

National Farmers Union Raises Membership Fees

A Letter from National President, Terry Boehm

Dear NFU Member,

At our 41st Annual Convention, a constitutional amendment was passed whereby the **membership fees for the National Farmers Union are now \$195.00**. This is an increase of \$45.00, over the previous membership fee of \$150.00.

Our fees have not increased for many years, but as for all of us, costs have increased. We have always been an organization that is very lean, but in spite of that, we end up in a deficit position from time-to-time. Many officials take only partial or no wages in spite of the many hours they dedicate to the organization.

The work that the National Farmers Union does is essential and **we are often the only farm organization that tackles tough issues with depth and determination**. Whether it is CETA, BSE, lack of competition in the cattle sector, or the government trying to dismantle the Canadian Grain Commission, the Canadian Wheat Board, or farmer seed saving, the NFU is always out front defending the interests of farmers.

We ask that you continue to support us, and sincerely hope that you understand the need for a fee increase.

Thank you,



Terry Boehm
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