



Food Sovereignty

The National Farmers Union advocates for a food system based on the principles of food sovereignty, which calls for a food system that values farmers and what they grow; rebuilds relationships between food producers and those who eat; reclaims local decision making about food production and environmental protection; and strengthens connections between people and the land. It empowers communities and citizens to make intentional decisions based on local needs and conditions to ensure a resilient and sustainable future.

Join the National Farmers Union

Farm Family Membership:

\$195/yr or \$18/mth

If you farm, you and your family may join as Farm Family Members. Every member of the farm family – including youth, aged 14 to 21 – are full voting members of the NFU. The NFU recognizes that every family member contributes to the farm by working on it directly or indirectly through off-farm employment.

Associate Member:

\$65/yr or \$6/mth

If you are a non-farmer who supports NFU values, join as an associate member. Associates can participate in planning and carrying out activities to help the NFU achieve its goal to build a better food system. As an associate member you will receive all NFU publications but do not have a vote.

Youth Member:

\$98/yr or \$9/mth

A youth membership covers any youth aged 14 to 25 who does not already fall into the Farm Family Membership category.

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Strong Communities. Sound Policies.
Sustainable Farms.



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The National Farmers Union:

Who are we?

The NFU is a direct member organization of farmers and supporters that has advocated for farm families across Canada since 1969. Members work together to achieve agricultural policies that ensure dignity and income security for farm families while protecting and enhancing rural environments for future generations. The NFU collaborates locally, nationally and internationally to research, educate and share effective solutions that lead to a better world for farm families and their local communities.



La Via Campesina

The NFU is a founding member of La Via Campesina, a global social movement that connects farmers and workers in rural communities around the world who are working for change.

viacampesina.org/en/

- Understands that farmers with viable and community connected farms are economic drivers, stewards of the land and engaged community members
- Researches and encourages policies that ensure family farms are the primary unit of food production
- Builds farm solidarity with non-farmers in rural & urban communities
- Raises issues related to women and youth in agriculture
- Supports market mechanisms that benefit farmers and eaters over corporations
- Advocates for safe, nutritious food production and protection of the environment
- Works with allies for fair trade policies, food sovereignty, scale-appropriate food safety standards and regulatory accountability
- Advances production, processing and distribution, whether food or energy, that is economically viable, socially just and ecologically sound

Yes, I want to join the National Farmers Union!

Please provide name, gender and year of birth of members, e.g. Samantha Smith (f), 1990

Name(s): _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Prov: _____

Postal Code: _____ Tel: _____

Email: _____

Ag. Related Interests: _____

Farm Type: _____

I/we would also like to receive info on:

Women's Activities Youth Activities

Membership:

Farm Family ___ \$195 or ___ \$18/month*

Associate ___ \$65 or ___ \$6/month*

Youth (14-25) ___ \$98 or ___ \$9/month*

Donation: One time Monthly* Annually*

\$25 \$50 \$100 \$500 other: _____

*For automatic payments, send credit card info or a cheque marked "void"

Payment:

Cash Cheque Mastercard Visa

Card Number: _____

Expiry (month/year): _____

Signature: _____

Please mail your payment, along with this form to:

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OR

You can also join online at nfu.ca