



MÉTIS NATION
BRITISH COLUMBIA

Please email completed applications to

harvesters@mnbc.ca

Please send all mail to: Ministry of Environment
#380-13401 108th Avenue Surrey, BC V3T 5T3



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OF
NATURAL RESOURCES

Harvester Card Application

Tell us about yourself

Legal First Name				Legal Middle Name			
Legal Last Name				Pronouns			
Gender (Male/Female/X)				Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)			
Preferred method of contact (Email or mail)				Email Address			
Primary Phone Number				Secondary Phone Number			
Home Address							
City		Postal Code		Province		Country	
Mailing Address - if different							
City		Postal Code		Province		Country	
Harvesting Card (With Hunting/Without Hunting)							
Please provide your 8-digit MNBC Citizenship card number							
MNBC Region of Residence (Choose One)*							
* 1- Vancouver Island 2- Lower Mainland 3- Thompson/Okanagan 4- Kootneys 5- North Central 6- Northwest 7a- Omineca 7b- Peace							

Signature for Harvesting Card

Please sign in the signature box. Signature must stay within box to be valid.

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If applying for a Harvesting Card With Hunting

You must submit a photocopy of your:

BC Fish & Wildlife ID Number showing:

- Your Name
- Date of issue
- BC Resident as an active credential
- Hunting as an active credential

And if applicable:

- CORE Certificate or other provincial hunter safety training course
- Valid Possession & Acquisition License (PAL)
- Canadian Firearms Safety Course (CFSC)

Have you ever been convicted in a hunting related incident?

If yes, under what section of the wildlife act, were you convicted:

Photo of Harvesting Card

A quality photo head and shoulder shot (not required for applicants 14 and under)

Photo must have been taken in the last six months and be unaltered.

- In colour, clear, sharp, in focus, and in high resolution
- Face and shoulders to the camera, straight on and centered
- Taken with a neutral facial expression with eyes open and mouth closed (no smiling)
- Background must be white with uniform lighting with no shadows
- No sunglasses, hats, scarves, or head coverings unless worn for religious purposes

Youth & Parent/Guardian Acknowledgement of Responsibility

All youth applicants (10 to 17 years) and their parent/guardian must complete this section.

I _____ hereby acknowledge responsibility for _____

(name of parent/guardian)

(name of youth applicant, 10-17 years)

and will ensure that he/she will be accompanied and supervised while participating in any activity authorized by this harvesting card.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Relationship to youth applicant: _____

I _____ hereby agree that I will not participate in any activity authorized

(name of youth applicant, 10-17 years)

by this harvesting card without being accompanied and closely supervised by a harvester who is 18 years of age or older.

Applicant Signature:

Date: (mm/dd/yyyy)

Annual Harvester Survey & Renewal

- ∞ All harvesting card holders are required to complete an annual harvest survey to keep their harvesting cards valid. The harvest survey uses the Management Units found in the BC Hunting & Trapping Synopsis, the BC Freshwater Fishing Guide, and the BC Road & Recreational Atlas.
- ∞ The survey is completed online at: <https://metishub.ca/harvestersurvey/login> The survey opens on Jan 1st and closes June 30 each year. Failure to complete survey means harvesting card is deemed invalid for that year.
- ∞ All natural resources are tracked in this survey, whether it is plant, animal, fish, or recreational land use. This data is crucial to have and so important for you, as harvesters to provide. Our harvesters are our eyes and ears out on the land.
- ∞ Harvesting Cards require renewal every 10 years. A complete renewal form and new photo must be submitted to harvesters@mnbc.ca or <https://metishub.ca>.
- ∞ Harvesting card holders are mailed the BCMANR newsletter, “Within Our Sights” twice a year. This newsletter provides harvesters with updates from MNBC staff and BCMANR.

Adherence Agreement & Consent to Contribute Data Form

The Métis Nation BC Harvesting Card for which you are applying is issued under the Authority of the Métis Nation BC Natural Resources Act. The Métis Nation BC Natural Resources Act was passed by unanimous vote at the March 2008 Métis Nation Governing Assembly and again at the 2008 Métis Nation BC Annual General Meeting. The Métis Nation BC Natural Resources Act is now legislation for the Métis Nation BC, the Act is binding on all Métis Nation BC Citizens and Chartered Communities. The information referred to in this adherence and consent form are the records concerning your yearly and lifetime harvest histories, personal information submitted in this application which is stored in hard copy and electronically, as well as third party information.

I, _____ of _____ hereby agree to adhere to all
(print first & last name) (city & province)

Articles and Regulations of the Métis Nation BC Natural Resources Act that pertain to the use of the Métis Nation BC Harvesting card and confirm my consent to the collection and use of my personal information as stated herein.

Furthermore, by signing this document I declare that all information contained within this application package to be true.

* A copy of the Natural Resources Act can be found at:
<https://rb.gy/u40ccw>

Signature:

Date: (mm/dd/yyyy)

Questions?

If you have any questions please contact us directly at harvesters@mnbc.ca or 1-800-940-1150

Métis Nation BC – Harvesting Card Regulations

IMPORTANT: Use of the Harvesting Card for un-authorized harvesting is an offence under the MNBC *Natural Resource Act*. All cardholders must follow the regulations outlined in the BCMANR Laws of the Hunt guidebook available here: <https://rb.gy/1hao8i>

Harvesters must possess a valid Province of BC Hunting Licence to avoid prosecution under the British Columbia *Wildlife Act*.

Mandatory Annual Reporting: It is a requirement of the Harvesting Card that all harvesters report their annual harvest. MNBC/ BCMANR provides an online harvest survey that will assist harvesters in reporting.

Survey address: <https://metishub.ca/harvestersurvey/login> Please note: Survey is only open from January 1 to June 30 of each year, allowing a 6-month window for harvesters to complete their survey.

Contacts

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Harvester Card Information

Email: harvesters@mnbc.ca

Métis Nation British Columbia (MNBC) represents nearly 90,000 self-identified Métis people in BC. To date, 25,000 Métis Citizens are provincially registered with MNBC. The Métis National Council and the Provincial Government of British Columbia, as well as the Federal Government of Canada, recognize Métis Nation British Columbia as the Governing Nation for Métis in BC.