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BC Resolution # 06-12-19-F Supporting the Community Build Concept regarding the Inaugural Box Lacrosse Field at Cora House Park

- 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 has adopted six broad goals to guide the Nation and the Nation's organization during the 2017-2020 term; and
- WHEREAS,** the Oneida Business Committee has identified a goal of Inspiring Yukwatsistayλ (Our fire, our spirit within each one of us) and Encouraging Tsi?niyukwalihotλ (We have everything here to sustain us); and
- WHEREAS,** the Community Development and Planning Committee has identified that community development and youth development through practice of our traditional medicine game, lacrosse, is a key method of creating bonds between adults through playing and teaching and between youth through playing the game of box lacrosse; and
- WHEREAS,** box lacrosse creates opportunities for team building, growing trust between peers, quickens decision-making skills, and strategic planning; and
- WHEREAS,** community lacrosse teams that have begun developing box lacrosse skills and utilize existing facilities will benefit from an outdoor box lacrosse field open for public use and available for reservation for practices and games; and
- WHEREAS,** the Governmental Services Division Parks and Recreation Department, working in conjunction with the Planning Department and the Public Works Division have developed a template for a semi-permanent box lacrosse field that is built of quality materials through community assistance; and
- WHEREAS,** the Oneida Business Committee believes that this project will have positive community building impacts, create opportunities for adults and youth to learn and play the medicine game of lacrosse, and develop skills needed to create future leaders of the Oneida Nation;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Governmental Services Division Parks and Recreation Department is authorized to create a standard operating procedure which provides opportunities for local businesses to sponsor the cost and ongoing maintenance of the Cora House Park community box lacrosse

field through the placement of advertising on and around the box lacrosse field and that such sponsorship fees shall be dedicated to the cost and maintenance of the box lacrosse field.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Oneida Business Committee directs the Governmental Services Division Parks and Recreation Department and the Department of Public Works to present a report regarding this inaugural box lacrosse build and to provide costs, project template and skill needed for a community to build a box lacrosse field in approved park areas.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, the following authorities are granted and goals are encouraged:

1. Governmental Services Division Parks and Recreation Department is authorized to identify park areas where a community box lacrosse field can be built and to make the box lacrosse build project template available to community groups requesting authorization to build;
2. Risk Management Department to take appropriate actions to allow such community builds to occur; and
3. Department of Public Works is authorized to assist in those areas of the community build as scheduling allows.

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 12th day of June, 2019; 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.



Lisa Summers, Secretary
Oneida Business Committee

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