

JUNE 2019



ABOUT \$6 MILLION WILL BE PAID IN CASH TO MEMBERS IN 2019.

THANK YOU FOR BEING A MEMBER!

Dear Member:

Congratulations! As a result of the continued tremendous support of the Saskatoon Co-op by its members, we have had another very successful year in 2018, with sales of \$426.5 million.

This success has allowed the Board of Directors to authorize for the 26th year in a row a general cash repayment to the Co-op's owners – you, the members.

Patronage will be allocated to members' share accounts at the following rates, based on each member's purchases:

Prescriptions	1.50%
Food and Gas Bars (Non Fuel).....	1.00%
Car Wash	1.00%
Liquor	1.00%
Crop Inputs	3.00%
Home Centres, Agro Hardware	1.00%
Twine, Feed and Agro Equipment.....	1.00%
Gas Bars (Fuel and Bulk Fuel).....	5.45%
Oils and Lubes	10.00%
Fertilizer.....	0.50%

The explanation of your equity statement is on the reverse of your statement. Two steps are involved:

First, each member is credited with a patronage allocation. How much you are allocated depends on how much you have spent in each particular department. If you spent \$4,000 on groceries in 2018, you would be allocated 1.00% of \$4,000, or \$40.

Second, the general cash repayment cheque you received is calculated as a percentage of the allocation. The percentage that applies depends on how much equity you have accumulated before this year's allocation, as set out in the following table:

Equity Before Allocation	General Cash Repayment
\$10 to \$1,000	35% of Allocation
\$1,001 to \$3,000	40% of Allocation
Over \$3,000	45% of Allocation

If you had between \$10 and \$1,000 in equity before this year's allocation, your cheque would be 35 per cent of your 2018 total allocation from all departments.

The minimum general cash repayment cheque issued is \$10. Uncashed cheques are canceled after six months, and the equity is then returned to members' equity accounts.

For those of you who are over 69 years of age and who applied for equity repayment by April 15, 2019, the enclosed cheque represents repayment of your total equity as of February 2, 2019 (less \$10, which is retained to keep your membership active).

The Board of Directors of the Saskatoon Co-op wishes to thank you again for your continued and loyal support as we look forward to another successful year in 2019.

Yours co-operatively,
THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS
The Saskatoon Co-operative
Association Limited

CHECK OUT THESE NEW SASKATOON CO-OP LOCATIONS:

WATROUS

C-Store /Gas Bar, Food Store and Home & Agro Centre

HEPBURN AREA

Food /Gas Bar/Agro Centre, Fertilizer Plant, Dalmeny C-Store /Gas Bar/Liquor, Rosthern C-Store /Gas Bar and Waldheim C-Store /Gas Bar

SASKATOON

New Wine Spirits & Beer locations in Meadows Market and on 8th Street East

Because our continued success depends on the strength of our community, we are committed to being a meaningful contributor to improving the lives of our those around us. Visit saskatoonco-op.crs to view details under Membership – Community Investment.

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GIVING BACK: CO-OP IMPACT 2018

YOUR CO-OP FOCUSES ON FIVE PRIORITIES



Health & Wellness



Youth Sports & Recreation



Arts & Culture



Youth Education



Community Non-Profit

\$665,000 Invested Locally

\$296,000
In Cash

\$8,000 During Work Hours
Employee Volunteers

\$369,000
In-kind
Products

\$64,000 in Cash from the
Gift Card Fundraising Program



Over \$75,000
External Resources
Leveraged

*100% of funds raised go
direct to non-profit*

Over 225 Organizations Reached

Fuel Good Day
\$45,435



Big Bike
\$8,290



Community Spaces
\$150,000 Wonderhub



Humboldt Broncos
Families \$28,000

