Michigan Onion Committee

2026 Michigan Onion Assessment

Grower/Producer	Shipper/Packer
At the beginning of storage season complete the storage survey and send to Michigan Onion Committee.	Monthly complete onion assessment form and send with check to Michigan Onion Committee.
If onions are delivered to Michigan shipper/packer, assessment will be deducted from your payment.	When onion storage and shipping for a single producer is complete for the year, mark that on the onion assessment form.
If you market your own onions or they are sent out of state, you are responsible for following instructions in the shipper/packer column.	When onion shipping is complete for the year, mark onion assessment form as final report.

Public Act 232 requires a mandatory assessment on all producers and applies to all onions grown in the state of Michigan including any Michigan onions shipped out of state. **"Producer"** means any person engaged in the business of growing or causing to be grown for any processing, or fresh market sale, any onions in quantity beyond his own family use and having value at first point of sale of more than $800.00 in any one growing or marketing season within the last three years. The assessment rate remains the same as last year at 6/cwt or $.0006/pound.

These funds are for the purpose of research and marketing for the good of the entire Michigan onion industry.

When you deliver to a Michigan shipper/packer the assessment is deducted from your payment and forwarded to the Michigan Onion Committee. If you market/deliver your onions to anyone who does not deduct the assessment, then you are personally responsible for reporting and paying the fee.

For questions, please call 517-663-6725 or email at gbird@michiganonion.com.
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