# FY-2025 1st (Oct - Dec) Quarter Report

Text in **orange** provides instruction in accordance with the Boards, Committees, and Commissions law section 105.12-3. Quarterly Reports to the Oneida Business Committee.

Provide the name of the entity, the member submitting the report, and the Oneida Business Committee liaison.

# Southeastern Oneida Tribal Services Advisory Board

Approved by official entity action on: 01/30/2025

Submitted by: Lloyd D Ninham, Secretary

OBC Liaison: Kirby Metoxen

OBC Liaison: Jonas Hill and Jennifer Webster

#### PURPOSE

The Advisory Board was established for purposes of providing advice and constructive input to the Southeastern Wisconsin Oneida Tribal Services (SEOTS) Director, working in partnership to formulate social services programs for the Oneida people residing in Southeastern Wisconsin by, including, but not limited to:

#### **AUTHORITY**

The Board was established for purposes advice and constructive input to the Southeastern Wisconsin Oneida Tribal Services (SEOTS) Director working in partnership to formulate social services programs for the Oneida people residing in Southeastern Wisconsin by including, but not limited to:

- a. Acting as an ambassador for the SEOTS program by promoting its mission whenever possible.
- b. Reviewing the SEOTS administration.
- c. Guiding and advising the SEOTS administration.
- d. Adhering to the appropriate chain of command in all relative communications with the Oneida Business Committee; and
- e. Conducting all other powers and/or duties delegated to SEOTS by the laws and/or policies of the Nation.

# **BCC MEMBERS**

Provide a list of the members and their titles, term expiration dates and contact information.

Diane Hill Chair seo-dhil@oneidanation.org March 31, 2027

Lloyd Ninham Secretary seo-Inin@oneidanation.org March 31, 2025

Harmony Hill Member seo-hhil@oneidanation.org March 31, 2026

Caryle Wheelock Member seo-cwhe@oneidanation.org March 31, 2027 Michael Coleman Vice Chair seo-mcol@oneidanation.org March 31, 2025

Vacant Member Enter Email March 31, 2025

Vacant Member Enter Email March 31, 2026

#### **CONTACT INFORMATION**

Provide contact information for the entity.

CONTACT: Diane Hill, Chair

TITLE: Chair

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MAIN WEBSITE: https://oneida-nsn.gov/government/boards-committees-andcommissions/appointed/#Southeastern-WI-Oneida-Tribal-Services-Advisory-Board

#### **MEETINGS**

List when and how often the entity is holding meetings and whether any emergency meetings have been held. If an emergency meeting was held, indicate the basis of the emergency meeting for each meeting.

Held every 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of each month.

6:00 p.m.

Southeastern Oneida Tribal Services Office at 5233 Morgan Ave, Milwaukee Wisconsin 53220 and via Microsoft Teams

Emergency Meetings: Zero (0)

# ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Provide details of what the entity has accomplished that quarter, including any special events held during the reporting period and any travel by the members and/or staff.

#### ACCOMPLISHMENT #1

#### Summary:

Engage with the community for services that are available such as, food, health, clothing, etc. SEOTS Advisory Board has been participating with several events for the Oneida Community and continues to work with SEOTS in planning future events.

Impact:

SEOTS Advisory Board supported SEOTS mission to actively engage with the community to pursue ways to meet the needs and implement programing.

#### ACCOMPLISHMENT #2

Summary:

Events held in collaboration with other tribal agencies located in Milwaukee. SEOTS Advisory board continues to explore and support community organizations.

Impact:

Provide learning resources for individuals and families to better self-sustain.

#### ACCOMPLISHMENT #3

Summary:

Oneida Cultural Heritage Department has continued to assist SEOTS. Leander Danforth has provided virtual Oneida language classes for the community. The Oneida Cultural Heritage Department collaborated with staff & board members establishing the ten raised garden beds installed in front of the building. SEOTS has provided various classes allowing the community to network and learn new techniques.

# Impact:

Support SEOTS mission by engaging with the community to create involvement. Encourage community participation in events provided by SEOTS. Demonstrate community involvement by fostering concerns relative to the ideas and concerns from the community.

# GOALS

Provide details of the entity's long-term goals, the entity's goals for the next quarter, and projected quarterly activities.

#### LONG-TERM GOAL #1

Participation- fostering a system in which the public feel that they are part of the decisionmaking process, including freedom of expression and assiduous concern for the best interests of the tribe and community in general.

Support the community by communicating able the resources via social media, word of mouth and mailers.

Being able to communicate with the community openly with multiple options relaying information will lead the way for being able to lay the way for three (3) Good Governance principles to all tribal members that live outside the reservation.

#### Update on Goal:

The SEOTS Advisory Board Facebook page shares program information which provides tribal members access to services such as Oneida Nation Programs in Oneida and at the SEOTS office, intertribal powwows, and other relevant community events hosted by outside organizations.

#### LONG-TERM GOAL #2

Encourage discussion from community members while participating in community events.

Host and support two (2) annual events per year, one being the summer family community picnic and the other event in fall/winter.

Good Governance Principle: Participation – Fostering a system in which the public feels that they are a part of the decision-making processes including freedom of expression and assiduous concern for the best interests of the Nation and community in general.

#### Update on Goal:

The SEOTS board is currently collaborating events with the SEOTS Manager. The SEOTS board is actively seeking fundraising efforts that will provide space for a seasonal craft fair.

# QUARTERLY GOAL #1

Engage with the community for services available: food, health, clothing, etc.

Being able to engage with the community and encouraging them on how to better care for themselves and the welfare of their descendants.

#### Update on Goal:

To continue achieving community goals the Advisory Board submitted the FY2024 SEOTS Advisory Board budget to align with BC Resolution #06-14-23-E, maintaining FY2023 levels with no increase.

#### QUARTERLY GOAL #2

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Update on Goal:

The SEOTS Advisory Board and SEOTS organized the first annual community baby shower. Twentyone new or expecting parents signed up and received essential items for their children. Donations came from SEOTS, SEOTS Advisory Board, Kohls Corporation, and other outside companies.

# BUDGET

Provide the amount of the entities budget and the status of the budget at that quarter.

FY-2025 BUDGET:	\$25,485.00
FY-2025 Expenditures as of end of reporting period:	\$2,330.00

# List how your BCC is utilizing your budget and projected budgetary uses for the next quarter.

SEOTS has been participating with several events for the Oneida Community and continues to work with SEOTS Administration in planning future events. Our biggest and most engaged event is the annual community picnic.

#### Stipends

List the amount of each stipend a member may be eligible to receive.

Per the Boards, Committees, and Commissions law, stipends are set via OBC resolution. BC resolution 04-13-22-B sets the stipend amounts.

	Total dollar	Number of stipend type		
	amount paid	Regular Mtg	Emergency Mtg	Hearings/Other
October 2024	\$375	1	0	0
November 2024	\$300	1	0	0
December 2024	\$300	1	0	0

# REQUESTS

List details of any requests to the Oneida Business Committee.

None.

# OTHER

List any other information deemed appropriate by the entity, as well as any other information required by a law or policy of the Nation.

None.