

Forestry is a solution for BC, for Canada.

- + Supports people.
- + Strengthens communities.
- + Builds economic resilience.

British Columbia's forest sector can help protect jobs, strengthen communities, and build a stronger BC and Canada. At a time of global uncertainty and damaging U.S. duties and tariffs **we need a made-in-BC solution.**

BC has the forests, the workers, and the expertise. Let's work together for BC.

Do you support BC forestry? Take one or all of these steps:

Step 1: Sign the petition

Sign [this petition](#) and stand with neighbours and friends to support BC forestry.

Sign Petition

Step 2: Send the letter

Politicians need to hear from you. Send [this letter](#) to your MLA and the BC Government.

Send Letter

Step 3: Share the campaign

Let's bring BC together on this issue. Share with your networks!

The Problems

British Columbia's forest sector is operating in a difficult global environment:

- Global competition is increasing
- Conditions in BC limit the full potential
- U.S. trade actions hurt Canadian wood producers

Yet despite these headwinds, forestry remains one of BC's greatest economic opportunities.

This is a moment to focus on homegrown solutions that create value here in British Columbia.

We have the: Forests. Workers. Expertise.

We need access to: Wood. Markets.

The Opportunity

British Columbia has the timber to support a healthy and sustainable forest sector. Ready to harvest and fire-damaged timber is available — and demand for Canadian wood remains strong. The opportunity is clear:

Get wood moving efficiently through the value chain from the forest to the mill to your home

This will:

- Keep people working
- Offset economic damage from U.S. trade actions
- Create more value and increase secondary manufacturing jobs
- Strengthen economic security

This is about using harvest ready timber better and faster.

What needs to happen:

1. Speedup access to economic wood

Expedite permits and approvals so timber reaches mills in a predictable and timely way.

2. Improve competitiveness & cost certainty

Address administrative and regulatory burdens affecting harvesting and manufacturing

3. Make BC Timber sales work as intended

Deliver a reliable, competitive supply of logs to support mills and workers.

4. Support First Nations partnerships

Support First Nations with the capacity and tools to expedite referrals and increase revenue sharing.

Why Forestry matters right now

Forestry is a solution. When it can reach its full potential, forestry is a strategic asset for British Columbians. BC's forest sector:

- ✓ Supports tens of thousands of good, family-sustaining jobs
- ✓ Keeps rural, First Nations, and urban communities economically strong
- ✓ Supplies Canadian wood for housing and infrastructure
- ✓ Stores carbon in every beam and board, helping cut building emissions
- ✓ Generates public revenue for essential services
- ✓ Reduces wildfire risk through active forest management

A Broad Coalition of Support:

This is about working together to ensure forestry continues to contribute to BC's future. Support for forestry solutions spans British Columbia, including:

- Forestry workers and their families
- First Nations governments and entrepreneurs
- Local businesses and contractors
- Industry organizations
- Residents who care about economic stability and community resilience