

Manitoba Non-Canadian Migratory Game Bird (FRMGB) Draw Application Guide

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Customer Profile – IMPORTANT REMINDER

If you have purchased any type of hunting or angling licence since 2020 you will have a profile already created in the elicensing program. **Do not create another profile.**

Key Dates

Online applications accepted	June 15 – July 15 (11:59 pm)
Notification of draw results	July 31
Licences available for sale	August 1
Licence payment deadline	December 6 (11:59 pm)

General Information About the FRMGB Licence Draw

A non-Canadian resident is a person who is not a Manitoba resident or a Canadian resident.

The draw application deadline is **July 15** (11:59 pm). Applications must be registered online at www.manitobaelicensing.ca by this date and time.

Draw licences are only available through the draw process **once** a year. Applicants must be non-Canadian and non-residents of Manitoba.

If you have any questions about the application procedures, contact the elicensing Help Desk at 1-877-880-1203. For further information visit: www.gov.mb.ca/fish-wildlife/wildlife

This FRMGB licence is not valid during the Spring Conservation Goose Season. The Spring Conservation Goose Licence is a separate licence and is not impacted by this FRMGB licence.

Priority Levels

The Draw program is based on 10 priority levels. In the Draw system, Level 1 is the most favorable level and Level 10 is the least favorable level. A personal priority level is assigned to each individual. An application with two or more applicants is entered into the draw system at the least favorable personal priority level of all the applicants in the application. First-time applicants will be assigned a personal priority level of Level 8.

Applications are processed randomly and sequentially in the draw system according to priority level with level 1 being chosen first, then level 2 followed by level 3, continuing in that fashion until all licences have been awarded.

Once entered into the Draw hunters will not need to apply every year in order to advance their priority level for that draw. The Draw system will automatically advance their personal priority level each year if their account is not in penalty. However, in order to be awarded a licence, an application and payment must be submitted online into the draw in that year. Applicants who



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are excluded from draw participation due to an unpaid draw debt will have their personal priority level frozen and will be excluded from purchasing all Manitoba fish and wildlife licences and draws regardless of the origin of the debt.

Their current priority level will be listed on their personal profile on the elicensing website.

Notification of Licence Award

Results of the draw will be **emailed** to each applicant by **July 31**. It is up to each applicant to ensure that their email is current.

Payment must be made by the credit card on file after **August 1 to December 6**. Failure to complete payment by December 6 will result in the licence(s) being cancelled and penalty status will be placed on the account of all applicants on that application.

They will receive instructions on how to open their draw licence, select their dates (one consecutive 7-day period) and make payment with a credit card. Once the licence payment is received, the licence will be available on their elicensing profile and can be printed or carried on their electronic device to show a conservation officer, if requested.

They will also require a federal permit and stamp. These can be obtained at most Canada Post offices, some regular private licences vendors, or online at www.permis-permits.ec.gc.ca. Please review the Manitoba Hunting Guide for more information regarding this permit and stamp.

Hunting Information

Hunters must obtain landowner permission before hunting on any private land.

Hunters must possess and be able to produce a valid Hunter Education Certificate if requested by an officer.

Licences are not transferable. Unallocated draw licences will not be made available.

If a licence is lost or destroyed, it must be reprinted from their elicensing account.





Conditions of the FRMGB Draw and Licences

Failing to comply with the conditions for a FRMGB hunting licence or making a false statement in an application for such a licence are offences contrary to Section 59 of The Wildlife Act. In addition, a person whose hunting privileges are suspended from hunting in Manitoba must not apply for or obtain a FRMGB draw licence.

Only non-Canadian Residents may apply for a FRMGB Draw licence.

Outfitter services can not be used for hunters with a FRMGB Draw licence.

A FRMGB Draw licence is valid in all areas of Manitoba only for the seven (7) day period specified on the licence.

All applicants for a FRMGB Draw Licence must possess a valid Hunter Education Certificate or attest they possess a valid Hunter Education Certificate.

An applicant can only appear on one Manitoba non-Canadian Resident Migratory Game Bird licence in a hunting season. If you have already been awarded a Legacy licence or purchased a FRMGB licence from an outfitter, you are not eligible to apply for the FRMGB Draw licence.

Purchasing duplicate licences will result in both licences being cancelled.

Any youth applying for the draw must be at least 12 years old at the application deadline date.

Applications will only be processed online. Customers are encouraged to enter their application through their online account or through the call centre at 1-877-880-1203. It is the applicant's sole responsibility to ensure their completed applications are submitted by the deadline.

Any application not completed or not submitted in compliance with the conditions for a draw licence, as set out herein, is invalid and will be rejected from the draw.

Applicants with outstanding fees will have their personal priority level frozen until the outstanding balance is paid.

It is the applicant's responsibility to ensure that their contact information including email address is updated, correct, and complete on their licensing profile.

It is the successful applicant's responsibility to have the licence in their possession while hunting and during transportation of their birds.





How to Complete the Online Application Form for the FRMGB Draw

Before proceeding with these steps, please read and understand the above sections on General Information and Conditions of the Draw and Licences.

It is each applicant's responsibility to ensure that their information is correct and accurate. Any application with multiple applicants is considered one (1) application.

Please review the online application carefully.

On each customer profile, the following fields are mandatory and must be validated:

- Drivers licence number or another identifier must be used (passport, military card)
- Indicate male, female, prefer not to say or other
- Date of birth
- Surname, first name and middle name
- **Complete mailing address**
- Valid Hunter Education Certificate (or attest thereof)
- Email address
- Telephone number
- Height, hair and eye colour

Payment

Only credit card payments are accepted through the elicensing website and must be on the applicant's profile upon submission. Visa and MasterCard are the only credit cards accepted for payment.

Application fees for each applicant include a non-refundable \$7.00 application fee and a non-refundable \$4.50 administration fee for a total fee of \$11.50.

Each licence will cost - $\$213.75 + \$4.50 = \$218.25$

The draw application deadline is **July 15** at 11:59 pm. Applications must be submitted online at www.manitobaelicensing.ca by this date and time.

Payments will appear on their credit card statement as RAO MB Licensing.





Late or Non-Payment of Awarded Licence(s)

Awarded licence payments can be made **August 1 - December 6**. Failure to process the licence payment required for the successful applicant(s) will result in the licences being voided and the applicants will be placed in penalty status and their priority level frozen.

After the **December 6** deadline, all future Manitoba hunting and angling privileges will be suspended until the outstanding licence fee(s) is/are received. Contact 1-800-214-6497 for payment arrangements. Licences will not be reissued after this date.

Number of Applicants on an Application

Up to six (6) applicants may be linked (submitted) together on one (1) FRMGB Draw application. The first applicant is designated as the group leader and is the only person who can edit the application until the draw deadline.

The applicant with the lowest priority level will determine the priority level of the application for processing in the draw.

Rejection of Applications

An application will be rejected if any of the following apply:

- The payment is not able to be processed.
- The application bears the name of an ineligible applicant.
- Any applicant's information is invalid, incomplete or duplicate.
- Any applicant has been successfully awarded a Legacy FRMGB or has purchased a FRMGB licence through an outfitter.

Successful Applications

Successful applicants will receive an email indicating their success in the draw and licence payment will be processed on the credit card on file.

- Each applicant must choose the one 7-day period that they wish to hunt in and then their payment will be processed.
- The hunting dates can not be changed after the payment is made.
- The applicant should call **licensing Help Desk at 1-877-880-1203** regarding payment issues before the payment deadline of **December 6**.
- If a payment is unable to be processed by **December 6**, the licence(s) will be voided.
- Failure to pay for licence(s) will result in their account being placed into penalty status.
- Any other hunting and angling purchases after this date will be unable to be processed until the outstanding licence fees are paid and penalty status removed.





Unsuccessful Applications

Unsuccessful and rejected applicants will receive an email indicating the results of the draw.

The Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act

All personal information is collected under the authority of The Wildlife Act and will be used for the administration of the Draw program, hunter questionnaires, statistical analysis, and enforcement purposes. It is protected by the Protection of Privacy provisions of The Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act. If you have any questions about the collection of information, contact: Access and Privacy Officer T 204-945-1252

For other draw questions, please contact 1-877-880-1203.

