Dear General Tribal Council,

**SUBJ:** 2022 SPECIAL ELECTION APPLICATION PERIOD

On January 12, 2022, BC Resolution 01-12-22-B Extension of Declaration of Public Health State of Emergency Until March 24, 2022, was adopted. The Election Board has requested that there not be a 2022 Special Election Caucus since it is still advised for the membership to stay home and to social distance, it was decided it would be in everyone’s best interest to cancel the caucus.

This is a notice of the 2022 Special Election and how the membership will be able to apply for their name to be placed on the ballot. Applicants may pick-up and drop-off application materials in the main office of Norbert Hill Center during normal business hours the week of April 25th – May 6th (8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.). Mailed, faxed, or e-mailed applications will not be accepted.

All individuals applying for their name to be placed on the 2022 Special Election ballot will need to complete a separate application for each position vying for. Beginning April 25, 2022, applications may be picked up in the main office of the Norbert Hill Center or you may find an electronic fillable version of the application on the Nations website by going to www.oneidanation-nsn.gov under Government/Forms & Applications. The deadline for all application forms and referendum questions to be submitted to the Business Committee Support Office:

**FRIDAY – MAY 6, 2022, BY 4:30 P.M.**

***NOTE Applicants must provide the appropriate documentation, including but not limited to, copies of degree, official transcripts, and certifications as proof of qualification for the position in which they seek where applicable. Those applications that do not have the proper back-up documentation regarding qualifications will be deemed as incomplete and applicant will not be eligible for candidacy.

If you have any questions or concerns, contact the Oneida Election Board by email at Election_Board@oneidanation.org.

Sincerely,

Pamela Nohr
Pamela Nohr, Chairperson
Oneida Election Board
2022 SPECIAL ELECTION VACANCY INFORMATION

ONEIDA ELECTION BOARD
Three (3) vacancies; 3-year term

ONEIDA GAMING COMMISSION
One (1) vacancy; 5-year term

ONEIDA LAND CLAIMS COMMISSION
Two (2) vacancies; 4-year term

ONEIDA LAND COMMISSION
Two (2) vacancies; 3-year term

ONEIDA NATION COMMISSION ON AGING
Three (3) vacancies; 3-year term

ONEIDA NATION SCHOOL BOARD
Three (3) vacancies (parent/guardian); 3-year term

ONEIDA TRUST ENROLLMENT COMMITTEE
Three (3) vacancies; 3-year term

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Candidates for election to office found in violation of governing documents may be disqualified from taking office. These governing documents include but are not limited to the: Constitution of the Oneida Nation; Election Law; Judiciary Law; Oneida Nation Gaming Ordinance; Boards, Committees, & Commissions Law; and applicable bylaws.