

Manitoba Minimum Wage Increase

The MRFA advocated on your behalf. We know that minimum wage increases are an important issue that impacts all our members and your businesses.

Manitoba's minimum wage increased by \$0.20 per hour on October 1, 2018 from \$11.15 to \$11.35 per hour.

Businesses in other Canadian provinces have felt or will soon feel the effects of much larger minimum wage increases:

Alberta	Previously \$13.60. Increased to \$15 per hour on October 1, 2018.
British Columbia	\$12.65. The government has announced that the minimum wage will further rise to \$13.85 on June 1st, 2019, to \$14.60 on June 1st, 2020 and to \$15.20 on June 1st, 2021.
Manitoba	Previously \$11.15. As of October 1, 2018, the minimum wage is \$11.35 per hour.
Ontario	\$14.00 General Workers. Scheduled to rise to \$15.00 on Jan 1, 2019.
Northwest Territories	\$13.46
Nunavut	\$13.00

Consistent labour costs are a crucial component of effective business plans. Manitoba businesses like yours can continue to operate efficiently when minimum wage increases are steady and stable.