



Name Change Information

Common reasons for name changes and documents used as proof to show the change:

- **Marriage** >>>>>>>>>>>> Marriage Certificate (Often used to show last name changes for both genders)
- **Adoption** >>>>>>>>>>>> Adoption Papers and/or Name Change Certificate
- **Legal Name Change** >>>>> Name Change Certificate or copy of newspaper announcement to announce the change to the public.

Proof is required for each name change, unless you changed your name back to your maiden name before it was changed again. Then proof would only be needed to show the name change from your maiden name to your current name.

If you change your name during the application process or after you have already received a citizenship card you will also need to provide an updated signature so your signature matches the new name listed on the card. To update a signature a digital signature form used for renewals are used.

Valid ID are also required with the names listed on the ID matching the name to be shown on your Metis Citizenship Card. ID needed: Valid Saskatchewan Health Card, and Valid Government Issued Photo ID.

Please call 833.343.8391 or email Registry@mnsregistry.ca to find which of our locations is nearest to you or for more information.