

FIREWOOD POLICY

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A. PURPOSE

To provide an outline on the distribution and sale plan for Seniors, community members, and non-member individuals or businesses on reserve for firewood.

B. SCOPE

This policy applies to all members, community members, campers, non-members, and businesses on reserve.

C. POLICY STATEMENT

1. Seniors' Access (Free):

- 1.1. All seniors who use wood as their primary heating source will receive firewood at no cost.
- 1.2. This measure ensures Seniors remain warm during the colder seasons and supports their well-being and comfort.
- 1.3. Seniors must meet the following criteria to be eligible to qualify for services under this policy:
 - 1.3.1. Must be an WFN registered member 65 years of age or over.
 - 1.3.2. The senior requesting the service is the primary owner or primary tenant. The residence must be their principal (primary) residence.
 - 1.3.3. The home must be situated on Wahnapitae First Nation land and within the area being serviced by the Public Works department.
 - 1.3.4. Requests must be made to the Infrastructure & Facilities Department.
 - 1.3.5. Service will commence mid-May and end October 1st of each year.

2. Community Members Access (\$60 a bucket):

- 2.1. Community members will be able to purchase firewood at a subsidized rate of \$60 per bucket.
- 2.2. Firewood will be delivered in a backhoe/loader bucket.

3. Non-Members/On-Reserve Businesses (\$100 a bucket):

- 3.1. Non-members residing on reserve and on-reserve businesses will have the option to purchase firewood at \$100 per cord.
- 3.2. Delivery will be facilitated using a backhoe/loader bucket.
- 3.3. There will be limited quantities for non-members & Businesses.

D. REVISION HISTORY

Date: (mm/dd/yyyy)	Motions	