

Oneida Tribe of Indians of Wisconsin



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.

POSITION DESCRIPTION

TITLE: TRIBAL COUNCILMAN

The incumbent of this position is one of the officials of the Oneida Nation. As a Councilman the incumbent is guided in his/her duties by the Constitution and By-Laws and Business Committee policies & Procedures. As a Councilman his/her actions are subject to review by the General Tribal Council

1. The Council member must at all times act in the best interest of the Tribe.
2. The Council member is required to participate in all regular, special and General Tribal Council meetings.
3. Assigned as liaison to one of the Tribal departments listed in the organizational chart. Duties are to assist the department, keep themselves/Business Committee and the community informed on the department's problems and progress.
4. The Council member must be responsive to the Tribal members and reservation communities and their needs and put their interest above any personal interest of the member.
5. As requested, attends other Tribal, State, Local, Federal meetings as an official representative of the Oneida Tribe.
6. Required to support tribal goals and objectives and to actively work to resolve any Tribal problems.
7. Council member making a trip off the reservation as a representative of the Tribal council should furnish a written report to the Tribal council within three working days.

8. While a Council member should be interested and review all required progress reports of all programs being operated on the reservation for Tribal members, the Council member shall not engage in petty political interference with operations of those programs. However, the Council member has the right to question any matters not understood or which the member feels is not serving in the best interest of the Tribal members properly.
9. When requested the Council member shall do lobbying with government agencies for the benefit of the Tribe.
10. Performs other duties as assigned.