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BC Resolution # 01-10-24-A

Approval of Use of Economic Development, Diversification and Community Development Funds for a Donation of \$35,000 to the Safe Shelter, Inc

- **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 Economic Development, Diversification and Community Development Fund was created by resolutions # BC-09-28-16-B, BC-07-12-17-A, and BC-01-23-19-D and the procedures for use of the fund set forth in resolution # BC-12-12-18-B, BC-01-23-19- C, and BC-05-26-21-B, Updating and Clarifying Access to the Economic Development, Diversification and Community Development Fund As Amended; and
- WHEREAS, the Safe Shelter, Board of Directors was created in October of 2019 and worked with the Oneida Nation to identify 2155 Hutson Road as a location to serve as a homeless shelter; and
- WHEREAS, Safe Shelter, Inc. received their 501 (c) (3) status on March 29, 2022, and has begun writing grants under their own status; and
- **WHEREAS,** securing additional funding is a long-term endeavor and Safe Shelter, Inc. wishes to remain open to serve the homeless population; and
- WHEREAS, the Oneida Business Committee has directed the EDDCD team to review and recommend the use of \$35,000 for a donation to the Safe Shelter, Inc; and
- **WHEREAS,** utilizing the Economic Development, Diversification and Community Development Fund to support a homeless shelter is aligned with the Oneida Business Committee Broad Goals and approved Comprehensive Plan Elements related to housing.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Oneida Business Committee does approve the allocation of \$35,000 from the Economic Development, Diversification and Community Development Funds for the purpose of a donation to Safe Shelter, Inc. to continue operations.

BE IT FUTHER RESOLVED, the \$35,000 donation is not intended to be used for salaries or related expenses.

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BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, the responsible employees identified as Executive Director of the Safe Shelter Inc., Pearl Webster.

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 10th day of January, 2024; 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.

sa Liggins, Seq retary Oneida Business Committee

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