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BC Resolution # 07-13-22-C

Oneida Nation Assistance Fund 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 Oneida Nation Assistance Fund law (“the Law”) established the Oneida Nation Assistance Fund as an approved program in accordance with the Oneida General Welfare law to govern how the Nation provides financial assistance to its members, pursuant to the Oneida General Welfare law; and
- WHEREAS,** it is the policy of the Nation to prioritize the general welfare needs of its members and recognize that the interests of the Nation are advanced when its members remain confident that their general welfare needs can be met; and
- WHEREAS,** the Law provides that the Oneida Business Committee shall set forth through the adoption of a resolution an application submission period and disbursement timeframe for a distribution of assistance from the Oneida Nation Assistance Fund; and
- WHEREAS,** the Law provides that the Oneida Business Committee shall determine the amount of assistance available to an eligible recipient from the Oneida Nation Assistance Fund per any permitted distribution; and

Amount of Assistance for Disbursement

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, in accordance with section 1003.6-2 of the Oneida Nation Assistance Fund law, the Oneida Business Committee determined that for the 2022 disbursement the amount of assistance available to an eligible recipient from the Oneida Nation Assistance Fund shall be as follows:

- *General Disbursement.* A disbursement of assistance of one thousand three hundred dollars (\$1300) is available to any eligible applicant.
- *Additional Disbursement for Elders.* An additional disbursement of assistance of two thousand dollars (\$2000) is available to any eligible applicant who also meets the additional requirement of being age sixty-two (62) or older.

Application Submission Period and Disbursement Timeframe

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that in accordance with section 1003.5-2 of the Oneida Nation Assistance Fund law, the application submission period for the 2022 disbursement of assistance from the Oneida Nation Assistance Fund 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 Oneida Nation Assistance Fund by September 7, 2022, the applicant shall be allowed to submit a late application for the 2022 disbursement of assistance from the Oneida Nation Assistance Fund 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."