

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 # 5-3-95-E

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 governmental 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 continued to support and encourage the Oneida Communications Department in establishing a strong relationship with other communities and organizations at a local, national and international level, and

WHEREAS, the Oneida Communications Department has an established Oneida dance group that travels to outside communities in an attempt to break through the cultural and racial barriers that have been developed over years of denial to exercise our cultural traditions, and

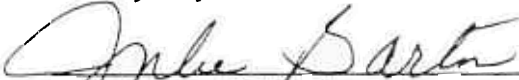
WHEREAS, the National Endowment for the Arts has developed a Dance Program that provides funds for organizations that provide services to the field of dance in an effort to develop a climate of support and public appreciation for dance.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: that the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin, authorize and submit this grant application to the National Endowment for the Arts under the Dance Program of "Services to the Field" to support the Oneida Communications Department in their efforts of establishing a diversified cultural alliance through an international Oneida Traditional dance project.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: that the Tribal Chairwoman, or her delegate, is hereby authorized to negotiate and execute the contract and any amendments thereto.

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. 8 members were present at a meeting duly called, noticed, and held on the 3 day of May, 1995; that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such a meeting by a vote of 7 members for, 0 members against, 0 members not voting; and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.



Julie Barton, Tribal Secretary
Oneida Business Committee