

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





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.

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RESOLUTION # <u>1-02-03-C</u> Department of Health and Human Services/Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration/Youth Offender Reentry Program

- 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 India Wisconsin, and
- WHEREAS, the Oneida Business Committee has been delegated the authority of Article IV, Section of the Oneida Tribal Constitution by the Oneida General Tribal Council, and
- WHEREAS, the goal of the Oneida Tribe is to protect and improve the resources, standard of living, and the environment in which the Oneida People live while maintaining, enforcing, and exercising the sovereign rights of the Oneida Tribe, and
- WHEREAS, the Oneida Social Services is dedicated to providing Native American young people with culturally relevant, holistically oriented transitional services for those Oneida and Native American youth and young adults, making the transition from incarceration to productive community member, and
- WHEREAS, the Oneida Tribe believes that the Oneida/Native American Youth, Family and Community will be strengthened by providing critically needed culturally competent young offender services that will have a positive impact on family and youth/health and healing.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED: That the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin in collaboration with the Department of Health and Human Services/Center for Substance Abuse Treatment/Young Offender Reentry Program, authorizes and submits this grant application for the purpose of securing external monies to strengthen and enhance the need for community-based, comprehensive, culturally-specific transition services for Oneida and Native American young people that addresses the critical needs of our young people both on or near the Oneida Reservation.

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. 7_{-} members were presents at a meeting duly called, noticed and held on the 2^{nd} day of <u>January</u>, 2003; that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of <u>6</u> members for; <u>0</u> members against, and <u>0</u> members not voting; and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

Julie Barton, Tribal Secretary Oneida Business Committee