

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 BUSINESS COMMITTEE



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RESOLUTION #8-21-02-C
Head Start Bureau
Administration for Children and Families
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services



UGWA DEMOLUM 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.

WHEREAS, the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin is a federally recognized Indian government and a Treaty Tribe recognized by the laws of the United States, and

WHEREAS, the Oneida General Tribal Council is the governing body of the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin, and

WHEREAS, the Oneida Business Committee has been delegated authority under Article IV, Section 1 of the Oneida Tribal Constitution by the Oneida General Tribal Council, and

WHEREAS, the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin has determined that the overall goal of the Oneida Nation is to protect, maintain and improve the standard of living and the environment in which the Oneida people live, and

WHEREAS, the Oneida Tribe has also determined that the health, safety, education and well-being of Oneida children and their families to be the top priority, and

WHEREAS, the Oneida Tribe continues to support the holistic culturally appropriate concept of the Oneida Head Start Program as it strives to meet the needs of both children and families through health/social services and education

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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED: that the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin authorizes and submits a grant application to the Head Start Bureau/Administration for Children and Families/U.S. Department of Health and Human Services for the 2003 Head Start Base Funding.

CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, as Secretary of the Oneida Business Committee, hereby certify that the Oneida Business Committee is composed of 9 members of whom 5 members constitute a quorum. 8 members were present at a meeting duly called, noticed and held on the 21 day of August, 2002; that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of 7 members for; 0 members against; 0 member not voting; and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

Valie Barton, Tribal Secretary Oneida Business Committee