

Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin

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



UGWA DEMOLUM YATHEH
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 # 6-3-88-C

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 the authority of Article IV, Section 1 of the Oneida Tribal Constitution by the Oneida General Tribal Council, and

WHEREAS, the Oneida Tribe is a member in good standing of the National Congress of American Indians and has been a strong supporter for many years, and

WHEREAS, the registration fees for the annual and semi-annual meetings are prohibitively expensive for our elder, many of whom would like to attend, and

WHEREAS, N.C.A.I. has shown its respect for Indian elders in the past by supporting favorable federal legislation and in other ways.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: that the Oneida Tribe hereby requests and urges the National Congress of American Indians to substantially reduce or omit all registration fees for Tribal Elders.

C E R T I F I C A T I O N

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 constitutes a quorum. 7 members were present at a meeting duly called, noticed and held on the 3rd day of June 1988; that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of 6 members for; 0 members against, 0 members not voting; and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Anelia Cornelius".

Anelia Cornelius, Tribal Secretary
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