



GARDEN RIVER FIRST NATION

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TRANSFER PROCESS PACKAGE

- 1. Garden River First Nation Transfer Application Form**
- 2. Garden River First Nation Band Membership Application**
- 3. Obtain a CPIC Search from: Anishnabek Police Services; Ontario Provincial Police (there is normally a fee for this service)**
- 4. Obtain a Statement of Consent form from the First Nation you are transferring from**
- 5. Write a letter to the GRFN Chief and Council requesting the transfer**
- 6. A \$130.00 processing fee is required upon submission of application**



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TRANSFER REQUEST APPLICATION

1. Date of Application: _____

2. Name: _____

3. Address: _____

Street

City

Province

Postal Code

Telephone #

4. Transfer from which band: _____

5. Present Registry Number (10 digits): _____

6. Band Member of the First Nation Registered Status

7. Date of Birth: _____

8. What are your reasons for requesting a transfer to Garden River First Nation?

9. Do you have historical family ties with Garden River First Nation? Briefly describe them. _____

10. What are your understandings of the customs, laws and practices of Garden River First Nation? _____

11. Is this application for your dependents also? _____

If yes, dependents whose age(s) is 18 years or over, are required to apply individually. You may sponsor the dependent(s) who are under the age of 18 years provided you have consent from the opposite parent. Must have full Names, Birthdates and Registry/Band numbers of all dependents.

12. If you are accepted into the Garden River First Nation, how could you contribute to Garden River and our community? _____

13. What is your occupation? _____

14. Name and address of Employer: _____

Street	City	Province	Postal Code
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15. Upon acceptance, would your present Band/First Nation consent to your release? Please provide the documentation that would indicate your First Nation releasing you from their First Nation Band List/Registry List.

Release is conditional upon your acceptance into the Garden River First Nation.

16. It is a requirement that all individuals seeking transfer to Garden River First Nation undergo a Canadian Police Information Centre Search and that the results of that search will form part of your application for transfer and form part of the criteria upon which your application for membership will be determined.

17. Three references required:

a) _____

b) _____

c) _____

(examples: Chief or Councillor from the original band or from the band transferring to, employer, elder or a sponsor from the Garden River First Nation. Family members may not be used as references.)

Applicant Signature

Date

Please note: Applicants must also fill out Band Membership Code Application.



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Schedule "E" CITIZENSHIP REGISTRY REGULATIONS Application Form

1. Registry # _____

2. Name: _____

3. Address: _____
Street City

Province Postal Code Telephone #

4. Social Insurance Number: _____

5. Date of Birth: Year _____ Month _____ Day _____ Location: _____

6. Present Band Status: Affiliate Garden River First Nation Citizen;
 Transfer _____
Name of First Nation

7. Name and Address of Employer: _____

8. Occupation: _____

9. Number of Dependents: _____

10. Names, Location and Date of Birth of Dependents: _____

Band Status of Dependents: _____

11. Is this application for your dependents also?
If "YES", your dependents whose ages are 18 years or over are required to apply individually. You may sponsor those dependents who are under 18 years of age.

12. Do you know the history of the Garden River of Ojibway Nation? _____

13. Do you have family and/or social ties with any member of the Garden River First Nation?

14. Do you know the customs, law and order practices of the Garden River Ojibway Nation? _____

Is anyone sponsoring your application: _____

15. Why are you applying for membership in Garden River Ojibway Nation? _____

Applicant

Sponsor
(where required)

Date of Application

Application Received - Registrar

Date Received



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DECLARATION OF PROOF

1. Name: _____

2. Please check off the documents you have available and can provide copies of.

Driver's License

Social Insurance Number

Birth Certificate

Baptismal Certificate

Health Card Number

Indian Status Card

Other – please specify _____

3. "Declaration of Proof" sworn statement before a commissioner of oaths as attached hereto. I hereby certify that the information set out by me in this document is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and I fully understand that any false statement will nullify this document.

Signature of Applicant

Witness

Date



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Schedule "H" CITIZENSHIP REGISTRY REGULATIONS Commitment Statement

I, _____, having had my application for membership accepted by the Garden River Ojibway Nation, do hereby make the following commitments as conditions of my citizenship membership:

1. To do my utmost to continue with my employment in support of myself, and if applicable, my dependents;
2. To be involved in any reasonable activity to promote the social and economic well being of the Garden River Ojibway Nation;
3. To make every effort to acquire knowledge and awareness of the history of the Garden River Ojibway Nation;
4. To recognize and respect the customs, law and order of the Garden River Ojibway Nation;
5. And if I break laws of the Garden River Ojibway Nation, I will agree with the decision of the Garden River Ojibway Nation to have me removed from the community of Garden River without opposition, providing such a removal of myself is justified.

Signature of Applicant/Sponsor

Received-Registrar

Date