

# Oneida Nation

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## **BC Resolution # 01-25-17-D Adoption of Hunting, Fishing and Trapping Law Amendments**

- 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 Business Committee adopted the Hunting, Fishing and Trapping law pursuant to resolution BC-08-31-94-C and amended the law by resolutions: BC-04-24-96, BC-07-22-98, BC-09-13-00-D, BC-06-04-03-A, BC-06-30-04-I, BC-07-13-05-E, BC-08-29-07-F, BC-06-24-09-E, BC-0826-10-I, BC-12-14-11-E, and BC-05-22-13-A; and
- WHEREAS,** these amendments remove specific and detail orientated aspects of hunting, fishing and trapping regulation and place them into a rule handbook that the Environmental Resource Board and the Conservation Department are delegated the joint authority and responsibility to create; and
- WHEREAS,** these amendments clarify that non-Tribal members are required to obtain a license and applicable permits through the Nation when hunting on the Reservation; and
- WHEREAS,** the State of Wisconsin will no longer have jurisdiction related to hunting, fishing and trapping matters within the Reservation; and
- WHEREAS,** these amendments modify the licensing and supervision requirements for youth hunters between the ages of ten (10) and fourteen (14); and
- WHEREAS,** these amendments update the Environmental Resource Board's hearing process for contested actions; and
- WHEREAS,** a public meeting regarding these amendments was held on December 15, 2016 in accordance with the Legislative Procedures Act; and

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Environmental Resource Board and the Conservation Department shall have the rule handbook required to support the amendments to the Hunting, Fishing and Trapping law finalized to become effective on April 25, 2017.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that these Hunting, Fishing and Trapping law amendments are hereby adopted and shall become effective on April 25, 2017.

#### **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; 8 members were present at a meeting duly called, noticed and held on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2017; that the forgoing resolution was duly adopted at such meeting by a vote of 6 members for, 0 members against, and 1 member not voting; and that said resolution has not been rescinded or amended in any way.

  
Lisa Summers, Tribal Secretary  
Oneida Business Committee

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