



About LITTLE PINE FIRST NATION

“Little Pine First Nation (LPFN) is home to the Plains Cree in Saskatchewan, and is located at the foot of Bluehill and rests along the shores of the Battle River. Bluehill is a symbol of home for our people.” (www.littlepine.ca) LPFN is focused on enhancing the quality of life for their members through the protection of the Treaties. Through supporting and promoting education, and particularly post-secondary education of their members, they hope to contribute positively to the betterment of the First Nations community, the province, and the global economy.

Historically, Chief Little Pine was dedicated to bettering the lives of his people and enhancing government relations, also creating a unified Cree territory in South-West Saskatchewan.

HIGHLIGHTS AND OPPORTUNITIES

- Chief Minahikosis (Little Pine) signed a formal amendment to Treaty 6 on July 2, 1879 near Fort Walsh.
- The leadership of LPFN has been creative in assisting members in securing and retaining employment and training opportunities. Through small investments in gear and transportation, community members see substantial returns, including increased community pride, self-sufficiency and financial gain.

ECONOMICS

IN SASKATOON REGION

Land Holdings (Total)	217.2 acres
Rural Reserve	216.3 acres
Urban Holding	0.9 acres

Status: The rural reserve is undeveloped. Urban holding (service station) is not operational. Development options are being considered.

Employment (On Reserve)

Full Time, Part-Time, Seasonal Employee	n/a
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Business Developments – Current

n/a	

Business Developments - Proposed

To be announced.	

OUTSIDE SASKATOON REGION

Little Pine First Nation Race Track	

Source: Little Pine First Nation.

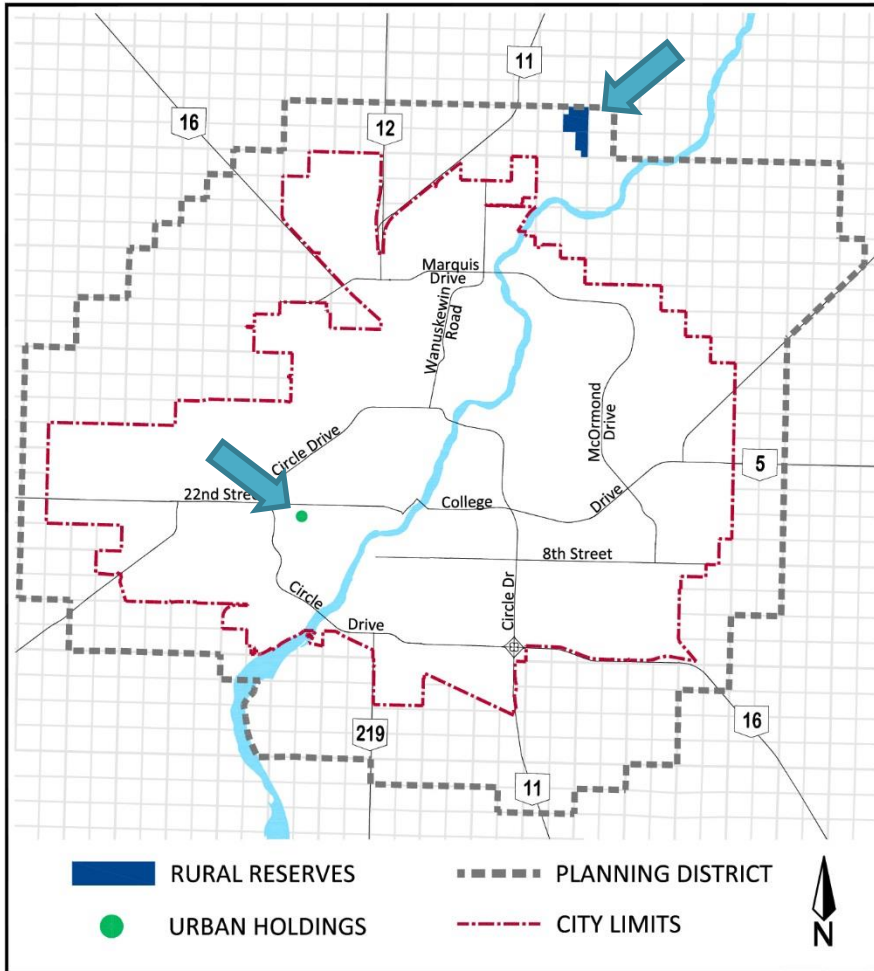
DEMOGRAPHICS

Total Population: 2,029 persons
 On Reserve: 983 persons/Off Reserve: 1,046 persons
 Total Reserves/Settlements/Villages: 64,010 acres
 (Source: Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada, http://pse5-esd5.ainc-inac.gc.ca/fnp/Main/Search/FNMain.aspx?BAND_NUMBER=340&lanq=eng)

TRIBAL COUNCIL AFFILIATION

Battleford Tribal Council (BTC) Member

Little Pine First Nation Land Holdings
 City of Saskatoon and Region
 Approximately 217.2 acres



HOME RESERVE INFORMATION

Location

The home reserve, located 53 kilometres northwest of North Battleford, is located at the foot of Bluehill and rests along the shores of the Battle River.

Services

Services available on the home reserve include: Little Pine Health Clinic, Little Pine medical taxis, and the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Detachment (with one constable working and residing on reserve), the Elders Hall, band office, Little Pine Daycare, Chief Little Pine School, Little Pine Gas Bar, and Little Pine Fitness Center

Education

Little Pine Daycare and Chief Little Pine School provide learning opportunities for pre-school, elementary and high school aged children.

Members can also apply for support to pursue post-secondary educational opportunities through the band office.

GOVERNANCE

Chief: Wayne Semaganis
 Councillors: Serinda Baptiste
 Russell J. Bearsars
 Earl R. Checkosis
 Christina Jack
 Lawrence C. Kennedy
 Election Term: November 28, 2017 to
 November 26, 2021

For more information



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