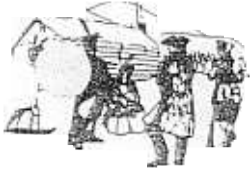


# Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin

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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 # 05-14-97C

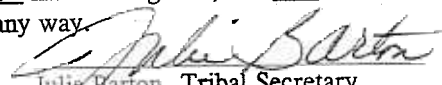
### The Lila Wallace-Readers Digest Community Folklife Program Grant Application

- 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 of the Oneida Tribal Constitution by the Oneida General Tribal Council, and
- WHEREAS,** the Oneida Tribe has determined as part of its Seven Generation Commitment "to build a solid educational foundation by addressing human needs of all its members throughout the circle of life", and
- WHEREAS,** the Oneida Tribe has established the Oneida Nation Arts Program to provide the highest quality educational and support services to all children and families and to empower the children through the use of developmental practices which reflect the unique cultural heritage of the Oneida people, and
- WHEREAS,** the Oneida Nation Arts Program and the Oneida Museum with the collaboration of the Lila Wallace-Readers Digest Community Folklife Program would like to preserve, protect, and share the cultural heritage of the Oneida people for the next seven generations, and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:** That the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin in collaboration with The Lila Wallace-Readers Digest Community Folklife Program, authorizes and submits this grant application for the purpose of sharing and celebrating Oneida Arts and culture in Wisconsin through the annual Oneida Cultural Festival and Woodlands Indian Arts Conference.

### 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. 9 members were presents at a meeting duly called, noticed and held on the 14th day of May, 1997; that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of 8 members for; 0 members against, and 0 members not voting; and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

  
Julie Barton, Tribal Secretary  
Oneida Business Committee