



BC Farmer or Rancher:

The criteria required to obtain the card is that you must have current farm classification on land that you own, rent or lease. Please fill in all applicable information and **return the application to our office in Abbotsford** with payment to the BC Agriculture Council for processing and issuing of your new BCAC Farmer Identity Card.

Also note the list of BCAC Member Organizations. **Please indicate** on the application form **which of these organizations you belong to**. If you belong to one or more of these organizations, you are eligible to pay the member fee. If you do not belong to any of these organizations, you would pay the non-member fee. The BCAC operates under sectoral representation, and does not have direct individual membership.

Also, please **include a copy of your current Property Assessment Notice**, which you would have received within the first two weeks of this current year. This assessment should indicate that there is farm status on all or a portion of the property. The Ministry of Finance requires that we have a copy on file to verify *bona fide* farmer status in order to issue the card. You can expect to receive your new card within three weeks once we have your completed application.

If you have purchased the farm property in the last year please include the Title Transfer showing the transaction and the property assessment from the previous owner if available.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Jackie Mays
Controller, Business Manager