



**DIVIDEND 2024
NOTICE TO COMMUNITY**

Tis the season with the holidays fast approaching, the Chief and Council have authorized the disbursement of Christmas Eskasoni Band member annual dividend in the amount of \$300.00 per person.

THE DISBURSEMENT WILL BE MADE UNDER THE TERMS AS FOLLOWS:

- Eskasoni Band Registration number **required**, no exceptions including babies;
- All band members are required to submit an updated application **no later** than November 15, 2024
- Starting December 02, 2024, distribution through Canada Post. The week starting December 09, 2024, we will be scheduling a process for any discrepancies, amendments and questions.
- The Band Administration Office closure is December 20, 2024 (after 3pm) to January 5, 2025. Reopening January 6, 2025. Deadline for amendments is January 17, 2025 (void after this date)
- **Deadline for members turning 18 up to November 30, 2024.** Band members 18 and over will receive their own dividend cheque. Band members under the age of 18 will have the amount included with the dividend of the authorized parent or guardian; (Additional documentation may be required)
- Parents may be required to provide proof of primary care for children and indicated on application.
- If court documents and/or changes are applicable in regard to custody, the parent/guardian will be required to provide legal documents by attaching with application;
- If you have legal power of attorney for incapacitated individuals residing in long term facilities, please provide documents to representative and the cheque will only be released in person to the individual who hold Power of Attorney;
- For **ALL** Band members living **outside of the community of Eskasoni**, you are required to fill out an application form and provide verification (government identification) prior to release of requisition for cheque. Deadline for application is November 15, 2024.
- If you require assistance or special circumstances indicate on application or contact one of the Band Office representatives (902) 379-2800;
- You are required to contact the membership department to register or legally change the information submitted to ISC. We are required to adhere to the existing band list.

Chief and Council

We require your application to be FULLY completed and clearly legible with your full name, dependents, all band numbers (0230xxxx01), address including postal code and contact number. If not complete the application will NOT be processed for payment. Please identify additional dependents in care as we do cross reference with other departments and agencies.

ALL APPLICATIONS TO BE FORWARDED TO: eskasoniband@eskasoni.ca OR SUBMITTED TO THE ESKASONI BAND OFFICE