Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin BUSINESS COMMITTEE



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



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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.

RESOLUTION #_ 3-19-03-A

Training Grant to Stop Abuse and Sexual Assault Against Older Individuals or Individuals with Disabilities

- 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 of Indians of Wisconsin has established the Oneida Elderly Services Program whose mission is to..."Assist our elders to maintain an independent, healthy, productive and quality lifestyle through love, caring and respect by the services we provide.", and

WHEREAS, the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin understands there is a need to prevent abuse of our elders through a collaborative effort between the Sexual Offender Grant Coordinator and the Elder Abuse Prevention Coordinator to provide training to law enforcement, prosecutors and tribal systems in recognizing, addressing, investigating and prosecuting instances of Elder abuse, and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED: that the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin authorizes and submits a grant application to the U.S. Department of Justice/Office of Justice Programs/Office of Violence Against Women for a Training Grant to Stop Abuse and Sexual Assault Against Older Individuals or Individuals with Disabilities.

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 19th day of March, 2003; 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.

Julie Barton, Tribal Secretary
Oneida Business Committee

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