

# 2019 3rd Quarter Report (Apr '19 - Jun '19)

## Oneida Land Claims Commission

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### OBC Liaison(s)

Kirby Metoxen, Primary

Jennifer Webster, Alternate

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### Meetings

Held every 1st and 3rd Thursday of the month.

Location: Norbert Hill Center, N7210 Seminary Rd. 3rd floor, Room 338

Time: 5:30 PM

### Accomplishments

#### ACCOMPLISHMENT #1

Summary:

The Land Claims Commission held an outreach event and public meeting/hearing on Oneida Land Claims in Milwaukee at the SEOTS building on April 24, 2019. Continue to educate the membership. Received input and direction from the membership.

Impact: Updating the membership in Milwaukee. Committing to build a responsible Nation while implementing good governance processes.

It supports our mission for community outreach and education on our land claims

## ACCOMPLISHMENT #2

Summary:

The Oneida Land Claims Commission met with Chief Bob Brown on May 28, 2019 to discuss the history of the land claims. We discussed ways to unify the Oneida Communities to develop a strategic plan to move forward.

Impact: education and better understanding of the members of the Oneida Land Claims Commission.

This Supports our duties and responsibilities to the by-laws to research and look for alternate land claims resolutions

## ACCOMPLISHMENT #3

Summary:

We continue to work on the bylaws, we have members assigned to work on the 200-year planning and report back to the commission, and we worked with a member of the OBC to conduct outreach at a GTC meeting.

Impact:

Committing to build a responsible Nation.

## **Goals**

### LONG-TERM GOAL #1

Congressional Fix

Commissioners are continuously researching and reviewing Land Rights history and other relevant documents

Update on Goal: Oneida Land Claims Commission is continuing to meet with community members to get recommendations through outreach events.

### LONG-TERM GOAL #2

Unification of the Oneida Communities. Plan a trip to the Thames

Update on Goal:

Commissioners learned traditional protocol from Bob Brown (Hereditary Chief).

**QUARTERLY GOAL #1**

Continuing to research congressional remedies

Update on Goal:

Research by individual commission members and information will be brought back to the commission. (ongoing)

**QUARTERLY GOAL #2**

Produce new and updated educational material

Update on Goal:

Due to lack of Staffing we were unable to meet our goal.

**QUARTERLY ACTIVITIES**

Continue strategic planning meetings with the BC. held an open Public Hearing. Update educational materials for distribution to the membership. Worked to compile community input.

Update on Activities:

Meetings have been scheduled for Joint meeting with the BC. Updates to materials and printing schedules have been made. We went to Milwaukee to SEOTS to do an update presentation on the Land Claims and the Test Case, the Congressional Fix, and we collected public input from the public meeting/hearing.

**Budget**

Total Budget for FY-2019:	Value A:	\$54,767
Status of Budget at 3rd Quarter:	Value B:	\$34,836

<b>Stipend Type</b>	<b>Eligible Stipends</b>	<b>Total Stipend Amounts Received in Quarter</b>
Meeting	\$100	\$2900
Joint Meetings with the OBC	---	\$
Oneida Judiciary Hearings	\$50	\$
Hearings of Boards, Committees, or Commissions	\$50	\$250
Conferences and Trainings	\$100	\$
Miscellaneous - ....	---	\$

Budget Utilization  
Office Supplies

Projected budgetary uses for the next quarter  
Marketing materials, educational handouts, and membership mail outs.

## Requests

The Commission is formally requesting the original Oneida Land Claims budget for staff as stated in the bylaws. The Commission is also requesting a BC liaison or representative at every regular Oneida Land Claims meeting. We request to have an OLCC member at every meeting pertaining to Land Claims as required by the By-Laws as directed by GTC.

## Other

The Oneida Land Claims Commission is requesting to be noticed of any meeting or matters relating to land claims or Oneida Land Claims Commission in or out of executive session; to have an OLCC member present in accordance to our bylaws.