

Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin, Inc.



Oneidas bringing several hundred bags of corn to Washington's starving ormy at Valley Forge, after the colonists had consistently refused to aid them. De Pere Route 4





UGWA BEHOLUH YATEHE Because of the help of this Oneida Chief in comenting a friendship between the six nations and the Colony of Pennsylvania, a new nation, the United States was rody possible.

SPECIAL MEETING February 20, 1980 6:45 P.M.

- PRESENT: Purcell Powless, Norbert Hill, Wanda Webster, Mark Powless, Loretta Metoxen, Margaret Doxtater.
- OTHERS: Debra Powless, Ken Ninham, Sharon Cornelius, Ron John, Jean Johnson, Lois Powless, Kathy Green, Ben Vieau, Carl Jorgenson, Bruce Schaepe, Mike Schaepe, Eugene Cornelius, Steve Cohen, Ted White, Harriet Alicea.

Purpose of the meeting was to discuss the sewage lagoon at Site I.

Steve Cohen gave a brief background of the lagoon and how it operates. In 1975, the Health Board took authority of managing the lagoon, before this, the Housing Authority had it. The Health Board established a utilities commission to maintain the lagoon.

Steve presented a letter from Attorney General Brownson LaFollette stating the DNR does not want to be involved on Reservation lands. (Letter to be sent to the Tribal Attorney). Discussion on how the lagoon is so over loaded, other sources are contributin to the polution, resources to develop long and short term solutions.

The people in attendance decided to meet again in a month and see what ideas they can come up with for improving or building the lagoon system. All parties will contact the Secretary if Feb. 5 or 12 is agreeable with their Committees.

HOUSING

The Business Committee and Oneida Housing Authority met at 8:20 pm.

Mark stated there needs to be a better line of communication between the Business Committee and Housing.

Loretta explained that the Business COmmittee is re-organizing and each Business Committee member will be responsible for a specific program. Concern about Housings accounting system. This will stay where it is now.

Discussion on reports, housing sites, Alan King.

Mark made a motion that the matter regarding Alan King be referred to our Legal Dept. and that it be taken into federal court. Also, to investigate the apprasial that was done for the planning office. Loretta seconded. Motion carried unanimously.

Mark made a motion that all programs boycott Schumann Lumber Co. Loretta seconded, motion carried unanimously. (Memo to be sent out to all program directors).

Meeting adjourned at 10:00 pm.

Respectfully submitted, Arnula A. I. t.