

**APPLICATION FOR  
BC FARMER IDENTITY CARD**

**BC Agriculture Council**

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The BC FARMER IDENTITY CARD verifies Provincial Sales Tax (PST) exempt status; cardholders produce the card when purchasing PST exempt items. All *bona fide* BC Farmers are eligible for the BC Farmer ID Card. The BC Agriculture Council (BCAC) issues the Identity Card on behalf of the BC Ministry of Provincial Revenue.

***INSTRUCTIONS:***

To receive your BC Farmer Identity Card, complete this application and return it along with your current Property Assessment and a cheque made payable to the BC Agriculture Council or credit card number for the required amount. This application form and required information may be faxed to our office at the number above.

**The 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 higher fee. The fees are as follows:**

- \$ 30.00 plus \$3.60 HST = \$ 33.60 per ID card or
- \$ 75.00 plus \$9.00 HST = \$ 84.00 per ID card

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.

BC Farmer Identity Cards will be issued upon application acceptance and verification of *bona fide* farm status and will expire three years from date of issue. You will be issued a new ID Card number each time you renew your Card. The BC Farmer Identity Card does not extend the list of tax-exempt items listed in the regulations.

***APPLICATION:***

I, \_\_\_\_\_, do hereby certify that I am a *bona fide* farmer and may

(Personal Name of Applicant)

make purchases exempt from Provincial Sales Tax as defined in the *Social Services Tax Act*. I own / lease the tangible personal property exempted under regulation 2.21 to be used solely for a farming purpose. I hold a farmland classification on my farm as defined in the provisions of the *BC Assessment Act*.

(Complete all applicable fields):

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Farm Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Prov. BC Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Farm Address: \_\_\_\_\_

(if different from mailing address)

Phone: (        ) \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: (        ) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Please list which BCAC **Member Organization(s)** you belong to:

\_\_\_\_\_

Cheque / VISA / MasterCard \_\_\_\_\_

Expiry Date \_\_\_\_\_ Quantity of ID Cards required: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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