## Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin

Post Office Box 365



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, Wi 54155

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 9-11-96-B

WHEREAS, the Oneida Nation in 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 Nation in Wisconsin, and

WHEREAS, the Oneida Business Committee has been delegated the authority of Article IV, Section 1 of the Oneida Nation Constitution by the Oneida General Council, and

WHEREAS, Congress by enactment of P. L. 93-638 provided a mechanism for Indian Tribes to exercise the right of SELF-DETERMINATION; and

WHEREAS, the Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act (ISTEA) of 1991, Public law 102-240, has provided funding to the Bureau of Indian Affairs for the purpose of Transportation Planning on the Indian Reservations, and

WHEREAS, the Oneida Nation in Wisconsin has the expertise required to successfully administer the required Transportation Planning on the Oneida Reservation.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: that the Bureau of Indian Affairs be advised that the Oneida Nation desires to contract under the provisions of Public Law 93-638, its "fair Share" portion of the available FY 96 Transportation Planning funding for the purpose of expanding and coordinating the Transportation Plan for the Oneida Nation of Wisconsin.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Oneida Nation in Wisconsin hereby authorizes its Chairperson, Deborah J. Doxtator, to enter into negotiations and sign a contract with the Bureau of Indian Affairs for the above stated purpose.

## 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 constitute a quorum. 8 members were present at a meeting duly called, noticed and held on the 11th day of September, 1996; that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of 7 members for; 0 members against, and 0 members not voting; and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.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