



Oneida Nation School Board Meeting Minutes

Date: June 17, 2024

Time: 5:00 p.m. **Location:** Elementary School Library

Disclaimer: All participants, virtual and or in-person, please be advised that this meeting will be recorded for documentation purposes.

The Oneida Nation School Board is committed and accountable to students, parents, families, staff, and community members to provide regulatory oversight for a safe, positive, culturally diverse, holistic, learning atmosphere based on Onayoté a·ka values. We will provide the expectations, resources, and educational opportunities to encourage students to be productive.

Present: Sacheen Lawrence, Katsi Danforth, Vicki L. Cornelius, Candace House, Kathe Cornelius, Barb Cornelius

Excused: Melissa Skenandore, Teresa Schuman

Unexcused: None

Others: Sheri Mousseau, Artley Skenandore, Tony Romandine, Sarah Wunderlich, Mandy Schneider, Jessie (Pauline) Lawe, Rebecca Green, Emily Skenandore, Anthony Cornelius, Jonathan Danforth, Tracy Christensen, Willie Adams, Ciara Charles, Kenneth Danforth, Alyssa Ortega-Stevens, Cristian Salazar-Orosco (and families)

I. Call to Order by: Sacheen Lawrence **Time:** 5:00 p.m.

II. Agenda

Motion by Katsi Danforth to approve the agenda with the change of moving executive session to first item on the agenda [after Item III.A.]. Second by Kathe Cornelius. Motion carries.

III. High School Core Academic Graduate Recognitions

A. Approve High School Diplomas

Motion by Katsi Danforth to approve the high school diplomas for Willie Adams, Ciara Chares, Kenneth Danforth, Alyssa Ortega-Stevens, and Cristian Salazar-Orosco. Second by Candace House. Motion carries.

Motion by Candace House to go into Executive Session at 5:20 p.m. Second by Katsi Danforth. Motion carries.

Motion by Katsi Danforth to come out of Executive Session at 5:54 p.m. Second by Candace House. Motion carries.

IV. Superintendent Items

A. Approve Superintendent Status Updates

Motion by Katsi Danforth to approve Superintendent updates of 1) the Art Teacher position; 2) Q&A document for parents and to include in Student Handbooks; and 3) to request a follow up from Superintendent of the Parent Committee after the JOM training in September. Second by Barb Cornelius. Motion carries.

Discussion: Recommendation to wait until JOM Training in September before creating a Parent Committee. Clarification needed and obtained regarding the requested information of the Q&A for Parents document.

[excerpt from June 3, 2024 Minutes: Motion by Katsi Danforth to request a progress update at the June 17, 2024, School Board meeting regarding the Art Teacher position, Q&A document for parents, and Parent Committee. Second by Barb Cornelius. Motion carries.

V. Executive Session

A. Restorative Justice Team

Motion by Barb Cornelius to accept the Restorative Justice presentation as FYI. Second by Katsi Danforth. Motion carries.

[excerpt from June 3, 2024 Minutes: No action needed at this time due to a scheduled meeting on June 17, 2024.]

[excerpt from May 6, 2024 Minutes: Motion by Teresa Schuman to have the Restorative Justice Team present on their program to the School Board during the second week of June. Seconded by Barb Cornelius. Motion carries.]

[expert from April 1, 2024 Minutes] Motion by Teresa Schuman to have the Superintendent include the Restorative Justice team in the meeting with the School Board and Special Education staff. Seconded by Vicki L. Cornelius. Motion carries.

VI. Adjournment

Motion by Vicki Cornelius to adjourn at 6:37 p.m. Second by Candace House. Motion carries.

Respectfully,

Vicki L. Cornelius, School Board Secretary

Approved on: _____