

PUBLIC NOTICE

CALL FOR REGISTRATION OF THE EXPECTED WHITE MAIZE HARVEST TO BE MARKETING IN THE 2022 SEASON



In line with Section 10 (k), (ii) of the Agronomic Industry Act, 20 of 1992, the NAB is mandated to obtain specified information from any person/s engaged in the production, processing, marketing, preservation and/or storage of controlled products.

Therefore, to efficiently and effectively facilitate the marketing of locally produced white maize grain, the NAB hereby invites all farmers who intend to market maize grain to registered processors/silos during the upcoming 2022 marketing season, to register their expected harvest with the NAB. The commencement and deadlines for the registration of the expected harvest to be marketed are as follows:

	Commencement of registration	Deadline for registration
Irrigated Production	01 February 2022	15 March 2022
Rainfed Production	15 March 2022	30 April 2022

The NAB will conduct field verifications in some production zones to ensure the accuracy of the expected production data collected. All maize grain farmers with limited access to internet connectivity are advised to register their expected harvest at the nearest Agricultural Development Centers (ADCs), where they will be assisted by officials of the Ministry of Agriculture, Water and Land Reform (MAWLR), Directorate of Agricultural Extension and Engineering Services (DAPEES).

During the expected harvest registration process at the ADCs, maize farmers are expected to provide the following vital information and documents:

1. Any proof of identification (original or certified copy of ID, Birth Certificate, Letter from the Traditional Authority, Land Lease or company registration certificate).
2. Complete the Expected Grain Production Data Collection Form; indicate the estimated hectares planted, tonnage / no of bags to be marketed and expected harvesting date.

Maize farmers who have access to internet connectivity can access the Expected Grain Production Data Collection Form on the NAB website: www.nab.com.na. Farmers that do not submit the completed Expected Grain Production Data Collection forms by the given deadlines will not be allowed to market their grains.

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