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BC Resolution # 07-13-22-B

Elder Assistance Program Application Submission Period and Disbursement Timeframe for 2022

- WHEREAS,** the Oneida Nation is a federally recognized Indian government and a treaty tribe recognized by the laws of the United States of America; and
- WHEREAS,** the Oneida General Tribal Council is the governing body of the Oneida Nation; and
- WHEREAS,** the Oneida Business Committee has been delegated the authority of Article IV, Section 1, of the Oneida Tribal Constitution by the Oneida General Tribal Council; and
- WHEREAS,** the Elder Assistance Program law ("the Law") established the Elder Assistance Program as an approved program in accordance with the Oneida General Welfare law to govern how the Nation provides financial assistance to elders, pursuant to the Oneida General Welfare law; and
- WHEREAS,** it is the policy of the Nation to prioritize the general welfare needs of its elders and recognize that its elders possess unique and irreplaceable stores of knowledge, skill, culture, and experience that enhance and enrich the lives of every member of the Nation; and
- WHEREAS,** the interests of the Nation are advanced when its elders remain confident that their general welfare needs can be met; and
- WHEREAS,** the Law provides that the Oneida Business Committee, in consultation with the Oneida Trust Enrollment Committee, shall set forth through the adoption of a resolution an application submission period and disbursement timeframe for a distribution of assistance from the Elder Assistance Program; and
- WHEREAS,** the Law provides that the Oneida Trust Enrollment Committee shall determine the amount of assistance available to an eligible recipient from the Elder Assistance Program per any permitted distribution; and

Amount of Assistance for Disbursement

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, in accordance with section 1002.6-2 of the Elder Assistance Program law, the Oneida Trust Enrollment Committee determined that for the 2022 disbursement the amount of assistance available to an eligible recipient from the Elder Assistance Program shall be seven hundred three dollars and fifty-four cents (\$703.54).

Application Submission Period and Disbursement Timeframe

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that in accordance with section 1002.5-2 of the Elder Assistance Program law, the application submission period for the 2022 disbursement of assistance from the Elder Assistance Program shall be from July 14, 2022, through September 7, 2022, with the disbursement of assistance to be made on or before September 30, 2022.

Late Application Submission Period and Disbursement Timeframe

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, if an applicant does not submit an application for assistance from the Elder Assistance Program by September 7, 2022, the applicant shall be allowed to submit a late application for the 2022 disbursement of assistance from the Elder Assistance Program from September 8, 2022, through March 1, 2023, with the late disbursement of assistance to be made on or before March 30, 2023.

CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, as Secretary of the Oneida Business Committee, hereby certify that the Oneida Business Committee is composed of 9 members of whom 5 members constitute a quorum; 7 members were present at a meeting duly called, noticed and held on the 13th day of July, 2022; that the forgoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of 6 members for, 0 members against, and 0 members not voting*; and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.



Lisa Liggins, Secretary
Oneida Business Committee

*According to the By-Laws, Article I, Section 1, the Chair votes "only in the case of a tie."