

Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin

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RESOLUTION 7-17-96-E



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.

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

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 has determined as part of its Seven Generation Commitment "to build a solid educational foundation by addressing human needs of all its members throughout the circle of life", and

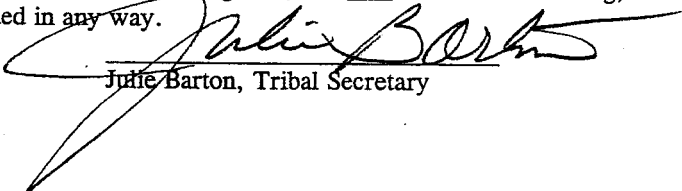
WHEREAS, the Oneida Tribe has established the Oneida Nation Arts Program to provide the highest quality educational and support services to all children and families and to empower the children through the use of developmental practices which reflect the unique cultural heritage of the Oneida people, and

WHEREAS, the Oneida Nation Arts Program with the collaboration of the Wisconsin Arts Board, would like to preserve and protect the cultural heritage of the Oneida people for the next seven generations, and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED: That the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin in collaboration with the Wisconsin Arts Board, authorized and submits this grant application for the purpose of establishing a program with the Wisconsin Indian Elders skilled in the Oneida traditional arts to work with Oneida apprentices.

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. 9 members were presents at a meeting duly called, noticed and held on the 17TH day of July, 1996; that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of 8 members for; 0 members against, and 0 members not voting; and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.


Julie Barton, Tribal Secretary