



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 DEHOLUH YATE
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 12-22-82-AA

BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
GREAT LAKES AREA OFFICE
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WHEREAS, The "All Indian Study Commission" during 1973-74, funded by the BIA determined that there was a need for a special high school to provide an innovative and compensatory program for Indian youth who were unsuccessful in other school settings and,

WHEREAS, The program at IIS from 1974 to the present has served that role in an excellent fashion and,

WHEREAS, There has been unanimous approval of the tribes served by IIS and,

WHEREAS, The BIA in opposition to the voices and desires of these tribes have determined to close this school in the spring of 1983 and,

WHEREAS, P.L. 93-638 with statutory provisions for Indian self-determination provides the the option for tribal entities to contract BIA educational programs and,

WHEREAS, Tribal leaders representing the majority of the student enrollment at IIS have voted unanimously to pursue a P.L. 93-638 contract and,

WHEREAS, Our Tribe has resolved to continue to support the school;

NOW THEREFORE LET IT BE RESOLVED: That we hereby do authorize the Intermountain Inter-Tribal school board inc., to secure a P.L. 93-638 contract for the operation of the school for and in behalf of our tribe and the students we enroll at this school.

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 8 members, constituting a quorum, were present at a meeting duly called, noticed, and held on the 22 day of Dec 1982, that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of 7 members for, 0 members against and 0 members not voting: and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

L. Gordon M. Lester
Secretary, Oneida Business Committee