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Métis Nation - Saskatchewan Launches Emergency Repair Program

December 18, 2020 – With a mandate to provide a safe, healthy environment for Métis citizens, the Métis Nation - Saskatchewan (MN-S) Ministry of Housing has revamped its programs for emergency repairs and launched a new program.

The MN-S emergency repair program (MN–S ERP) is just one aspect of the overall MN-S Housing Strategy. The MN–S ERP provides a one-time, indirect grant to registered Métis citizens to help improve health and safety challenges faced in their homes.

The program is designed to help address health and safety concerns, accessibility, and capital replacement items to extend the lifecycle of your home. Cosmetic renovations are not eligible items.

Applications in process for the MN-S emergency home renovations and repair program (MN-S EHRRP) administered by the Provincial Métis Housing Corporation will be transferred to MN-S and reviewed under this new program, the MN–S emergency repair program (MN–S ERP).

MN-S Housing Minister Ryan Carriere said, "By streamlining the emergency repair program, Métis Nation - Saskatchewan is better focused and equipped to respond faster and more effectively to address the core housing needs of our citizens. Barriers that may have prevented or stalled access to emergency funding are now gone."

More information on the program including guidelines and application forms are available at https://metisnationsk.com/2020/12/18/metis-nation-saskatchewan-emergency-repair-program/

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