# FY-2021 4th quarter report

MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEMS (MIS)

## Status report of Outcomes/Goals

- 1. Which outcome/goal(s) does the Division wish to report on?
- 2. What metric is being used to measure the outcome/goal?
- 3. What are the accomplishments (i.e. positives, things for which the Division is proud, brags) have occurred over the reporting period that reflect the Division's progress for reaching the outcome/goal?
- 4. What can the community expect to see in the future (i.e. 6 months; next year; 18 months) from the Division related to the outcome/ goal?

# Outcome/Goal # 1

Expand and improve technology systems, infrastructure, and support

MEASUREMENT: TribalHub IT Assessment - Findings/Recommendations Roadmap Completion

### **Core Findings - 6**

- Core Findings Completion 1/6
- Core Findings Recommendations Completed 1/9
  - Recommendations In-Progress 3/9

### Additional Findings - 6

- Additional Findings Completion 0/6
- Additional Findings Recommendations Completed 0/7
  - Recommendations In-Progress 3/7

#### ACCOMPLISHMENTS RELATED TO THE OUTCOME/GOAL:

- Chief Information Officer (CIO) Hired and now onboarding.
- Personnel issues (hiring and separations) has slowed and/or halted the progress of completing findings/recommendations.
- CIO hiring amongst other factors (hiring, wage, cloud adoption, etc.) should be able to help jump start work on the findings/recommendations.

#### EXPECTATIONS/FUTURE PLANS REGARDING THE OUTCOME/GOAL:

## **Core Findings/Recommendations - 6 Findings and 9 Recommendations**

- 1. Single MIS Leader IN PROGRESS
  - a. CIO Hiring COMPLETED
    - 1. CIO ONBOARDING
  - b. IT Director Hiring Recommendation discontinued per GM/OBC

#### 1. ON HOLD UNTIL CIO HIRED FIRST

- 2. Executive Technology Steering Committee
  - a. Create functional executive level technology steering committee representative of all Oneida.
- 3. Project Management Resources IN PROGRESS
  - a. Identify and/or hire one or more project managers (PM).
    - 1. BUDGETED FOR FY22, WORK FOR PROJECT MANAGEMENT OFFICE (PMO) UNDERWAY
  - b. Create nimble, agile, and repeatable project methodology to be used across the organization.
    - 1. CENTRALIZED PROJECT LISTING CREATED WITHIN MS TEAMS.
- 4. Data Management/Accessibility IN PROGRESS
  - a. Resources focused on making data usable, accessible, and integrated in the organization.
  - b. Data governance/classification Project
    - 1. SYNERCOMM CONTRACT (INFORMATION SECURITY AUGMENTATION SERVICES)
      - a. DATA LOSS PREVENTION
      - b. LOG MANAGEMENT SECURITY INFORMATION AND EVENT MANAGEMENT
      - c. **CLOUD SECURITY**
      - d. NIST GAP ANALYSIS CYBERSECURITY FRAMEWORK
    - 2. HIRING ADDITIONAL INFORMATION SECURITY ADMINISTRATOR GAMING
- 5. Hybrid MIS Structure
  - a. Create Hybrid MIS structure.
    - 1. Technology management structure under CIO that matches functions/responsibilities of hybrid model.
    - 2. Centralized/strategic technology focus across organization through single technology leader.
    - 3. Direct on-site MIS resources to divisions/enterprise as well as operational oversight/reporting.
- 6. MIS Re-Branding
  - a. Rename Management Information Systems (MIS) to Information Technology Services (ITS)
    - 0. CIO very interested in modernizing and rebranding the MIS Department name, brand, and services.

#### Additional Findings/Recommendations - 6 Findings and 7 Recommendations

- 1. IT Procurement PLANNED
  - a. Add personnel/staffing for procurement.
    - i. BUDGETED FOR FY22
- 2. Contract Negotiation and Review
  - a. 1 or more senior level MIS members should review and negotiate all new and renewal technology system/service agreements.
- 3. Help Desk Inefficiencies IN PROGRESS
  - a. Automate password resets, review Help Desk for operational resolutions and efficiencies.

- i. PROJECT UNDERWAY FOR PASSWORD RESETS
  - a. RESEARCH, DEVELOPMENT, AND DOCUMENTATION UNDERWAY
  - b. ROLLOUT DATE TO BE DETERMINED (THIS YEAR)
- 4. MIS Policies and Procedures IN PROGRESS
  - a. Review existing P&P's, centralize P&P's, create additional P&P's as necessary and communicate them out.
    - i. PROJECT KICKED OFF TO REVIEW ALL TECHNOLOGY POLICIES AND PROCEDURES
- 5. Training Technology and Soft Skills IN PROGRESS
  - a. Provide Learning Management System for technology.
    - i. ONLINE LEARNING PLATFORMS (OLP) RESEARCHED
    - ii. WILL PURCHASE OLP IN FY21 Q4
  - b. Create training/development plan as part of the evaluation process.
    - i. EVALUATIONS CANCELED FOR FY21
    - ii. AFTER OLP PURCHASED, WILL DEVELOP TRAINING/DEVELOPMENT PLANS FOR MIS PERSONNEL
- 6. In-House Application Review
  - . Review all In-House applications and make determination if they can be replaced with something that is more efficient and cost effective.

## Outcome/Goal # 2

Provide Technologies and Processes that Promote Information Sharing and Collaboration

MEASUREMENT: Improve Utilization of Microsoft Office Tools

Due to staff shortages, this goal has been put on hold.

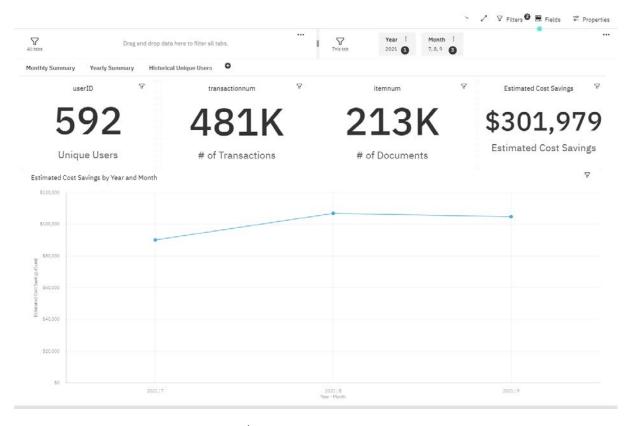
 $\underline{\text{EXPECTATIONS/FUTURE PLANS REGARDING THE OUTCOME/GOAL}}:$ 

**Future Plans** 

- Establish an external business partner to complete an assessment of the Power Apps Platform. Assessment to include:
  - Design Strategy
  - o Security Review
  - Deployment Best Practices
- Leverage partner for Managed Services Support
- Evaluate Staff Augmentation opportunities
- Update existing job description to match the current skills, roles, and responsibilities of the position to attract potential candidates

## Optimize Use of Resources

MEASUREMENT: Increase Labor Savings by digitizing manual processes



## ACCOMPLISHMENTS RELATED TO THE OUTCOME/GOAL:

Utilizing the Nation's Document Management solution OnBase, 592 unique users generated 481K transactions uploading and retrieving 213K unique documents for an estimated labor savings of **\$301,979** to the organization.

The cost savings is calculated as # of transactions \* 2.5 (estimated minutes saved in a transaction from physical files (3 minutes / manual transaction) – (0.5 minutes) for digital transaction) / 60 minutes per hour \* \$15 dollars per hour for the labor cost.

#### EXPECTATIONS/FUTURE PLANS REGARDING THE OUTCOME/GOAL:

MIS staff will continue to look for opportunities to automate manual processes to reduce manual labor hours and improve access to Programs and Services throughout the Oneida Nation.

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