

Nunavik Cost-of-Living Reduction Measures Beneficiary Card and Beneficiary Discount Card

Questions and Answers

1. What are these Cards for?
 - These Cards permit gasoline distributors in Nunavik to apply a discount on the gas you buy for your personal use.
2. Who is eligible for these Cards?
 - These Cards are issued to beneficiaries of the *James Bay and Northern Québec Agreement* aged 16 or older.
3. How do I use these Cards?
 - To take advantage of the discount provided under the Gasoline Program, you must present one of these Cards every time you buy gas.
4. Where can I pick up these Cards?
 - The Beneficiary Card is available at the Makivik Office in Kuujuaq. If you are not living in Kuujuaq, Makivik can send your Beneficiary Card to your local Landholding office. In addition, you must present your Beneficiary Card to make a request for your Beneficiary Discount Card at the Coop Stores' office or Gas Stations. A Beneficiary Discount Card will then be issued with your information. Please expect a small delay for processing time.
5. When I turn 16, how do I get these Cards?
 - Beneficiary Card can be obtained from the Makivik Corporation. Contact Anthony Arreak by telephone at 1-877-625-4845 or by email at aarreak@makivik.org . As for the Beneficiary Discount Card, it can be acquired from the FCNQ. Contact Idriss Rafi by telephone at 514-457-9371 ext. 390 or by email at idriss.rafi@fcnq.ca
6. What if I forget one of these cards when I go to buy gas?
 - To receive the discount provided under the Gasoline Program, you must present one of these Cards with every purchase. Make sure you have one of these Cards with you at alltimes.
7. Can I use someone else's Cards?
 - No. these Cards are not transferrable.
8. Can I lend these Cards to someone else?
 - No. these Cards are not transferrable. Accordingly, these Cards may not be used by any other person or to obtain discounts for any other person, regardless of whether or not the person is a beneficiary of the *James Bay and Northern Québec Agreement*.

9. If I do not buy gas, do I need to have one of these Cards?
- Even if you do not usually purchase gasoline, keep one of these Cards in a safe place. Additional discounts under other Nunavik Cost-of-Living Reduction Measures may be introduced in the future.
10. What are the Nunavik Cost-of-Living Reduction Measures?
- The six regional cost-of-living measures implemented since 2007 are the Food and Other Essentials Program, the Gasoline Program, the Airfare Reduction Program, the Household Appliance and Harvesting Equipment Program, the Country Food Community Support Program, and the Elders Assistance Program.
11. What is the purpose of the Nunavik Cost-of-Living Reduction Measures?
- The aims of the Nunavik Cost-of-Living Reduction Measures are to improve the socio- economic conditions of Nunavimmiut; to respond to concerns related to the high cost of living in Nunavik; and to stimulate subsistence harvesting activities that promote Inuit culture and traditions.
12. What do I do if I lose one of these Cards or if it is stolen?
- Lost or stolen, these Cards must be reported immediately. If a Beneficiary Card was stolen or lose, contact Anthony Arreak at the office of the Makivik Corporation by telephone at 1-877-625-4845 or by email at aarreak@makivik.org . If the same incident happened with your Beneficiary Discount Card, contact Idriss Rafi of the FCNQ by telephone at 514-457-9371 ext. 390 or by email at idriss.rafi@fcnq.ca
13. Can I use these cards to buy gas for my business vehicles?
- No. The discount provided under the Gasoline Program is for personal use only.
14. Can I use these Cards to get other discounts?
- Currently, only the Gasoline Program permits discounts by presenting the Beneficiary Card or the Beneficiary Discount Card. Additional discounts under other Nunavik Cost-of-Living Reduction Measures may be introduced in the future.

For more information on the Beneficiary Card, Beneficiary Discount Card and the Gasoline Program:

- Visit www.krg.ca.
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