

2022 report template

For Boards, Committees, and Commissions (BCCs)

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SOUTHEASTERN WISCONSIN ONEIDA TRIBAL SERVICES ADVISORY BOARD

Purpose:

The Board was established for purposes of providing advice and constructive input to the Southeastern Wisconsin Oneida Tribal Services (SEOTS) Director working in partnership to formulate social services programs for the Oneida people residing in Southeastern Wisconsin by, including, but not limited to:

1. Acting as an ambassador for the SEOTS program by promoting its mission whenever possible;
2. Reviewing the SEOTS program's budget;
3. Guiding and advising the SEOTS administration;
4. Adhering to the appropriate chain of command in any and all relative communications with the Oneida Business Committee; and
5. Carrying out all other powers and/or duties delegated to SEOTS by the laws and/or policies of the Nation.

BCC Members

Diane S Hill

Chair

03-31-2024

Michael A Coleman

Vice-Chair

02-28-2022

Lloyd D Ninham

Secretary

02-28-2021

Kathleen M Hill

Member

03-31-2024

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: none

Meetings

Held every 2nd Monday of each month, via Microsoft Teams.

6:00 pm

Emergency Meetings: None

Contact Info

CONTACT: Southeastern Wisconsin Oneida Tribal Services Advisory Board Members

TITLE: Southeastern Wisconsin Oneida Tribal Services Advisory Board

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Status report of Three-Year Outcomes/Goals

Outcome/Goal # 1

Support the community by communicating about the resources via social media, word of mouth, and mailers.

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

GOOD GOVERNANCE PRINCIPLE:

Participation - Fostering a system in which the public feels that they are part of decision-making processes, including freedom of expression and assiduous concern for the best interests of the Tribe and community in general

HOW OUTCOME/GOAL SUPPORTS THE GOOD GOVERNANCE PRINCIPLE:

Being able to communicate with the community openly with multiple options of relaying information will pave the way for being able to lay the way for all three (3) Good Governance Principles to all tribal members that live outside of the reservation.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS REGARDING THE OUTCOME/GOAL:

We as a board started meeting monthly in January 2022 after a long absence due to the temporary closure of non-essential BCC's.

EXPECTATIONS/FUTURE PLANS REGARDING THE OUTCOME/GOAL:

A Facebook Page has been created for the SEOTS Advisory Board to aide in communicating with the community far and wide. Over the next months as things change in the Nation messages and updates for those on social media platforms can access shared information sooner than a mailer. For those not on social media platforms emails and mailers will continue being sent to those that opt in. Two (2) board members are currently providing administrative support for the SEOTS Facebook page and we encourage the membership to visit it often to keep up-to-date on current events.

Outcome/Goal # 2

Engage with the community for services available: food, health, clothing, etc.

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

GOOD GOVERNANCE PRINCIPLE:

Equity and Inclusiveness - Providing the opportunity for the Nation's stakeholders to maintain, enhance, or generally improve their well-being which provides the most compelling message regarding its reason for existence and value to the Nation

HOW OUTCOME/GOAL SUPPORTS THE GOOD GOVERNANCE PRINCIPLE:

Being able to engage with the community and encouraging them on how to better care for themselves and the welfare of their descendants.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS REGARDING THE OUTCOME/GOAL:

Much like the first long-term goal steps have been taken to add to the ease of communication through the Facebook page posts as well as the ability to receive and respond to private messages from the community directly to the SEOTS Advisory Board.

EXPECTATIONS/FUTURE PLANS REGARDING THE OUTCOME/GOAL:

Having regular communication with the southeastern Oneida community. This way over the next three (3) months and beyond the community will be more confident in the Nation's support of those not living directly on or in close proximity to the reservation as not all benefits are available to non-reservation members.

Outcome/Goal # 3

Provide community engagement events such as a community picnic and a Halloween party

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HOW OUTCOME/GOAL SUPPORTS THE GOOD GOVERNANCE PRINCIPLE:

A warm environment establishes trust and reignites unity. So, if there are things that need to be done, which requires a specific approval, a representative or two (2) would be able to attend the event. Doing so would clear the path to allow the development of the most precious resource, our people. Such events would bolster the spirits of those who would attend, from our elders, to the infants and everyone in-between.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS REGARDING THE OUTCOME/GOAL:

Prior to shutdown of most BCC's such events were being planned for. Now that we're able to meet again those event plans, within guidelines, have been revisited.

EXPECTATIONS/FUTURE PLANS REGARDING THE OUTCOME/GOAL:

Over the course of the remainder of this current fiscal year, guidelines permitting, at least one event will be planned and booked.

Stipends\$900.00

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-2022 BUDGET: \$9,800.00

FY-2022 EXPENDITURES AS OF END OF REPORTING
PERIOD: 3/31/2022 \$900.00

If the BCC has for additional information regarding the use of the BCC budget, use the space below.

It is the intent of the SEOTS Board to resume hosting special event activities for the community which were halted by COVID 19. The SEOTS Board members have begun

planning and scheduling for our participation starting in FY 2022. The Board recognizes their budget was reduced by half, due to the temporary closure, which impacts the Boards ability to sponsor community events as have been done in prior years. This can be remedied by requesting for more funding in the "events" budget line for FY 2023. Currently, the Board intends sponsoring special events such as a Community Picnic, summer activities, a Halloween Party and other membership activities. The Board also recognizes the need for training as is needed to help meet the needs of the community. The Board greatly appreciates the approval for the increase which will be requested in the FY 2023 Budget.

Requests

The SEOTS Board members are working towards preparing estimates for activities and support of the overall needs of the SEOTS facility. We request the Oneida Business Committee support the forthcoming FY 2023 budget which will reflect the costs for the events provided to the Southeastern Oneida community.

Other

If the BCC has for other information to share, use the space below.

Although the SEOTS Board members have unofficially continued to represent our Oneida stakeholders, their families and our Community throughout the Covid-19 Pandemic, we have respectfully assisted in providing services within the parameters as allowed during this period. It is truly our honor to be reinstated and we THANK the Oneida Business Committee and the Oneida Health Department for keeping our Nation safe and our on-going services will continue to be provided within these preventative parameters.