

Food Vendor Application

1. PROJECT: BACK TO BATOCHÉ FESTIVAL

Proposals submitted after the due date will not be considered. Consultants accept all risks of late delivery submittals regardless of fault. Métis Nation Saskatchewan reserves the right to reject any and all submittals and to waive irregularities and informalities in the submittal and evaluation process. This RFP does not obligate Métis Nation Saskatchewan to pay any costs incurred by respondents in the preparation and submission of their proposals. Furthermore, the RFP does not obligate Métis Nation Saskatchewan to accept or contract for any expressed or implied services.

Please Print Clearly

Please select type of vendor
Price is for all four days of event.

	<p>Large Kitchen Canteen (Two Available)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rental Fee - \$3750 • Includes two RV electrical sites • \$500 cleaning deposit returned at end of event after successful inspection by committee
	<p>Canteen (Two Available) – Next to Racetrack</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rental Fee - \$250 • No power/water • No cooking or BBQing permitted

Kitchen Canteen Hours of Operation:

Thursday July 16, 2026 – 7:30 AM – 10 PM
 Friday July 17, 2026 – 7:30 AM – 10 PM
 Saturday July 18, 2026 – 7:30 AM – 10 PM
 Sunday July 19, 2026 – 7:30 AM – 6 PM

Canteen Hours of Operation:

Thursday July 16, 2026 – 1 PM – 7 PM
 Friday July 17, 2026 – 1 PM – 7 PM
 Saturday July 18, 2026 – 1 PM – 7 PM

**Please note that the above hours of operation are mandatory. Scheduled entertainment is until 11pm Thursday through Saturday and until 6pm on Sunday.

Business/Vendor Name:

Owner/Operator Name:

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Are you a Métis Citizen?:



If yes – are you a Certified Métis Saskatchewan Business with SMEDCO?
(<https://saskmetisworks.ca/>)

Email Address:

Phone Number:

Mailing Address:

Description of goods/items for sale: Please Attach Menu and Pricing

2. SUBMITTAL REQUIREMENTS

The Back to Batoche Festival is seeking qualified **FOOD SERVICE PROVIDERS** for the Back to Batoche Festival, held July 16-19, 2026 at Batoche SK. This event is of vital importance to the Métis people from across Canada and the homeland. **It is anticipated there will be over 30,000 people in attendance over the four-day event.**

Please provide a copy of Food Safety Certification (Minimum of two staff members with certification on shift):

Workers Compensation #:

GST Number:

Number of Staff:

Do you require the two RV electrical sites provided? (additional sites will need to be secured when online campsite booking opens in April):

YES

NO

3. QUALIFICATIONS

This project will require the firm or individual to have the following qualifications:

- Minimum 2 years of related experience
- Familiarity working with Indigenous peoples, organizations or events
- Experience working in rural locations

4. PROPRIETARY PROPOSAL MATERIAL

Any proprietary information revealed in the proposal should, therefore, be clearly identified as such.

5. EVALUATION CRITERIA

Evaluations will be based on the criteria listed below:

- Experience of firm with similar projects;
- Proposals within budget restrictions and timeframes
- **Food Service Providers** – please attach description of food items to be sold with pricing
 - **Healthy options and items \$10 and under should be available**
 - **Quick Service Menu Items**

6. QUESTIONS

Questions regarding this project may be directed to Erica Pilon via e-mail at backtobatoche@mns.ca
All correspondence must be in writing.

7. CONTRACT NEGOTIATION

MN–S reserves the right to negotiate all elements of the submittals, proposals, terms and conditions, and/or scope of work as part of the contract negotiation process prior to any formal authorization of the Contract. MN–S also reserves the right not to choose any of the applicants.

8. PAYMENTS

Successful applicants will be required to pay within two weeks of approval notification via check, cash or online payment link.

Payments can be mailed or dropped off in person to Métis Nation–Saskatchewan, 310 20th Street East, Saskatoon, SK S7K 0A7.

9. CONFIDENTIALITY

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Vendors are asked to keep the bidding process confidential with MN-S.



Applications must be received via email, backtobatoche@mns.ca , or registered mail by 5:00PM on **Friday April 17, 2026.**

Métis Nation–Saskatchewan
Attn: Erica Pilon
310 20th Street East
Saskatoon, SK S7K 0A7

Thank you for applying. Only successful contractors will be contacted.

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