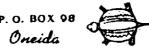


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## Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin, Inc. Education Offices



Higher Education

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Employment Assistance 869-2301



Wisconsin 54155

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## TRIBAL RESOLUTION

WHEREAS,

The Oneida Education Office is based on the principle that American Indian people can contribute much to the imporvement of their own education, if afforded the opportunity, and,

WHEREAS,

Higher Education is deemed a continuing priority of the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin, Inc. and a responsibility to the Bureau of Indian Affairs via the Snyder Act, and,

WHEREAS.

American Indian Education can be preceived graphically as a pyramid structure with many students at the bottom and fewer and fewer at the upper level, do in large part to insufficient funding, and,

WHITEAS.

There currently is an uncommitted Higher Education scholarship amount of \$403,000.00 at the Bureau of Indian Affairs Central Office, and,

WIFREAS,

In order to fund 100% of all financial requests of need from the Oneida Higher Education Office, it would have been necessary for an additional amount of \$19,552.04 for second semester FY 1977-78 alone, and,

WHEREAS,

There is an unmet need for summer school and fall start-up in the amounts of:

Summer School FY 1977-78

\$10,000.00

2. Semester I 1978-79

\$25,000.00

THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin, Inc. in order to provide adequate funds for its Higher Education students has the necessity for additional funding from supplemental sources consisting of the Oneida Higher Education Offices proportionate share of the uncommitted \$403,000.00 held at Centeral Office.

THEREFORE,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin in order to effectively serve its Higher Education students requests, according to need, the additional Higher Education funds held in abeyance at the aforementioned Central Office.

## CHRITEICATION

1, the undersigned, as Secretary of the Oneida Tribal Business Committee hereby certify that the Oneida Tribal Business Committee is composed of 9 members of whom constitute a quorum; at a meeting duly called, noticed and held on the V. day of 1978, the foregoing resolution was adopted by a vote of for, against and \_\_\_\_ abstentions.