



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

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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.

SPECIAL MEETING

November 30, 1981
10:35 A.M.

Meeting was called to order at 10:35 A.M. by Chairman Metoxen, roll call was taken, a quorum was present, those present were: Chairman, Gary Metoxen; V-Chairman, Norbert Hill; Treasurer, Wendell McLester; Secretary, Wanda Webster; COUNCILMEMBERS: Tony Benson, Mark Powless, Howard Cannon, Joy Ninham.

Chairman Metoxen stated the meeting he was to attend at Stevens Point today will be on Tuesday. Also, the Tribe may be eligible for state revenue sharing funds, the General Tribal Manager is looking into this.

Discussion on the Tribe sending a representative to the White House Conference on Aging. (Hurley Parkhurst, Nancy Webster, Evelyn Cornelius, John Powless and Joe Villegomez arrive)

Hurley stated the Oneida Senior Citizen's should have a representative at this meeting. John stated he had talked with Evelyn earlier on who would be going and she was to get the information back to him. Discussion on Mary Edna Greendeer representing Oneida at the Conference as she is on the State Advisory Board. The Chairman stated he had talked with Mary Greendeer earlier and she stated she would be glad to represent Oneida if the Commission on Aging and the Business Committee all agree, the conference pays all the expenses for delegates, all Mary would need to make the trip is plane fare.

Hurley stated that a member from the Commission should attend the conference, many of the people that work with the elderly do not always bring the information back to the Commission. Wendell asked Evelyn and John what they would recommend. Evelyn stated as long as Mary was delegated by the Governor, she should go and represent all the elderly people of the State. John stated he thinks this would be very beneficial and there are many people from District III going maybe the Commission can get the information from them. Mark asks Hurley if the Commission would endorse the Business Committee's decision if they chose to send Mary, Hurley stated that the Commission would endorse that decision.

Motion was made by Joy that Mary Greendeer attend the White House Conference on Aging in Washington, D.C. and that she report back to the Business Committee and Commission on Aging. Howard seconded. Vote was 5 for with 2 abstentions (Norbert and Wendell.) Motion carried.

(Hurley, Nancy and Evelyn leave.)

GENERAL TRIBAL MANAGER:

John stated that the Campaign for Human Development will not be funding the Iroquois Farm this year, the Co-op will be meeting to discuss this tonight. Also a new lease has not been drafted up as of now.

John stated that IHS is having a physician recruitment conference in Pheonix on Dec. 5, 1981. Oneida will be needing two physicians in June. John requests to attend this conference and recommends that the Health Center Liaison person also attend. There are funds for travel in the Health Center FY'82 budget for travel.

Motion was made by Norbert to approve the travel to Pheonix for John and Tony to attend the IHS physician recruitment conference on December 5, 1981. Howard seconded. Discussion: Wendell stated he does not think the General Tribal Manager should be away from his job. Vote was 5 for with 2 abstentions (Mark and Tony) and 1 opposing (Wendell) Motion carried.

Discussion on the Arts and Crafts program locating at the Museum. John is to get together with the Liaison person and all persons involved to discuss this.

Motion was made by Norbert to recess at 12:00 noon. Wanda seconded. Motion carried

Respectfully submitted,



Wanda Webster, Secretary

