



Expression of Interest by Smallholder Farmers to be Members of NARI Council



The National Agricultural Research Institute (NARI) is the prime organization established by an Act of Parliament (NARI Act 1996) for conducting and fostering applied and development-oriented Research in the Agriculture and rural Development sectors in Papua New Guinea. Besides, NARI is responsible for providing analytical, diagnostic and advisory services and up-to-date information to the agriculture sector in PNG.

Section 7.1 (f) of the NARI Act 1996 provides for **three** smallholders farmers to be members of the NARI Council. One of these members shall be a female. New members for a term of three years are to be appointed to take office soon. These appointments will be made by the National Executive Council based on recommendation by the Minister for Agriculture.

We hereby invite expression of interest from smallholder farmers, including women farmers, for the Minister's consideration. Please forward your expression of interest with a copy of your bio-data to reach us on the following address.

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Nominations close on 25th August 2026

Authorised by

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