



CITY OF FORT SASKATCHEWAN SCHOOL SUPPORT DECLARATION

Form 6A
Date Mailed:

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Individual Property Owner

Section 135 of the School Act provides that:

1. Individuals who own property located in a municipality where both Public and Roman Catholic Separate School districts exist are required to complete this declaration.
2. Roman Catholics must direct their taxes to support of schools in the Roman Catholic School district. All others just direct their taxes to support of schools in the Public School district.
3. Where property is owned by two or more individuals, one (or more) of whom is Roman Catholic, support must be divided between the public and separate school districts in proportion to ownership.
4. Joint owners of a property, one of whom is Roman Catholic, may divide their support equally (50% each) to each district or all of their taxes to the school district of their choice, or three property owners all having equal shares, one Roman Catholic, and the other two are not: 66.7% Public, 33.3% Separate.

Tax Roll Number:

Legal Description:

Address of Property:

Name of Registered Owner (1):

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Signed, Registered Owner 1

Date

Name of Registered Owner (2):

Address of Registered Owner (2):

Signed, Registered Owner 2

Date

Name of Registered Owner (3):

Address of Registered Owner (3):

Signed, Registered Owner 3

Date

Name of Registered Owner (4):

Address of Registered Owner (4):

Signed, Registered Owner 4

Date

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PLEASE COMPLETE EITHER SECTION A OR B BELOW, NOT BOTH.

A. I/We declare that 100% of my taxes in support of schools be directed to:
(check off the correct response):

PUBLIC SCHOOLS _____

SEPARATE SCHOOLS _____

- OR -

B. WE DECLARE PUBLIC AND SEPARATE SCHOOL SUPPORT IN THE FOLLOWING PROPORTIONS:

PUBLIC SCHOOLS ____ %

SEPARATE SCHOOLS ____ %

RETURN FORM BY DECEMBER 31, 2023

1. Under the provisions of the School Act, individual property owners who are Roman Catholic must direct their property taxes to the Roman Catholic Separate School district where both separate and public school districts exist. Those who are not Roman Catholic must direct their taxes to the Public School district.
2. In the City of Fort Saskatchewan, or in a portion of the municipality, both a Public and a Roman Catholic Separate School district exist.
3. When property is purchased within the municipality of Fort Saskatchewan, the purchaser is required to file this declaration of school support with the City of Fort Saskatchewan.
4. To ensure that your property taxes are assigned correctly, it is important to:
 - i) list all property owners.
 - ii) make sure the percentage of ownership adds up to 100%, and
 - iii) allocate it appropriately in either Section A or B
5. The school support declaration applies to all property located within the City of Fort Saskatchewan, whether or not owners reside in the City of Fort Saskatchewan.
6. Property owners can file a new school support declaration or change an existing one at any time.
7. The school support declaration becomes effective in the taxation year following the year in which the declaration is filed.
8. Only property owners, not tenants are entitled to file a school support declaration.
9. If this declaration of school support is not returned to the City of Fort Saskatchewan, the individual owner's property is assessable for public school purposes. The taxes on such property are directed to the Alberta School Foundation Fund and redistributed on an equal amount per student basis to public and separate school boards in Alberta.
10. Return completed form to:

**City of Fort Saskatchewan
10005 - 102 Street
Fort Saskatchewan, Alberta
T8L 2C5**