

**ONEIDA NATION**  
**PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD NOTICE**  
*Due to the COVID-19 Public Health Emergency*  
*Only Written Comments Will Be Accepted Until:*  
**WEDNESDAY January 13, 2021**

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## **COMMUNITY SUPPORT FUND LAW AMENDMENTS**

The purpose of this law is to assist the greatest number of members of the Nation who apply for assistance to the Fund in times of a catastrophic event, catastrophic illness or injury, or emergency event when no other resources for assistance exist.

### **The Community Support Fund law amendments will:**

1. Remove the requirement that security deposit assistance only be available to those members of the Nation who are Wisconsin residents;
2. Remove the requirement that funeral travel expenses is only provided to arrange or attend a funeral for immediate family members outside the state where the applicant resides;
3. Remove the requirement that an applicant provide all household income the last thirty (30) business days immediately prior to the submission of the application; and
4. Expand the time period for an applicant to submit an application from thirty (30) days to forty-five (45) days.

For more proposed amendments to the Community Support Fund law please review the public comment packet at [Oneida-nsn.gov/government/register/public meetings](http://Oneida-nsn.gov/government/register/public%20meetings).

## **PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD CLOSSES WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 13, 2021**

The Nation's COVID-19 Team issued a declaration on March 27, 2020, titled "*Suspension of Public Meetings under the Legislative Procedures Act.*" This declaration provides that the Legislative Procedures Act's requirement to hold a public meeting during the public comment period is suspended due to the COVID-19 public health emergency. Although there will be no public meeting, the public comment period will still occur, and individuals can participate in the legislative process by submitting written comments, questions, or other input via e-mail to [LOC@oneidanation.org](mailto:LOC@oneidanation.org).