

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

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SPECIAL MEETING

Oneida, WI 54155

*Approved  
as read on  
5-2-83  
Regular meeting*



UGWA DEMOLUN 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.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20, 1983

Present: Purcell Powless, Norbert Hill, Kathy Hughes, Lois Powless  
Mark Powless, Loretta Metoxen.

Excused: Gordon McLester, Lloyd E. Powless, Jr., Tony Benson

Others: Mary E. Hayes, Tony Utschig, Jerry Hill

Meeting called to order by Chairman at 8:35 A.M.

## REQUEST FOR LETTER OF SUPPORT - Headstart

Mary E. Hayes reported on the Wisconsin Indian Head Start Director Meeting in Wausau on April 7, 1983. A letter of support will be going to Mr. Hilario Aguirre, Director of Indian Migrant Program Division of Head Start in Washington, D. C. by all Tribes. The letter of support states that the Oneida Tribe wishes to inform you that it supports the concept of a Great Lakes Consortium of Minnesota/Wisconsin for the purpose of Training and Technical Assistance through the Office of Indian Child Services. We do not see the formation of a broader consortium including Indian Head Start projects in Nebraska, North and South Dakota to be advantageous to our project nor particularly cost effective. Such a consortium would require more extensive travel and less technical assistance due to high costs. We see the need to raise the level of monies set aside for this new Great Lakes Consortium to \$53,000 for Wisconsin. This will allow sufficient monies for administrative costs to Minnesota as well as some that can be utilized on our local level.

Lois Powless made a motion to allow this letter to be sent. Seconded by Kathy Hughes. Motion Carried.

## TRAVEL TO MINNESOTA - Informational

Mark Powless stated that the request for travel would not be needed now as Bruce King is going to be traveling by himself. Bruce is traveling to Minnesota to look at a series of Hotels.

## WAGE RATES FOR OTE

Mark stated he requested Tony Utschig to do an evaluation on OTE and One-Stop. He stated that he had told Tony to go ahead and give out the raises but it has to go through Business Committee first. Tony gave an explanation of the salary changes.

He feels that we should be able to work out this plan if everything in Madison is approved. Mark Powless moved to approve the recommendation. Loretta seconded. Motion Carried.

REVISED WHOLESALE PRICE STRUCTURE FOR DISTRIBUTION OF CIGARETTES FROM OTE TO ONE STOP.

Tony Utschig explained the revised wholesale price structure. There was discussion. Mark powless moved to approve the revised wholesale agreement between one stop and OTE for 5 % over the whole sale. Norbert Hill seconded. Motion Carried.

NOMINATION FOR PRIVATE INDUSTRY COUNCIL

Tony explained the Service Delivery Areas, a negotiated process between the county executives and the Governor's office. As we are part of two service delivery areas he would like to see 2 or 3 names submitted from the Business Committee for each area, for membership to this council. Kathy made a motion to have herself, Lloyd Powless and Norbert Hill submit application for Brown County and Percy Powless, Loretta Metoxen, Lois Powless and Gordie McLester to apply for Outagamie. Mark Powless seconded. Motion Carried.

CIGARETTE UPDATE

Jerry Hill gave a report on their meeting in Madison with the Joint Finance Committee. Discussion followed regarding cigarette issue.

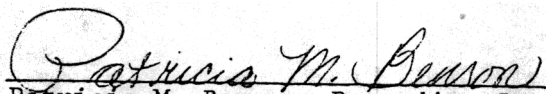
Loretta Metoxen excused at 10:00 A.M. to attend the Wisconsin Radioactive Waste Review Board meeting at the Seminary.

GOVERNOR DINNER

Kathy Hughes made a motion to approve eighteen tickets instead of just nine. The Business Committee members should include their spouses. Lois Powless seconded. Motion Carried.

Mark Powless moved to recess at 10:30 A.M. Kathy Seconded. Motion Carried.

Respectfully Submitted,

  
Patricia M. Benson, Recording Secretary