

2022 report template

For Boards, Committees, and Commissions (BCCs)

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ONEIDA ELECTION BOARD – FY22 Q3 REPORT

Purpose:

Responsible for conducting fair and orderly elections for the Oneida Nation, and responsible to count hand and/or ballot votes at General Tribal Council (GTC) meetings.

BCC Members

Pamela Nohr
Chairperson
07/31/2024

Patricia Moore
Member
07/31/2022

Tonya Webster
Vice-Chair
07/31/2023

Christina Liggins
Member
07/31/2023

Tina Skenandore
Secretary
07/31/2023

Melinda K. Danforth
Member
07/31/2024

Racquel Hill
Member
07/31/2022

Stephanie Metoxen
Member
07/31/2024

Candace House
Member
07/31/2022

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: Zero (0)

Meetings

Held the 2nd and 4th Monday of every month. Meetings are held via Microsoft Teams until further notice.

Emergency Meetings: Zero (0)

Contact Info

CONTACT: Pamela Nohr

TITLE: Chair

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MAIN WEBSITE: <https://oneida-nsn.gov/government/boards-committees-and-commissions/elected/>

Status report of Three-Year Outcomes/Goals

Outcome/Goal # 1

The Election Board will conduct all Oneida Elections in compliance with Oneida Law, Policy and/or Resolution.

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

GOOD GOVERNANCE PRINCIPLE:

Rule of Law - Ensuring the rules are known and applied equally to all with clear appeal (if needed) and are enforced by an impartial regulatory body, for the full protection of Oneida Nation stakeholders

HOW OUTCOME/GOAL SUPPORTS THE GOOD GOVERNANCE PRINCIPLE:

The Election Board has been following Oneida Law, Policy, and/or Resolutions. This ensures the General Tribal Council an orderly and straightforward understanding of all elections.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS REGARDING THE OUTCOME/GOAL:

In Quarter 3 of FY2022, the Election Board finalized all the last minute details for the 2022 Special Election. Completed the applicant review process, The Board also prepped for potential GTC meetings. Election Board Alternate position was approved and posted. Emergency amendment was needed for the Election Law to reduce the number of signatures required for ballot/count verification.

EXPECTATIONS/FUTURE PLANS REGARDING THE OUTCOME/GOAL:

The membership can expect efficient, orderly elections.

Outcome/Goal # 2

Develop, adopt, review, and amend applicable standard operating procedures (SOPs) and our By-Laws.

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HOW OUTCOME/GOAL SUPPORTS THE GOOD GOVERNANCE PRINCIPLE:

The board is actively updating and reviewing their By-Laws and SOPs, working with the Law Office on definitions. Updating SOPs creates accountability and sets up processes for current and future board members.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS REGARDING THE OUTCOME/GOAL:

In Quarter 3 of FY2022, the Election Board has been reviewing and ensuring that the By-Laws and Standard Operating Policies are updated and comply to all policies, laws and governing documents of Boards, Committees and Commissions and are in alignment with our mission and purpose. There was one SOP reviewed and approved regarding Election Board meetings. Further review will begin again in the 4th quarter.

EXPECTATIONS/FUTURE PLANS REGARDING THE OUTCOME/GOAL:

A continuation of reviewing their By-Laws and SOPs to ensure the boards alignment with all policies, laws and governing documents of Boards, Committees and Commissions.

Stipends

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: \$81,200

FY-2022 EXPENDITURES AS OF END OF REPORTING PERIOD: \$6500

Requests

None for Q2

Other

None for Q2