priority given for a lawyer, and suggested two for recreation and two for education. Irene Moore seconded. Motion carried.



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ONEIDA TRIBAL BUSINESS COMMITTEE MEETING (cont.) 12/4/72

Loretta Ellis made a motion to accept John Powless' recommendation to send a letter to Indian Health Service to have the well-diggers finish the wells in the area and send carbon copies of the letter to our Congressmen. Eva Danforth seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Norbert Hill made a motion to amend the resolution to the Donner Foundation to read "and other sources". Loretta Ellis seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Loretta Ellis made a motion to adopt John Powless's Organization Chart Plan and for John to write a letter to all Directors informing them. Irene Moore seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Motion was made and seconded to adopt the resolution to reinvest the Immigrant Claim. Motion carried.

Norbert Hill made a motion to accept Carita June Miller Butler relinquishment from the Oneida Tribe. Irene Moore seconded. Motion carried.

Eva Danforth made a motion to approve the residential lease of Albert and Margaret Danforth. Loretta Ellis seconded. Motion carried.

Purcell Powless read a letter from Sam Jeanrenaud from Hinsdale Evangelical Covenant Church, Hinsdale, Illinois requesting work for the summer for about 30 high school students. Norbert Hill made a motion that this be tabled. Eva Danforth seconded the motion. Motion carried.

On December 13, the Wisconsin Council of Churches is having a meeting in Milwaukee. Norbert Hill made a motion not to send a representative to this meeting. Loretta Ellis seconded. Motion carried.

Eva Danforth made a motion that the Chairman negotiate with someone for snow removal around the Tribal Building. Norbert Hill seconded. Carried.

Irene Moore's motion to adjourn was seconded and meeting adjourned.

Margaret Doxtater, Secretary
Oneida Tribal Business Committee