## SEOTS ADVISORY BOARD QUARTERLY REPORT (OCT-DEC 2013) SOUTHEASTERN ONEIDA TRIBAL SERVICES ADVISORY BOARD

## Submitted by:

Pamela Ninham-Chairwomen
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**Oneida Business Committee liaisons**: Ed Delgado, Vince Delarosa, alt> Melinda Danforth.

Minute's update- We Had 2 meeting this quarter.

**Financial-** With cost containment, the Board continues under budget.

**Special Events and Travel** – None

**Comments** •. In the previous quarter we felt that the SEOTS hours need to evolve to meet the needs of the members. Because of the Oneida Business Committee Saturday Morning meetings – video conference at the SEOTS office – it opened the door to more availability to pick up medications\_ This needs to be explored with the Oneida Pharamacy., use the computers/fax machine, or attend community meetings.

**Goals and Objectives -** These items continue to be of optimal importance: 1. Finalize a location for SEOTS – get a building, have a permanent home; 2. Increase participation, have open communication and hear more voices. 3. Tabled - Explore a change from an 'advisory' board to a full board with more authority because we see, hear, and are close to our community concerns and views. More focus needs to be committed to possible By-Law revisions.

**Meeting Requirements •** By-Laws require 7 members, 2 meetings per month with Special and Emergency Meetings. Only 1 meeting per month is paid.

Follow up-