

# THE GOPHER CONTROL REBATE PROGRAM

## **Background:**

The gopher control rebate provides assistance to producers, Rural Municipalities, and Indian Bands who incurred significant costs to control gophers in 2008.

## **Eligible Applicants:**

Program assistance will be available to:

- A Saskatchewan resident who is at least 18 years of age and owns or leases farm land in Saskatchewan.
- A partnership, communal organization, corporation or co-operative, having its head office in Saskatchewan and carrying on business principally in Saskatchewan that owns or leases farm land in Saskatchewan.
- An Indian Band whose reserve land is in Saskatchewan.
- A Rural Municipality that purchased eligible gopher control products and resold the product at a subsidized cost to a producer.
- A Rural Municipality that purchased eligible gopher control product and applied the product on municipal land to control gophers.

## **Eligible Gopher Control Products:**

NU-GRO IP INC  
Maxim Chemical International LTD  
K-9 Pocket Gopher Bait  
Wilson Strychnine Gopher-Kill Bait  
Fairview Gopher Cop R.T.U  
Elston Gopher Getter Bait  
S.A.R.M. Gopher Poison R.T.U.  
Elston Gopher Getter Bait II  
Wilco Gopher Ground Squirrel Bait  
Fairview Gopher Cop R.T.U.W.  
Wilson Richardson's Ground Squirrel Strychnine  
Clean Crop Burrow Oat Bait  
Zp Rodent Bait  
Rodent Bait  
Rodent Pellets  
ZIP RTU Bait  
Rozol Mineral Oil Concentrate  
Wilson Rozol Paraffinized Pellets  
Ground Force Paraffinized Pellets  
Ground Force™ Field Rodent Bait  
Poulin's Gopher Doom  
Wilson Liquid Rozol Rodenticide  
Ratol Paraffinized Pellets  
Degesch Phostoxin Round Tablets Rodenticide  
Exit™ RoCon

## **Ineligible Expenditures:**

- Capital Items such as Gophinators and traps.

## **Assistance Levels:**

50 per cent rebate of the cost of eligible gopher control products purchased and applied to farm land.

- The minimum rebate is \$50.00.

## **Term:**

The product must have been both purchased and used between August 1, 2007 and October 1, 2008.

## **Application Deadline:**

January 30, 2009.

## **For more information, call:**

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Application forms are available on the Ministry of Agriculture website: [www.agriculture.gov.sk.ca](http://www.agriculture.gov.sk.ca), from your local Rural Municipal office, or by calling the toll-free number.