



SASKMETIS ECONOMIC
DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION
Serving Métis Business Since 1987

SMEDCO SMALL/MICRO BUSINESS COVID RELIEF FORM

ATTENTION: If you owe money to Canada Revenue Agency (CRA) and/or were not operating the business before March 2020, YOU WILL NOT BE ELIGIBLE FOR THIS SMALL/MICRO BUSINESS COVID RELIEF PROGRAM

► For questions or assistance, contact SMEDCO at 306-477-4350.

Business Owner Information

Business Owner's Name (first, last)		Business Name		Operating Name (if different from business name)	
Business Type (e.g. sole-proprietorship corporation)	Address	City	Province	Postal Code	
Percentage of Business Métis Owned and Controlled			Canadian Revenue Agency Business Number (if applicable)		
Main Phone Number			Cellphone Number (if different from Main Phone Number)		
Email Address			Website or Facebook Page		

Brief overview of business' history, including ownership and management team, major products and/or services (maximum 1,500 characters; field expands)

Are you a home-based single proprietorship or family-run business that could not access other federal programs?

Yes

No

Quantifying Impact

Description of business' hardship due to COVID-19 impact (maximum 1,500 characters; field expands)

Funding Requested

Amount of financial support requested

Funding Support Needs

What will the funding be used for? Please describe how the funds will be used to overcome the challenges that have arisen due to COVID-19 (maximum 1,500 characters; field expands)

SMEDCO SMALL/MICRO BUSINESS COVID RELIEF FORM ATTESTATION

Businesses, communities, proprietors, and collectives requesting Funding from the SMEDCO Small/Micro Business COVID Relief program must attest to the following and include the signed attestation along with the form.

I hereby attest, represent and warrant that:

1. I have read and understand this request for support and will submit all the required information with this proposal. I understand incomplete forms cannot be assessed easily and may be deemed ineligible.
2. The Business owner operates a business in the province of Saskatchewan.
3. The Business owner's business has been in operation at minimum since March 2020.
4. The business was solvent, viable and not declared bankrupt prior to the COVID-19 crisis.
5. The Business owner's business is a corporation, limited partnership, or proprietorship, which is at least 51% Métis owned and controlled.
6. The Business owner plans to continue to operate the business or resume operations.
7. The business is currently, and expects to continue, to operate at a loss (i.e.: to incur ongoing expenses that are higher than incoming revenues), as a direct result of COVID-19.
8. Activities and related costs, for which SMEDCO Small/Micro Business COVID Relief program funding is being sought, are in accordance with the criteria set out in the SMEDCO Small/Micro Business COVID Relief program's guidelines.
9. The Business Owner attests that they have not received funding from other organizations including but not limited to:
 - Business Credit Availability Program (BCAP)
 - Canada Emergency Business Account (CEBA)
 - Canada Emergency Wage Subsidy (CEWS)
 - Canada Emergency Commercial Rent Assistance (CECRA)
 - Regional Relief and Recovery Fund (RRRF)
 - Large Employer Emergency Financing Facility (LEEFF)
 - Métis Emergency Capital Assistance Program (MECAP)
 - Other federal support programs targeted at businesses
10. The undersigned attests that all information provided in this form is true and as accurate as possible based on currently available information. The Business Owner understands that any information may be subject to audit and verification for accuracy.
11. Any other information given in the future in connection with the carrying out of the activities will also be complete, true and accurate.
12. I am a Métis citizen of Saskatchewan and have provided a copy of my Métis Nation – Saskatchewan (MN-S) Citizen Card or have self-declared that I am a Métis within the Constitution of the MN-S by filling out the attached Declaration of Métis Status form.

Name of Business Owner	Title
Signature	Date (YYYYMMDD)

Privacy Statement

The information collected by SaskMétis Economic Development Fund is in accordance with the requirements of the [Privacy Act](https://laws-lois.justice.gc.ca/eng/acts/P-21/index.html) (https://laws-lois.justice.gc.ca/eng/acts/P-21/index.html). Information collected will be used exclusively for the purpose of administrating the SMEDCO Community Business Covid Fund (Stream 1) and general reporting on the impacts of COVID-19.



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Declaration of Métis Status

I, _____, make a statutory declaration that I am a Métis within the meaning of the Constitution of the Métis Nation - Saskatchewan. The Métis Nation – Saskatchewan defines “Métis” as follows:

“Métis means a person who self-identifies as Métis, is of historic Métis Nation ancestry, is distinct from other Aboriginal peoples and is accepted by the Métis Nation.”

I also do solemnly and sincerely swear that I am not a Status Indian or a person who has taken Bill C31 or Bill C3.

Declared at _____
(Place)

On _____
(Date)

By _____
(Signature)

Before me, _____
(Signature of Commissioner for Oath or Lawyer or Notary Public)

Please attach a copy of your driver’s license and health card (in colour if possible).

Application Checklist

- Completed Application
- Copy of Valid MN-S Citizenship Card **or**
Declaration of Métis Status Form completed
and signed by a Commissioner of Oath **or**
Lawyer **or** Notary Public
- Copy of Valid Government issued ID card or
Drivers Licence
- Copy of valid Saskatchewan Health Card
- Valid licences (2021-2022) Supporting
documents for:
 - Fishers
 - Rice Harvesters
 - Hunters & Trappers

If you received these funds last round, make sure you have completed and sent in your “Claim Form Summary”

Notice of Assessment for 2019 and 2020

I do not owe money to CRA

I was operating this business before March 2020