

BC FARMER ID CARD APPLICATION



CHECKLIST:

To receive your BC Farmer Identity Card, ensure you have the following items ready to submit to BC Agriculture Council (BCAC) with your application:

- 1. A completed Farmer ID Card application form;
- 2. Your most current Property Assessment;
- 3. Payment (either a cheque payable to the "BC Agriculture Council" or credit card number for the required amount).
- 4. If the farm operates under a name different from your own or it operates on leased land, please include a copy of the current lease agreement and the Property Assessment stating the name of the owner.

This application form and required information may be faxed to the BCAC office at 604.854.4485.

BCAC operates under sectoral membership and does not have direct membership. If you belong to an association that is a member of the BCAC, you are automatically considered a member and qualify to submit the lesser fee. If not, please submit the non-member fee. The fees are as follows:

CARD PRICING	Member of BCAC Member Association	Non Member	Number of cards	Total cost
1 year qualified farmer card (Price includes up to 2 cards)	\$100 (plus app. tax)	\$200 (plus app. tax)		
1 year authorized card (application on reverse)	\$25 (plus app. tax)	\$25 (plus app. tax)		
3 year qualified farmer card (Price includes up to 2 cards)	\$285 (plus app. tax)	\$570 (plus app. tax)		
3 year authorized card (application on reverse)	\$75 (plus app. tax)	\$75 (plus app. tax)		
			Subtotal	
			GST (5%)	
			TOTAL DUE	

QUALIFIED FARMER CARDHOLDER APPLICATION (Complete all applicable fields)

I certify that I am a qualified farmer, as defined by the Province of British Columbia. I understand that use of this BC Farmer Identity Card is for farm purposes and I will abide by all applicable laws, regulations and restrictions. If I cease to be a qualified farmer, as defined by the Province of British Columbia, I will immediately cease and desist use of this BC Farmer Identity Card held by me and I will prohibit any authorized cardholders from acting on my behalf as a qualified farmer. I hold farmland classification on my farm as defined in the provisions of the BC Assessment Act.

NAME _____ FARM NAME _____ ROLL #/FOLIO # _____

MAILING ADDRESS _____

FARM ADDRESS (IF DIFFERENT FROM MAILING ADDRESS) _____

CITY/TOWN _____ PROVINCE _____ POSTAL CODE _____

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PHONE _____ FAX _____ EMAIL _____

SIGNATURE _____ DATE SIGNED _____

OTHER QUALIFIED FARMER CARDHOLDER NAME _____ SIGNATURE _____ DATE SIGNED _____

IN WHICH BCAC MEMBER ASSOCIATION DO YOU HOLD A CURRENT MEMBERSHIP? (see bcac.ca for a list of member associations) _____

PREMISES ID _____

CHEQUE / VISA / MASTERCARD _____ CARD NUMBER _____ EXPIRY DATE _____ CVC CODE _____ QUANTITY OF AUTHORIZED CARDS REQUIRED _____

Important: BC Farmer Identity Cards will be issued upon application acceptance and verification of qualified farm status and will expire at the end of the term period as indicated from date of issue.

PLEASE INCLUDE A COPY OF YOUR PROPERTY ASSESSMENT NOTICE FROM THIS CURRENT YEAR.

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ADDITIONAL CARD (\$25 per card):

I certify that I am a qualified farmer, as defined by the Province of British Columbia, and authorize the applicants listed below to receive a BC Farmer Identity Card. I certify that use of the card is for farm purposes on behalf of _____ (the qualified farmer) and will abide by all applicable laws, regulations and restrictions.

SIGNATURE OF QUALIFIED FARMER

DATE SIGNED

I certify that the use of the card is for farm purposes on behalf of the qualified farmer only and will abide by all applicable laws, regulations and restrictions. If the qualified farmer ceases to be a qualified farmer, as defined by the Province of British Columbia, I will immediately cease and desist use of all BC Farmer Identity Cards relating to the qualified farmer.

NAME OF AUTHORIZED CARD USER

SIGNATURE OF AUTHORIZED CARD USER

DATE SIGNED

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TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

By applying for a BC Farmer Identity Card, the qualified Farmer ID Cardholder and all Authorized Cardholders agree to abide by the Terms and Conditions.

DEFINITIONS:

QUALIFIED FARMER – Is a farmer as defined by the Province of British Columbia. / Social Service Tax Act Regulations Division 2, Para 2.8.

AUTHORIZED CARDHOLDER – Authorized cardholders are designated personnel on the issue date of the authorized cardholder for the expressed purpose of making farm purchases.

MEMBER ASSOCIATION – A BC producer association in good standing with the BC Agriculture Council

EXPIRY DATE FOR AUTHORIZED CARDS – All authorized cards will bear the same expiry date as the associated qualified Farmer ID Card.

REPLACEMENT CARDS – All lost or missing cards must be reported to the BC Agriculture Council office toll free at 1.866.522.3447 or by email at info@bcac.ca. All cards can be replaced for a fee, plus applicable taxes.

TRANSFERABILITY – The BC Farmer ID Card is NOT transferable. Each card is unique to the qualified Farmer ID cardholder and/or individual Authorized Users. Should the qualified Farmer ID cardholder or Authorized User no longer need their card, the card must be returned to the BCAC office to protect the individual's information on the cards. Should a new employee require an Authorized User Card, the qualified Farmer ID cardholder may request a new card at the regular fee plus applicable taxes.

EXPIRED CARDS – All expired BC Farmer ID Cards must be returned to the BC Agriculture Council office. This is intended to protect the individual's information on the cards. The expired cards will be destroyed appropriately and permanently. The qualified Farmer ID cardholder may renew his/her card and any associated Authorized cards.

REFUND – You are entitled to a full refund if you contact the BC Agriculture Council office within ten (10) days of the payment being made, which will be within ten (10) days of the date when the original application was received by the BC Agriculture Council office.

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