



GARDEWINE GROUP INC.

OUR MISSION

To work together to serve our customers with the constant goal of exceeding their expectations.

AT YOUR SERVICE

Customers Benefit from Perishable Division Resources

The transportation of perishable products, whether they be fruits, vegetables, meat or other commodities, requires special care and attention to ensure that freshness, quality, convenience, and selection are available to the end consumer. The people of Gardewine North, assisted by a fleet of modern equipment and an extensive network of terminals can provide flexible, customized solutions that offer significant service and cost benefits to their clients.

The Gardewine Group has an extensive network of 40 terminals including temperature controlled docks in their Winnipeg and Thunder Bay facilities (15,000 square feet in Winnipeg and 3,000 square feet in Thunder Bay). Having these modern facilities available to support cross-docking, sorting, and re-assembly of shipments provides options to meet all possible delivery needs for their clients in over 500 communities in Manitoba, Ontario and Saskatchewan.

In addition to the terminal network, Gardewine's clients also have the support of a fleet of more than 270 refrigerated trailers (including over 140 state of the art multi-temp trailers). Additionally, refrigerated trailers are available in various configurations dependent on the need of the customer, including 53 foot trailers, pups, side door trailers, tridems, tandems, and straight trucks.

The Gardewine Perishable Division has the flexibility to provide services based on the specific needs of the customer including Temperature Controlled LTL or Dedicated Cartage Service.

Perishable LTL Service is currently offered throughout Manitoba and North Western Ontario, and parts of Southern Ontario and Saskatchewan. This service provides overnight delivery to almost all locations in the Gardewine network.

Service Alert

Gardewine North now serves Manitoulin Island directly every Tuesday and Thursday.

General Freight

Handling and transporting freight for clients throughout Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Northern and Northwestern Ontario.

Perishable Division

Providing the care and attention necessary to maintain product integrity and food safety during transportation.

Northern Parcel

Providing courier, warehouse and distribution services to clients throughout Manitoba, Ontario and Saskatchewan.

Northern Deck

Providing LTL and full truckload open-deck services to clients across Canada.

Northern Logistics

Global third party logistics services provider, utilizing the assets of the Gardewine Group and its service partners.

Northern Cartage

Providing custom contract hauling within the framework of the Gardewine Group of Companies.

Northern Bulk

Specializing in the handling and transportation of bulk commodities.

When custom Perishable delivery requirements arise the Gardewine Group can provide these services throughout Western Canada and Ontario. Based on customer requirements, service can be designed to meet any equipment and personnel needs. Whether the need is Dedicated Tractor Service, Dedicated Tractor and Trailer Service, uniformed drivers in clients' colours, or any combination of these the Gardewine Group can develop the required solution. A number of clients have chosen to use this option to augment or replace their private fleets.

Due to shipping volumes during the summer months the Gardewine Perishable Division operates Temperature Controlled Peddle Runs to a number of rural communities in Manitoba and North Western Ontario that see their population grow during cottage season (such as the communities around the Whiteshell Provincial Park).

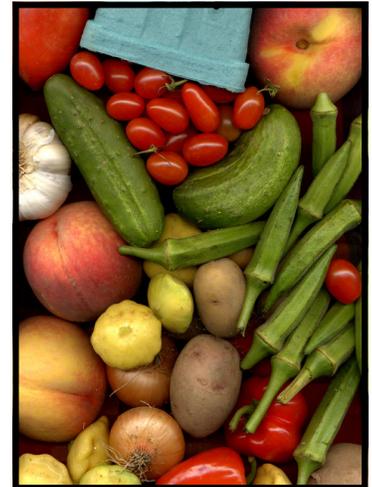
The Gardewine Perishable Division provides temperature protected service to more locations than any other carrier in Manitoba and North Western Ontario. Combining this network, a team of trained professionals available 24 hours a day, and the technology to ensure your products are handled with the needed care and attention, Gardewine makes certain the "cold chain" is maintained from the producer to your customers table. The resources and expertise at Gardewine will work together with you to maintain product integrity, meet all food safety requirements, and ensure that all possible requirements are met to your satisfaction.

To contact the Gardewine Perishable Department to further discuss the service options available to you please call (204) 633-5795, toll free (800) 282-8000, or email sales@gardewine.com.



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Customer Profile

The North West Company

The Gardewine Perishable Division has been our service partner for several decades, providing service throughout much of Canada for both perishable and dry freight.

The staff at the Gardewine Group have always worked collaboratively with us, providing the benefits of their expertise, equipment and technology to ensure our needs are met. Their capacity to tailor the services they provide to meet our requirements has provided a competitive advantage to the North West Company.

I am happy to recommend the Gardewine Perishable Division to companies looking for a partner who understands the importance of servicing their clients' needs.

Doug Moore
Director of Transportation
North West Company



Tracing their roots to 1668, The North West Company is a leading retailer of food and everyday products and services to rural communities and urban neighbourhoods across Canada, Alaska, the South Pacific & the Caribbean.

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