



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

Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin

Phone: 869-2752



De Pere, WI 54115



UGWA BEMOLUH YATENE
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 February 22, 1982

February 22, 1982

Special Business Committee Meeting with Bingo Committee

Called to order at 6:00 P.M. by Norbert Hill, Vice-Chairman

Present: Norbert Hill, Wendell McLester, Howard Cannon, Mark Powless, Frank Cornelius, Tony Benson, Joy Ninham.

Discussion was informal open forum to review with the Bingo Committee the direction the enterprise is proposing to go. Definite decision is to construct a facility soon. Alternatives were prioritized as follows:

(1) Location: Doxtator property by Airport

Advantage: Attractive to the general clientele in surrounding communities. Land is owned by Tribe with no restriction to size. Can be designed as a nucleus for projected Motel-Conference Center. Lends itself to other opportunities such as larger restaurant facilities; outlet for sale of handicrafts; museum display.

Disadvantage: High cost of sewer and waterline construction and hook up (1/2 mile or more) and street construction on property. Higher building construction costs (trees removed, parking, etc.)

(2) Location: Industrial Park

Advantage: Easy access to major highways (29, 54 and 41). Attractive to more clientele. Sewer and water in place. Paved streets existing.

Disadvantage: Fear of local harassment from Green Bay business people and politicians. May lose many present participants.

(3) Location: Seminary

Advantage: Building existing. Sewer and water in place
Attractive to present clientele.

Disadvantage: Committee has better working relationship with
Brown County. Building would have to be expanded.
Parking limited. Cannot predict when it will become
available.

(4) Location: Present, with expansion.

Advantage: Attractive to present clientele. People enjoy
their Oneida hosts and feel safe here.

Disadvantage: Originally was built to serve as community recreation
facility. Sewer system inadequate. Limited area for
expansion and parking.

The general consensus was to construct multi-purpose building that can include
or be easily converted to other uses. Bingo Committee charged to work with
Bruce King and proceed with plans.

Respectfully Submitted

Howard Cannon, Acting Secretary