



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

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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 # 5-19-89-A

- 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 Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin has constructed higher education for more than three years, and
- WHEREAS, Public Law 100-472 allows tribal governments to seek or be awarded a mature contract as outlined under Section 4, paragraph (h), which reads in part as follows:

"Mature contract means a self-determination contract that has been continuously operated by a tribal organization for three or more years and for which there are no significant and material audit exceptions in the annual financial audit of the tribal organization . . . a contract of the tribal organization in existence on the date of enactment of the Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act Amendments of 1988, which meets this definition, shall be considered to be a mature contract."
- WHEREAS, the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin has no significant material audit exceptions in the last three years and is fully qualified to be awarded a mature contract as defined by Public Law 100-471, and
- WHEREAS, the Bureau of Indian Affairs has failed to complete a timely federal regulations process which would regulate the 1988 amended Public Law 93-638 and Public Law 100-472 clearly defines a mature contract to exist upon the date amendment was enacted, and
- WHEREAS, the Oneida Tribe of Indians wishes to have the Higher Education Contract F50C14209538 declared a mature contract as outlined by P.L. 100-472.


NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT: the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin requests that the Higher Education F50C14209538 contract between the Oneida Tribe and the Bureau of Indian Affairs be declared a mature contract.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT: the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin wishes to amend said mature contract with a new date to read October 1, 1989 to September 30, 1990, or the proposed calendar as prescribed the Law, said contract allocation for the period will include all carryover funds from FY'89 and final allocations as awarded by the United States Congress and related allocations as agreed to by the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin and the Bureau of Indian Affairs in the Indian Priority System (IPS) consultations.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: that the Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin requests this contract not be considered as a procurement contract and the Tribe is committee to provide quarterly financial reports thirty (30) days after each quarter and a final report within ninety (90) days upon completion of FY'89, and that any and all changes to the existing contract must be agreed to by both, the Oneida Tribe and the Bureau of Indian Affairs.

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 constitutes a quorum. 7 members were present at a meeting duly called, noticed and held on the 19 day of May 1989; that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of 6 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