
TRIAL COURT

**Oneida Nation / Oneida Police Department,
Petitioner**

v.

Case No: 22-CT-007

Date: June 9, 2022

**Steven R. Vandehei,
Defendant**

ORDER

This case has come before the Oneida Trial Court, Honorable John E. Powless III presiding.

Phone Appearance: Attorney Kelly McAndrews, representing the Petitioners, Defendant, Steven R. Vandehei.

Background

On March 4, 2022, Defendant was issued a citation for Maintaining a Chronic Nuisance House – 1st Offense, pursuant to 3 O.C. 309.6-7, the violation occurred on January 16, 2022. The citation required Defendant to appear. On April 21, 2022, a pre-trial hearing was held, at which time, the Court continued the hearing to allow for proper service. The pre-trial hearing reconvened on June 9, 2022, at the hearing, the parties filed a Stipulation and Agreement for the Court's consideration.

Findings of Fact

The Court finds as follows:

1. The Court has subject matter, territorial, and personal jurisdiction over this matter.
2. All entitled to notice received notice.
3. On March 4, 2022, the Oneida Police Department issued a citation for violation of 3 O.C. 309.6-7, Maintaining a Chronic Nuisance House; the violation occurred on January 16, 2022.
4. On June 9, 2022, a pre-trial hearing was held.
5. At the pre-trial hearing, the Court read the rights listed on the Acknowledgement of Rights Form to the Defendant and Defendant responded that he understood his rights.
6. At the pre-trial hearing, the Court granted time for the parties to discuss settlement.
7. At the pre-trial hearing, the parties proposed a Stipulation and Agreement for the Court's consideration which would be incorporated into a court order.
8. The parties stipulated to the following agreement at the pre-trial hearing:
 - a. Defendant agreed to a no-contest plea.
 - b. To reduce Maintaining a Chronic Nuisance House citation – 1st Offense \$250.00 fine to \$0.00.


- c. Requesting the Court to waive \$25.00 Court costs.
9. The Stipulation and Agreement is reasonable.

Order

1. The Court grants the parties' Stipulation and Agreement.
2. The fine shall be reduced to \$0.00.
3. Court costs shall be waived.
4. The parties do not need to appear for any future matters related to this case.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

By the authority vested in the Oneida Judiciary pursuant to Resolution 01-07-13-B of the General Tribal Council an Order was signed on June 9, 2022.



John E. Powless III
Trial Court Judge