



Individual Membership #  
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## INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

### Steps to complete this Application

1. Completely fill in each section.
2. Include proof of residency (i.e., driver's license, bill, etc.)
3. Include proof of Indigenous Ancestry if available: i.e., photocopy of Treaty Status Card, Métis Card, Birth Certificate.
4. If no proof of Indigenous Ancestry is available, you may be asked to obtain confirmation via a Notary Public or NWT Commissioner for Oaths.
5. Sign and date the bottom of this application.
6. Applications and attachments can be emailed or mailed to:

**Hay River & Area Métis Local #51**  
**(Maskwa Building) 925 Mackenzie Highway**  
**Hay River, NT X0E 1G3**  
**Email: hrlocal51@gmail.com**  
**Phone: (867)875-7521**

### Individual Membership Info (check off)

New Card Replacement	Change of Address, Phone or Email Address Change of Name
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### Personal Information

First Name				Last Name			
Mailing Address							
Box/Unit Number		City		Province		Postal Code	
Home Address (if different than above)							
Box/Unit Number		City		Province		Postal Code	
Email						Phone	
Maiden Name		Gender	Male	Female	Other	Prefer Not to Disclose	
Date of Birth		Place of Birth			Age		
Are you the head of household?	Yes	No	Do you live on reserve?			Yes	No
Number of Minor Dependents		Number of Individuals in your Household					
What is your current occupation?							

### Self-Identification (check off)

Check off the self-identification(s) that applies to you from the following:

First Nation Status      First Nation Non-Status      Métis      Inuit

Are you currently a member of a First Nation / Inuit Community or Métis Organization?	Yes	No
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If yes, with whom do you have membership with

Check off:	I recognize that, should my membership with any other indigenous organization be impacted in any way due to my joining the Hay River & Area Métis Local #51 is not to be held liable.
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**Please indicate what issue or areas of concern you would like the Métis to focus its attention on, for yourself and your community.**

**Oath of Indigenous Ancestry**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, make a declaration that I am an Indigenous person as confirmed within Section 35 of the Constitution of Canada 1982, as follows: 35. (2) In this Act "Aboriginal Peoples of Canada" includes the First Nation, Inuit, and Métis peoples of Canada.

Declare that I am:

- First Nations Status
- First Nation Non-Status
- Métis
- Inuit

I believe and claim as Indigenous Peoples we have the inherent right to self-determination, and rights to: land, harvesting, hunting & fishing, to practice our Indigenous traditions and culture, and to the pursuit of justice and happiness for our people, our families, and for ourselves.

I make the declaration that I have chosen to join the Hay River & Area Métis Local #51, and recognize the work being done to champion all Indigenous Peoples their rights in achieving collective goals, objectives, and aspirations.

I pledge to respect, assist, and honor my Sisters and Brothers in a common cause.

I pledge to follow the laws, policies and regulations established by the Hay River & Area Métis Local #51, as amended from time to time by the Annual General Assembly of Hay River & Area Métis Local #51.

I pledge to actively participate, to the best of my capacity, in scheduled meetings and deliberations as requested. I will participate in this process in a respectful and honorable manner.

I swear that all the information provided by me in this membership application is true and correct and I understand that it is an offence to make fraudulent and misrepresenting statements. I understand formal document of the Hay River & Area Métis Local #51 and may be used in a court to defend and champion our collective rights.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

**Permission**

Would you like the Hay River & Area Métis Local #51 to keep you informed on our events and activities going forward?	Yes	No
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By signing below, I, \_\_\_\_\_, give permission for my name and membership number to be shared with the Hay River & Area Métis Local #51, and for reporting purposes to its financial contributors.

<b>Applicant Signature</b>	<b>Date of Application</b>

**Individual Membership Attachments:**

Check off one of the following. Note: applications will be considered incomplete without the submission of application attachments.

I will be mailing my proof of residency, proof of indigenous Ancestry, or statement as signed by a commissioner of oaths to 925 Mackenzie Hwy, Hay River, NT X0E1G3

I will be mailing my proof of residency, proof of Indigenous Ancestry, or statement as signed by a notary public oath to

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