

March 12, 2024

Dear General Tribal Council,

**SUBJECT: 2025 SPECIAL ELECTION CAUCUS**

The 2025 Special Election Caucus is set for Saturday, April 5, 2025, at 10:00 a.m. in the Business Committee Conference Room, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor, at the Norbert Hill Center.

Nominations will be conducted for the vacancies listed. Any person nominated at the Caucus **must** be present to accept/decline the nomination. All other individuals may petition to have their name placed on the 2025 Special Election Ballot.

- Individuals nominated will need to complete a separate application for **each** position they were nominated for.
- Individuals petitioning to have their name placed on the ballot will need to complete a separate application and petition for each position they are vying for.
- Referendum questions can be submitted for the ballot. Referendum questions are Yes or No questions for decisions on a proposal. If submitting a referendum question(s) be sure they are legibly written as that is how they will appear on the ballot.

Applications and petitions will be available at the Caucus or may be picked up at the Government Administrative Office. The deadline to submit applications, petitions and/or other supporting documents to the Government Administrative Office is:

**FRIDAY – APRIL 11, 2025. BY 4:30 P.M.**

If you have any questions or concerns, contact the Oneida Election Board by email at [Election\\_Board@oneidanation.org](mailto:Election_Board@oneidanation.org).

Sincerely,

Candace House, Chairperson  
Oneida Election Board

## **2025 SPECIAL ELECTION VACANCY INFORMATION**

### **ONEIDA ELECTION BOARD**

Three (3) vacancies  
3-year term

### **ONEIDA GAMING COMMISSION**

One (1) vacancy  
5-year term

### **ONEIDA LAND CLAIMS COMMISSION**

One (1) vacancy  
3-year term

### **ONEIDA LAND COMMISSION**

Two (2) vacancies  
3-year term

### **ONEIDA NATION COMMISSION ON AGING**

Three (3) vacancies  
3-year term

### **ONEIDA NATION SCHOOL BOARD**

Two (2) vacancies  
(Parent/Guardian) 1: 3-year term, 1: 2-year term

### **ONEIDA NATION SCHOOL BOARD**

Two (2) vacancies  
(Community-at-large) 2: 3-year term

### **ONEIDA TRUST ENROLLMENT COMMITTEE**

Three (3) vacancies  
3-year term

### **ONEIDA LEGAL RESOURCE CENTER**

One (1) vacancy  
Advocate 1: 4-year term  
Attorney 1: 4-year term

**\*\*NOTE:** Applicants must provide the appropriate documentation, including but not limited to, copies of degree, official transcripts, and certifications as proof of qualification for the position in which they seek where applicable. Those applications that do not have the proper back-up documentation regarding qualifications will be deemed as incomplete and applicant will not be eligible for candidacy.

*Candidates for election to office found in violation of governing documents may be disqualified from taking office. These governing documents include but are not limited to the: Constitution of the Oneida Nation; Election Law; Judiciary Law; Oneida Nation Gaming Ordinance; Boards, Committees, & Commissions Law; and applicable bylaws.*