

# LEECH LAKE BAND OF OJIBWE

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# Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe American Rescue Plan Economic Relief Payment Program Frequently Asked Questions

## Who is eligible for the program?

All enrolled members of the Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe who are enrolled with Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe as of July 12, 2021. Qualified applicants must also have experienced an economic impact as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic and check at least one box in the "Economic Impact" section of the application. Enrolled members younger than 18 years of age will have funds deposited to Minor's Trust, no application is necessary for these individuals.

# How do I apply?

Online Applications will be available at: https://hipaa.jotform.com/211924240364146 Online applications will open on July 14, 2021.

Paper Applications can be downloaded from: https://www.llojibwe.org/covid-19-arpa.html Paper Applications will open on July 14, 2021.

#### How do I submit my application?

All band members are encouraged to use the on-line application whenever possible. Paper applications and the drop off box for these forms are located outside the Tribal Assistance Office at the Dairy Queen building. Applications can also be mailed to Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe, Emergency Relief Assistance, 190 Sailstar Dr NW, Cass Lake, MN 56633. Paper submissions will only be accepted via the drop box or the U.S. Postal Services.

## When will I receive my payment?

Payments will begin to be mailed on August 2, 2021 for all applications submitted with no errors and received by 11:59 pm Sunday, July 25, 2021. Please allow at least two weeks from the date of submission after August 2, 2021 before inquiring on the status of your application. Paper applications may take longer.

190 Sailstar Drive NW, Cass Lake, MN 56633 Telephone: 218-335-8200 • Fax: 218-335-8309



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All checks will be processed and mailed directly to band members using the information provided on the application, it is important the applicant is able to receive mail at the mailing address provided, please ensure information is updated with the U.S. Postal Service. There will be no in person pickup allowed.

### How much will I receive?

Each approved applicant will receive a one-time payment of \$1,375.00

### What if I do not know my enrollment number?

Your correct enrollment number is required in order to process your application. If an incorrect number is used, your application will be rejected and a staff member will call or email you at number/email address provided on the application.

In order to obtain your enrollment number, your social security number and other information will be required. Please contact one of the following numbers:

- > 218-335-3626
- > 218-335-4429
- > 218-335-3601
- > 218-335-3602

### The online application is not working for me, what do I do?

If the online application is giving you an error or won't allow you to submit, please call

218-335-4429