



Memo

To: BC Chicken Industry

Date: June 19, 2026

Re: Change to Board Composition – Order by the OIC

Dear Chicken Growers and Industry Stakeholders,

The Province of British Columbia, through an Order in Council (OIC), announced today a change to the composition of the BC Chicken Marketing Board.

The Board is currently made up of a government-appointed chair, two government-appointed members, and two elected grower members. There will soon be *two* appointed members — the Chair appointed by the government through an OIC, and a member appointed by the Board — and *three* elected grower members.

Specifically, effective September 1, 2026, the Board shall consist of a Chair appointed by the Lieutenant Governor in Council for BC, three registered grower members elected by registered growers, and an additional member appointed by the Board.

Stay tuned for further details, including official scheme updates and Board member election information and timelines.

I'd like to personally encourage all chicken growers to consider if they are interested in running for an elected position on the Board — joining an active team that works hard to lead BC's trusted and sustainable chicken industry.

The Board looks forward to the added grower representation and leadership in its work.

Thank you for your support,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kevin Klippenstein", written over a horizontal line.

Kevin Klippenstein
Chair, BC Chicken Marketing Board

For more about the BC Chicken Marketing Board's Governance and board membership, visit bcchicken.ca/General-Orders or bcchicken.ca/Board-Members