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Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin, Inc.

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REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING ONEIDA TRIBAL BUSINESS COMMITTEE
DECEMBER 3, 1973

OFFICERS PRESENT: Purcell Powless, Chrmn., Irene Moore, Vice-Chrmn., Alma Webster, Treas., Margaret Doxtater, Sec.,
COMMITTEE MEMBERS: Eva Danforth, Loretta Ellis, Norbert Hill, Gordon McLester ABSENT: Wendell McLester

BUSINESS CONDUCTED:

Chrmn. Powless called the meeting to order. Prayer by Irene Moore. Roll call of officers. The minutes of November 5, 12, 19 and 21 were approved as read

Treasurer's report by Alma Webster.

Cash on Hand Nov. 1	\$ 570.50
Receipts	1059.00
Expenditures	1122.40
Balance	\$ 507.10

Norbert Hill moved to approve the Treasurer's report. Irene Moore seconded. Motion carried.

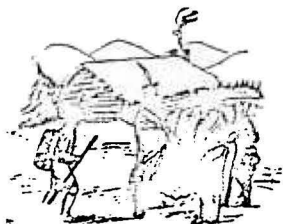
Education report by Norbert Hill, Jr. Requested direction from the Business Committee on what action to take with the bus problem. One suggestion was to send notices to the parents of the children who are causing the trouble (those who live in Housing project) and let them know that they could face possible eviction if they cannot control their children. Another suggestion was to contact the County Deputy through the Sheriff's Dept. and see what he could do. Irene Moore moved for approval of the Education report. Norbert Hill seconded. Carried.

HEALTH REPORT by Betsy Tollefson. Norbert Hill moved to approve the report. Gordon McLester seconded. Carried. Dr. William Seivert with the Dental Clinic at Marquette University requested \$1000 from Revenue Sharing for needed equipment. Loretta Ellis moved that if the funds are available, \$1000 be made available to the Dental Clinic to purchase their immediate needs and for the Dental Program to submit a proposal for future needs. Alma Webster seconded. Carried.

Shirley Hill requested letters be sent Indian Health Services concerning the rat problem in the community. Eva Danforth moved the Council send letters to everyone concerned about this problem, Town Chairman, Dept. of Natural Resources and Indian Health Service. Norbert Hill seconded. Motion carried.

CHR REPORT by Wanda Webster. Irene Moore moved for approval of report. Loretta Ellis seconded. Carried.

COMMUNITY report by Anna John. CAP report by Irene Moore. Loretta Ellis moved to approve the reports. Norbert Hill seconded. Carried.



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VISTA report by Harriet Alicea. Norbert Hill moved to accept report. Gordon McLester seconded. Carried.

Norbert Hill moved to table Youth Services report. Loretta Ellis seconded. Carried.

TRIBAL MANAGER report by Norbert Hill. Loretta Ellis moved to accept the report. Gordon McLester seconded. Carried.

Industrial Development report by Norbert Hill. There will be a meeting December 12 at 10:00 a.m. with the Tribal Business Committee, Standing Stone, Industrial Development Corp., Jack Crocker, Marvin Koffman, re: Packaging Company. Gordon McLester moved to accept the report. Eva Danforth seconded. Carried.

701 report by Amelia Cornelius. Norbert Hill moved to approve the report. Eva Danforth seconded. Carried.

Land Committee report by Howard Cannon. Loretta Ellis moved to send a letter to the Town Board indicating the approximate cost of a survey by Mr. Cannon and suggest an exchange of services for that estimated amount. Eva Danforth moved to table the previous motion in favor of a motion for the Land Committee, The Tribal Manager, the Chairman, and Mr. Bolin getting together with the Town Chairman and working this problem out. Loretta Ellis seconded. Carried.

Question concerning the tabling of Wayne M. Cornelius application for land. Norbert Hill moved for reconsideration providing he present himself at the council meeting. Eva Danforth seconded. Carried.

James Skenandore requested to release 4 acres of land to his son, James. Loretta Ellis moved to table this until James, Sr., and James, Jr. appear before the council. They are to be notified. Eva Danforth seconded. Carried.

Robert King and Wayne King requested changing their application to 2 acres. Loretta Ellis moved they be notified to come to the next council meeting. Irene Moore seconded. Carried.

Loretta Ellis made a motion that people applying for Tribal land who own taxable land be given 2 years in which to get rid of their taxable land and sign an agreement with the Tribe to this effect, and that they be notified that they can put their land in trust if it is within the boundaries of the reservation and free and clear. Gordon McLester seconded. Motion carried.

Norbert Hill moved that Austin Summers's agricultural lease be approved. Gordon McLester seconded. Carried. Gordon McLester moved to approve the land report. Loretta Ellis seconded. Carried.



Illustration of a Native American man on a horse, holding a bow and arrow, with a small building in the background.

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HOUSING REPORT by Bob Thomas. Loretta Ellis moved the Business Committee request the authority that specifies what constitutes a full-time or part-time job for the Executive Director of the Housing Authority. Norbert Hill seconded. Carried. Norbert Hill moved to accept the housing report. Gordon McLester seconded. Carried.

The Chrmn. reported on the house trailers in Pennsylvania. When all the information is received from Ashland, a meeting will be called with all the people who have their names in for a house trailer.

National Tribal Chairmans meeting in Phoenix, Arizona, December 5 - 8. Air fare \$226.55. Norbert Hill moved to leave to the descretion of the Chairman whether or not he will attend. Irene Moore seconded. Carried

Irene Moore moved to pay bills. Alma Webster seconded. Carried

Alma Webster submitted a budget for Bookkeeper. Irene Moore moved for approval. Loretta Ellis seconded. Carried.

Norbert Hill made a motion that members of the Business Committee lease a car through the Tribe and have the attorney Mr. Hinkfuss work out the lease between the lessee and lessor. Irene Moore seconded. Motion carried, 5 for, 2 abstaining.

Loretta Ellis moved to adjourn. Irene Moore seconded. Carried.

Respectfully submitted
Margaret Dytator