

# 2021 report template

For Boards, Committees, and Commissions (BCCs)

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## ONEIDA ELECTION BOARD – FY21 Q2 REPORT

### **Purpose:**

Responsible for conducting fair and orderly elections for the Oneida Nation, and responsible to count hand and/or ballot votes at General Tribal Council (GTC) meetings.

### **BCC Members**

Candace House  
Chair  
7/31/2022

Vicki Cornelius  
Vice Chair  
7/31/2021

Tina Skenandore  
Secretary  
7/31/2023

Patricia Moore  
Member  
7/31/2022

Racquel Hill  
Member  
7/31/2022

Tracy Smith  
Member  
7/31/2021

Christina Liggins  
Member  
7/31/2023

Melinda K. Danforth  
Member  
7/31/2021

Tonya Webster  
Member  
7/31/2023

### Substantiated Complaints (if applicable)

Per § 105.12-4.(a) of the Boards, Committees and Commissions law, annual and semi-annual reports shall contain information on the number of substantiated complaints against all members of the entity.

Per § 105.3-1.(q) a “Substantiated complaint” means a complaint or allegation in a complaint that was found to be valid by clear and convincing evidence.

NUMBER OF SUBSTANTIATED COMPLAINTS: Zero (0)

### Meetings

Held the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Monday of every month. Meetings are held via Microsoft Teams during the Public Health Emergency.

Emergency Meetings: Zero (0)

### Contact Info

CONTACT: Candace House

TITLE: Chair

E-MAIL: Election\_Board@oneidanation.org

MAIN WEBSITE: <https://oneida-nsn.gov/government/boards-committees-and-commissions/elected/>

### Status report of Three-Year Outcomes/Goals

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#### Outcome/Goal # 1

Conduct Oneida Elections in compliance with Oneida Law, Policy and/or Resolution.

IS THIS A LONG-TERM OR QUARTERLY GOAL? Long-term

#### GOOD GOVERNANCE PRINCIPLE:

Rule of Law - Ensuring the rules are known and applied equally to all with clear appeal (if needed) and are enforced by an impartial regulatory body, for the full protection of Oneida Nation stakeholders

#### HOW OUTCOME/GOAL SUPPORTS THE GOOD GOVERNANCE PRINCIPLE:

Being compliant with Oneida Law, Policy, and/or Resolutions gives General Tribal Council orderly and easily understood elections.

EXPECTATIONS/FUTURE PLANS REGARDING THE OUTCOME/GOAL:

In Quarter 2 of FY-21, the Election Board has been working on preparations for the 2021 Special Election. In January and February, the board had reviewed and revised the application for elected positions and forwarded onto the BC for approval. The board has also requested emergency amendments to the Election Law to ensure membership safety during the COVID-19 pandemic is accounted for and done in compliance with the law.

**Stipends**

*Per the Boards, Committees, and Commissions law, stipends are set via OBC resolution. BC resolution # 08-12-20-C sets the stipend amounts.*

**Budget Information**

FY-2021 BUDGET: \$81,200

FY-2021 EXPENDITURES AS OF END OF REPORTING PERIOD: \$ 6,925

**Requests**

**Other**