



Vision Statement

The Live Sustain Grow Plan (commonly known as an Integrated Resource Management Plan) was created to provide direction and fulfill the needs for resource management planning for Oneida's Seven Generations. This plan adds greater detail to the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection sections of the Oneida Comprehensive Plan, accepted by the Oneida Business Committee 2008. The Live Sustain Grow Plan was developed to address the following:

- In October 2007, the General Manager instructed Division Directors to use the plan as a tool for addressing gaps in the land use plan, zoning ordinance, sustainable forestry management plan, shoreland ordinance, and farm policy.
- In 2006, a General Tribal Council petition requested that the rural character of the Reservation landscape be protected, including curbing development in rural areas to protect hunting and fishing resources.
- Support the Balanced Scorecard goal that all tribal actions are coordinated towards the betterment of the Oneida Nation.
- Support BIA Government Results Performance Act (GRPA) goals for natural resource management and fulfilling Indian fiduciary trust responsibilities.

Vision Statement of the Live Sustain Grow Plan:

Provide direction and fulfill future needs for natural resource planning on the Oneida Reservation

In order to meet this vision, the Live Sustain Grow Plan:

- Establishes a framework for land use and protection programs.
- Preserves, protects, and wisely manages the resources of the Reservation.
- Identifies needs for improvement in resource management policies and procedures.
- Solicits community input on resource management decisions.
- Provides for cultural needs of current and future tribal members.

