

# Oneida Nation

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## BC Resolution # 09-23-26-G

### **Authorization for Fox-Wolf Watershed Alliance to Conduct Work on Oneida Nation Lands Under the United States Department of Agriculture Advancing Markets for Producers Grant**

- 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 United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) administers the Advancing Markets for Producers (AMP) program to expand opportunities, technical assistance, and distribution channels for agricultural products; and
- WHEREAS,** the Fox-Wolf Watershed Alliance is implementing a USDA Advancing Markets for Producers grant to strengthen sustainable agricultural markets, technical assistance, and related producer support in the region, including work that may occur on Oneida Nation lands; and
- WHEREAS,** this initiative supports the Oneida Nation's goals regarding sustainable resource management; and
- WHEREAS,** the Oneida Business Committee understands that participation in activities carried out by the Fox-Wolf Watershed Alliance under this USDA AMP grant will enable resources, and customized technical support be made available to Oneida Nation and producers operating on Oneida Nation land to implement long-term conservation practices on agricultural lands and participate in farm planning which may include collection of on-farm yield data; and
- WHEREAS,** authorization is required for the Fox-Wolf Watershed Alliance to conduct grant-related work on Oneida Nation lands; and
- WHEREAS,** the Oneida Business Committee finds that authorizing such work on Oneida Nation lands under the Fox-Wolf Watershed Alliance USDA Advancing Markets for Producers grant is in the best interest of the Oneida Nation; and

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Oneida Business Committee hereby authorizes the Fox-Wolf Watershed Alliance to conduct work on Oneida Nation lands as necessary to carry out the USDA Advancing Markets for Producers grant awarded to the Fox-Wolf Watershed Alliance, provided such work complies with applicable Oneida Nation laws, policies, permits, and land-use requirements.

**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; 6 members were present at a meeting duly called, noticed and held on the 23rd day of September, 2026; that the forgoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of 5 members for, 0 members against, and 0 members not voting\*; and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

  
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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."