

**ASENIWUCHE WINEWAK NATION
CITIZENSHIP APPLICATION FORM – RELATIONAL MEMBER**

**As prescribed by the Membership Committee
in accordance with the Aseniwuche Winewak Citizenship Code**

This application form is for individuals not eligible as AWN Traditional Members but who meet the Relational Member criteria under s. 9 of the Citizenship Code. A Relational Member is someone welcomed into the Aseniwuche Winewak community through: (a) marriage or common-law relationship with a Traditional Member, including minor stepchildren; (b) custom adult adoption by a Traditional Member; (c) maintaining kinship despite dissolution of a marriage or common-law relationship, including minor stepchildren; or (d) being a stepchild of a Traditional Member, now over 18, maintaining a kinship tie. Refer to the Citizenship Code for full information.

Notice regarding personal information: The information below is being collected for the purposes of establishing citizenship in the Aseniwuche Winewak Nation, and, if citizenship is established, for including a citizen on the Enrolment Register. The Enrolment Register may be used to communicate information internally within Aseniwuche Winewak Nation and externally to other governments (e.g. Canada, Alberta) about Aseniwuche Winewak Nation citizenship, such as to identify citizens for the purposes of exercising s. 35 rights, or to establish eligibility for programs, services, and benefits. Such information may include, but is not limited to, names, birth dates, mailing address, and category of citizenship. If you have questions about the collection of information, please contact the Membership Clerk.

Warning: Any false or misleading statement with respect to this application or supporting documents, including the concealment of any material fact or circumstance, may result in the removal from the Enrolment Register under Part 5 of the Citizenship Code.

1. Personal information of individual submitting application:	
Name:	
Maiden Name:	
Birth date:	
Mailing address:	
E-mail address:	
Phone number:	



1. Personal information of the Applicant:

☐ Same as above, or:

Name:	
Maiden Name:	
Birth date:	
Mailing address:	
E-mail address:	
Phone number:	

2. On whose behalf are you applying?

- ☐ My own behalf
☐ On behalf of a child under 18 years of age
☐ On behalf of an adult whose affairs I have the legal authority to manage

3. Citizenship Application – Relational Member

Please check only the boxes that apply to you. Note: If submitting for another individual, enter their information in this section.

General

☐ I was a member of the registered society *Aseniwuche Winewak Nation of Canada, A Fellowship of Aboriginal People* prior to April 1, 2025.

Relational Member (*Citizenship Code, s. 9*)

- ☐ I have been married to a Traditional Member for at least three years.
☐ I have lived in a common-law relationship with a Traditional Member for at least three years.
☐ I am in a common-law relationship with a Traditional Member, with whom I have a child, and we have lived together for a period of time.
☐ I am under 18 and the stepchild of a Traditional Member.
☐ I was customarily adopted as an adult by a Traditional Member.
☐ I was previously in a marital or common-law relationship with a Traditional Member and maintain a kinship tie with the Aseniwuche Winewak Nation.
☐ I am under 18, was a stepchild of a Traditional Member, and maintain a kinship tie with the Aseniwuche Winewak Nation.
☐ I am over 18, was a stepchild of a Traditional Member, and maintain a kinship tie with the Aseniwuche Winewak Nation.



Supporting Evidence – Relational Member (*Citizenship Code*, s. 12)

Please check all the types of evidence you have attached:

- ☐ Proof of AWN Membership prior to April 1, 2025
- ☐ Marriage certificate
- ☐ Co-habitation agreement
- ☐ Proof of parentage, such as:
 - ☐ Birth certificate (*long form birth certificate preferred*)
 - ☐ Legal Adoption Certificate
 - ☐ Evidence of customary adoption (*see Citizenship Code, ss. 12, 13*)
- ☐ Reference letters from community members or staff that speak to how I have been welcomed into the AWN community or into the family by a Traditional Member.
- ☐ Other (Please specify): _____

APPLICANT DECLARATION

I hereby declare, and so solemnly swear, that the information provided in this application is true, complete, and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that if my application to become an AWN citizen is approved, my name will be added to the Enrolment Register, which may be used to communicate information internally within the Aseniwuche Winewak Nation and externally to other governments about Aseniwuche Winewak Nation citizenship.

Signature

Date

Signed in the presence of:

Name of Witness

Signature of Witness

Date



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FOR COMPLETION BY MEMBERSHIP CLERK

Date of receipt of complete application form ("**application date**"): _____

Deadline for decision by Membership Committee: _____

☐ Forwarded to Membership Committee Date: _____

☐ Approved by Membership Committee Date: _____

☐ Rejected by Membership Committee Date: _____

Completed applications can be submitted to the Citizenship Clerk at the Aseniwuche Winewak Nation office (10003 99 street) or by email citizenshipclerk@aseniwuche.com.

