



Memorandum

From: Lisa Liggins, Secretary *Lisa Liggins*

Date: March 31, 2025

Re: Rescinded BC resolution # 12-11-24-C Regarding Pardon of Lorenzo Samuel Guzman

BC resolution # 12-11-24-C, Regarding Pardon of Lorenzo Samuel Guzman, has been rescinded by action of the Oneida Business Committee.

Excerpt from the February 26, 2025, regular Business Committee meeting minutes:

3. Review request regarding resolution # BC-12-11-24-C and determine next steps (01:37:05)

Sponsor: Lisa Liggins, Secretary

Motion by Jameson Wilson to rescind Business Committee resolution # 12-11-24-C, regarding pardon of Lorenzo Samuel Guzman; to direct the Secretary to return the pardon application with the email dated February 20, 2025, to the Pardon and Forgiveness Screening Committee requesting a reconsideration of the recommendation; and to direct the Secretary to provide written notice to the applicant, seconded by Kirby Metoxen. Motion carried:

Ayes: Lawrence Barton, Jonas Hill, Kirby Metoxen, Marlon Skenandore, Jameson Wilson

Not Present: Tehassi Hill, Lisa Liggins, Jennifer Webster

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BC Resolution # 12-11-24-C Regarding Pardon of Lorenzo Samuel Guzman

- 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 Oneida Pardon and Forgiveness Screening Committee reviewed the pardon application of Lorenzo Samuel Guzman at a duly called hearing held November 21, 2024; and
- WHEREAS,** the requirements of the Pardon and Forgiveness Law has been fulfilled; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Oneida Business Committee by this resolution hereby;

Approves the pardon of Lorenzo Samuel Guzman, for the crime(s) 1) Bail Jumping 2) Sexual contact person <16 and notifies the Oneida Nation and its agencies that he is recognized as a member of the Oneida Nation to have all the benefits and opportunities available to all other persons as if the criminal offense(s) pardoned by the resolution did not exist. The pardon has been approved based on the following:

1. Completed sentence.
2. All fine/fees paid in full.

Note: Section 126.9 of the Pardon and Forgiveness law identifies certain types of convictions may affect a Tribal member's rights under state or federal law and may result in restrictions continuing to be placed on a Tribal member granted a pardon.

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; 9 members were present at a meeting duly called, noticed and held on the 11th day of December, 2024; that the forgoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of 8 members for, 0 members against, and 0 members not voting*; and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.



Lisa Liggins, Secretary
Oneida Business Committee

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