

# 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 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 # 5-15-91-L

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 Business Committee is concerned about the education of all Tribal students, as well as, non-Native American students, and

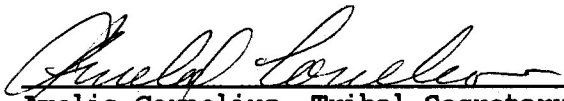
WHEREAS, the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin supports the original intent of the Wisconsin Constitution in its endeavor to maintain the common school fund and continue to allow the principal of this fund in helping schools and municipalities, and

WHEREAS, it has come to our attention that the Wisconsin State Legislature is actively seeking to add a constitutional amendment which would alter the common school fund and detract needed monies which now supports school libraries,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: that for the benefit of Wisconsin's schools and ultimately Wisconsin's students, the Common School Fund be left in its original form and purpose.

## 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 constitute a quorum. 7 members were present at a meeting duly called, noticed and held on the 15th day of May, 1991; that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of 6 members for; 0 members against, and 0 members not voting; and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

  
Amelia Cornelius, Tribal Secretary  
Oneida Business Committee