

Grand River the 9th September
1823

Mr

I write at the request of the Six Nations
to acquaint you for the information of His
Excellency the Lieut. Governor, that they have
agreed at a full Council on the 6th Instant at
the Onondaga Council Fire, to receive a Deed
in Trust for the land they now have, hold, and
occupy on the Grand River, - The Chiefs regret
to inform you that this Decision has not been
unanimous, as some party oppose it, however the
Majority of the Six Nations have subscribed to the
To the Honble Wm. C. Cress Paper.
By Subst. Sec. Lid Affr.