



Onondas 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: 869-2771



-SPECIAL MEETING-

Oneida, WI 54155

*Approved  
as corrected  
4/19/82*



UGWA DEMOLUH YATEHE  
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.

MARCH 30, 1982

Meeting called to order at 9:30 A.M.

Present: Gary Metoxen, Norbert Hill, Gordon McLester, Joy Ninham, Frank Cornelius, Howard Cannon, Tony Benson. Excused were Wendell McLester and Mark Powless.

Also present: Francis Skenandore, Myron Smith

INFORMATION REQUEST FROM ATTORNEY BEN O BRIDGERS, EASTERN BAND OF CHEROKEE INDIANS

In a letter from the above attorney, he stated, "Like many Indian tribes, the Eastern Cherokees are in the process of drafting a Tribal Constitution under the Indian Reorganization Act and planning to convert the existing CFR Court System to a Tribal Court. The Tribe is also engaged in litigation with the State concerning its tribal sovereignty and has lobbied for the establishment of a joint Tribal and State Task Force to study legal conflicts between the Tribal and State governments.

We would like to seek your assistance in obtaining information concerning Indian tribal Governments. We enclose a short questionnaire which we ask you to complete and return to us in the enclosed, stamped envelope. "

This information will be used in planning and developing for the tribal government in Cherokee.

Francis will contact the Cherokee Tribal Attorney

ONEIDA ONE STOP WATER PROBLEM

Bob Appleton wants the Tribe to pay \$10.00 per month for the use of the water system which runs from his house to the gas station. Bruce King feels \$8.00 per month is enough and Francis is asking the Business Committee to decide what the Tribe is willing to pay.

Joy moved to pay the \$10.00 per month. Gordon seconded. 3 for 3 against. The Chairman broke the tie and voted for the \$10.00 per month. Motion Carried.

Francis will draft a letter of agreement with Bob Appleton on the use of the water system..

A TRAVEL LOG FOR TRIBAL VEHICLES

Francis said there should be Travel Logs in all Tribal vehicles for insurance purposes.

PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE

Sonny King gave a report on the maintenance operation with a list of projects he has going now and the possible start up of some others. He also listed some problem areas he had. The main one is in the HIP Program, it seems to be at a stand still. Loretta said she would work with Sonny and bring back some recommendations.

PROPOSAL FOR BUILDING MAINTENANCE PROGRAM

John Russell explained his Maintenance Program to the Business Committee. After much discussion John said he would go back and get more information and also get some input from Sonny King on the Maintenance Program.

OTE VAN

Bark Skenandore had checked out the information for the purchase of a new van and this recommendation was presented to the Business Committee. Howard moved for approval of a van for OTE at the cost of \$6,876.76. Frank seconded. Motion Carried.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

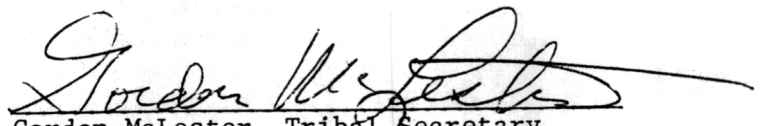
Employment of Dr. Dana Brian was discussed

Business Committee came out of Executive Session

Frank made a motion to have Dr. Brian fill the vacancy as soon as possible and contingent on funds for the position. Howard seconded. Motion carried.

Frank moved to recess. Tony seconded. Motion Carried

Respectfully Submitted

  
Gordon McLester, Tribal Secretary