



March 2026

Adjustments to the Mining Lands Administrative Fees

Please be advised that the Ministry of Energy and Mines (MEM) will be adjusting the following mining lands administrative fees (fees), effective April 1, 2026. These changes will ensure that MEM maintains the quality of its service delivery and will align fees with other Government of Ontario fee schedules. The revised fee schedule is available on the Ministry [website](#).

Upcoming Changes:

Administrative Fees for Mining Lands			
Description of Fees	Current Fee	Adjusted Fee (April 1, 2026)	Tax
1. For an application for a lease, under subsection 81(2) of the <i>Act</i> .	\$85.00	\$90.00	No tax
2. For an application for a lease of surface rights only, under section 84(2) of the <i>Mining Act</i> , per lease.	\$85.00	\$90.00	No tax
3. For an application to renew a mining lease under subsections 81(6), 82(4), 84(6) per lease.	\$85.00	\$90.00	No tax

More Information:

If you have any questions, please contact the Mining Lands Section at 1-888-415-9845 or email us at pro.ndm@ontario.ca.

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