



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

# Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin

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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 No. 6-3-92-B

WHEREAS, the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin is a federally recognized Indian government and 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 I of the Oneida Tribal Constitution by the Oneida General Tribal Council, and

WHEREAS, the United States Housing Act of 1937 in regard to public housing and the 1961 amendment recognizing Indian Housing Authorities does not address the present comprehensive housing needs of the Tribe, and

WHEREAS, the present regulations pertaining to Indian Housing and Indian Housing Authorities diminishes self-sufficiency, self-governance, and sovereignty of the Indian Nations, and

WHEREAS, the Indian Nations hold the ultimate authority for the health, safety and welfare of their membership.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: That the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin recognizes the need for greater flexibility in housing in regard to our unique culture, our economic and geographic status, and multiple needs versus HUD low income housing, and


BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin wholly supports H.R. 4027, the Self-Governance Demonstration Project model in block granting housing funds to Tribes, and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED: That in the passage of H.R. 4027, the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin hereby authorizes an application for participation in the demonstration program.

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### CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, as Secretary of the Oneida Business Committee, hereby certify that the Oneida Business Committee is composed of nine (9) members, of whom five (5) members constitutes a quorum, of which 9 members were present at a meeting duly called, noticed and held on the 3rd day of June, 1992; that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such a meeting by a vote of 8 members for; 0 members against; 0 members not voting; and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

  
Amelia Cornelius, Tribal Secretary  
Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin