

Oneonta Lodge No. 466, F. & A. M.

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Dear Bro. _____,

We are glad to hear that you would like to get reinstated.

You may be reinstated by speaking with a lodge officer or sending a letter or e-mail requesting reinstatement.

The pandemic is presenting issues with meeting, but we expect to meet on **September 21, 2020 with** limited attendance. We expect to elect and install officers, read and ballot on petitions. Hopefully we will be able to reinstated you at that time. You **owe \$180** in back dues for 2018, and 2019. If you are having a hardship the lodge can forgive some back dues by a vote of the lodge. If you are able, please pay all back dues. You may make partial payments by mailing it to the lodge or by going to the website and use Pay Pal at the link below.

After back dues are resolved you will be cleared so that we can act on a Petition for Affiliation (attached) to reinstate you as a member of Oneonta Lodge No. 466. The current dues for 2020 is \$90 and needs to accompany the Petition for Affiliation.

By-Laws ARTICLE V Fees and Dues

Section 5- A member unaffiliated in accordance with the provisions of Section 4 shall pay the arrears to the Secretary together with an application for re-instatement. Said member may be re-instated at the next Stated Communication by a majority vote, taken by a show of hands, except that such unaffiliated brother who shall have been unaffiliated for five years or more, shall not again become a member of any Lodge except by unanimous vote by ballot.

If you wish to affiliate with another lodge you need to pay the dues you owe Oneonta Lodge and receive a clearance from us before you can submit a petition. If you are a member of a concordant body such as Royal Arch, you have one year to get reinstated in a lodge before being dropped from the concordant body.

We look forward to your participating in lodge activities.

Cordially and fraternally,

W∴ Bruce L. Van Buren Treasurer & Assistant Secretary 607-435-7767 W∴ Ronald L. Wood, Jr. Master

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