

# SFI PROMOTES INDIGENOUS RIGHTS, RESPECT AND ENGAGEMENT

SFI INVESTS IN  
**INDIGENOUS**  
COMMUNITY-LED, FOREST FOCUSED INITIATIVES.

SFI PROUDLY PARTNERS WITH AND SUPPORTS

**130+** INDIGENOUS COMMUNITIES ACROSS CANADA



## STANDARDS

Guided by the voices of Indigenous Peoples, the SFI Standard recognizes and respects Indigenous Peoples' rights and traditional knowledge.

## INNOVATIVE TOOLS FOR CERTIFICATION SUCCESS

### SMALL-SCALE MODULE FOR INDIGENOUS PEOPLES, FAMILIES AND COMMUNITIES

- Economies of scale for forests under 20,000 hectares
- All the rigour of the SFI 2015-2019 Forest Management Standard



ON OVER **4** MILLION HECTARES of forestland

### FOREST PARTNERS PROGRAM

Provides certification-readiness supports, including guidance and consulting services, gap assessments, and audit readiness training

NEARLY **40** INDIGENOUS COMMUNITIES and their businesses are certified to the SFI FM Standard

CERTIFICATION	COMMUNITIES	HECTARES	LOCATION
 <b>Capacity Forest Management</b>	Namgis First Nation • Wei Wai Kum First Nation • Kitasoo/Xai'xais First Nation • Wuikinuxv First Nation • Lower Similkameen Indian Band • Mowachat/ Muchalalt First Nation • Mamalilikulla- Qwe'Qwa'Set'Em • Sechelt First Nation	345,398	British Columbia
 <b>K'omoks and Qualicum</b>	K'omoks First Nation • Qualicum First Nation	12,993	British Columbia
 <b>Miitigoog</b>	Anishnabeg of Naongashing • Naotkamegwanning First Nation • Northwest Angle #33 • Ochiichagwe' Babigo'ining First Nation • Ojibways of Onigaming • Shoal Lake #40 • Wabaseemoong Independent Nation • Wabauskang First Nation	1,225,577	Ontario
 <b>Montreal Lake Business Ventures</b>	Montreal Lake Cree Nation	230,344	Saskatchewan
 <b>Nipissing Forest Resource Management Inc.</b>	Antoine Algonquin First Nation • Mattawa/North Bay Algonquin First Nation • Dokis First Nation • Nipissing First Nation •	844,030	Ontario
 <b>Ondaadiziwin Forest Management Inc.</b>	Lac Seul First Nation	1,070,567	Ontario
 <b>Rainy Lake Tribal Resource Management Inc.</b>	Couchiching First Nation • Mitaanjigamiing First Nation • Naicatchewenin First Nation • Nigigoonsiminikaaning First Nation • Rainy River First Nation • Seine River First Nation	282,679	Ontario
 <b>Stuwix Resources Joint Venture</b>	Cook's Ferry Indian Band • Coldwater Indian Band • Nooaitch Indian Band • Shackan Indian Band • Siska Indian Band • Upper Similkameen Indian Band • Lower Nicola Indian Band • Upper Nicola Band	79,000	British Columbia
	<b>TOTAL - 37 COMMUNITIES</b>	<b>4,090,588 HECTARES</b>	

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## CONSERVATION

### GRANTS

Support collaborative partnerships that involve Indigenous communities, SFI Program Participants and/or non-profit organizations.

DIRECTLY INVESTED

**\$300,000+**

IN INDIGENOUS  
COMMUNITY-LED PROJECTS



SUPPORTING OVER

**\$2 MILLION**

IN LEVERAGED FUNDING



INVOLVING 11+ INDIGENOUS NATION PARTNERS



Cree First Nation of  
**WASWANIDI**



HEILTSUK FIRST NATION

TKEMLUPS



Adams Lake Indian Band



Neskonlith



SIMPCW FIRST NATION  
People of the North Thompson River



Pekuakamiulnuatsh  
Takuhikan



### PROJECTS HAVE SUPPORTED:

- Bridging Elders with Youth through Cultural Heritage Resource Assessments
- Culturally Modified Tree Databases and Management Systems
- Post-Harvest Culturally Significant Plant Regeneration
- Understanding Indigenous Forest Sector Employment Opportunities
- Sustainable Management of Culturally Important Species for Traditional Harvesting

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## COMMUNITY

### OUTLAND YOUTH EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM (OYEP)

SINCE 2018  
PLT CANADA & SFI NETWORKS  
HAVE CONTRIBUTED  
APPROXIMATELY

# \$1.5 MILLION TO OYEP

#### MINK LAKE CAMP (Atikokan, ON)



#### SANDBAR CAMP (Ignace, ON)



#### ESKER LAKES CAMP (Kirkland, ON)



Georgia-Pacific

### CANADIAN COUNCIL FOR ABORIGINAL BUSINESS (CCAB)

PROUDLY SUPPORTING THE  
CCAB'S PROGRESSIVE ABORIGINAL  
RELATIONS PROGRAM

SFI PROGRAM PARTICIPANTS

**MOSAIC**  
FOREST MANAGEMENT

Timberland Manager for TimberWest | ISLAND

BRONZE  
Progressive  
Aboriginal  
RELATIONS



**TOLKO**

Canadian Council for  
Aboriginal Business

**EACOM**  
TIMBER CORPORATION

COMMITTED

#### OYEP WEST CAMP (Prince George, BC)



#### OYEP ALBERTA CAMP (Fort McMurray, AB)



**JULY 2018 MOU ON INDIGENOUS YOUTH OPPORTUNITIES**  
GROW OYEP'S REACH AND LIFE-CHANGING IMPACTS FOR  
INDIGENOUS YOUTH

- Promotes continuous growth and innovation through:
  - Leadership Actions
  - Employment
  - Business Development
  - Community Relationships

### HABITAT FOR HUMANITY

# \$120,000

INVESTED IN FUNDING TO HABITAT FOR HUMANITY PROJECTS THROUGH HUMANITY CANADA'S INDIGENOUS HOUSING PARTNERSHIP

## DONATIONS

OF SUSTAINABLY SOURCED BUILDING PRODUCTS FROM SFI CERTIFIED COMPANIES ACROSS CANADA



J.D. IRVING, LIMITED



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## EDUCATION

SINCE 2018

**300** INDIGENOUS YOUTH PLACED THROUGH GREEN JOBS PROGRAM



FROM OVER

**80** INDIGENOUS NATIONS



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|--------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Algonquins of Pikwanagan | Gull Bay First Nation         |
| Aroland                  | Halfway River First Nation    |
| Attawapiskat             | Keewaywin                     |
| Bearskin Lake            | Lac des Mille Lacs FN         |
| Big Trout                | Lac La Croix First Nation     |
| Brunswick House          | Lac Seul                      |
| Burns Lake Band          | Lake Babine Nation            |
| Cambridge Bay            | Lheidli T'enneh First Nation  |
| Chapleau Cree            | Long Lake #58                 |
| Chemawawin               | Marten Falls                  |
| Constance Lake           | Matachewan                    |
| Cross Lake               | Mattagami                     |
| Deer lake                | McLeod Lake Indian Band       |
| Eabametoong              | Metis Nation of Ontario       |
| Eagle Lake               | Michipicoten                  |
| Esk'etemc First Nation   | Mishkeegogamang               |
| Fort Albany              | Misipawistik Cree Nation      |
| Fort Hope                | Moose Cree                    |
| Fort Nelson              | Nadleh Whuten First Nation    |
| Fort William FN          | Nak'azdli Whuten First Nation |
| Fox Lake Cree Nation     | Neskantaga FN                 |
| Ginoogaming              | Nibinamik First Nation        |
| Gitanmaax First Nation   | Nisichawayasihk Cree Nation   |
| Grassy Narrows           | North Caribou                 |

- Northlands Denesuline FN  
Norway House  
Opaskweeyak Cree Nation  
O-Pipon-Na-Piwin Cree Nation  
Peguis  
Pic Moberg  
Pic River  
Poplar Hill  
Pukatawagan  
Rocky Bay  
Saik'uz First Nation  
Sandy Lake FN  
Saulteau Nation  
Seine River  
Shoal Lake #40  
St. Theresa Point  
Stellaten First Nation  
Takla Lake First Nation  
Temagami First Nation  
Tl'azt'en  
Wabaseemoong  
Weagamow  
Webequie  
West Moberly Lake First Nation

- Wet'soweten  
Whitesand First Nation  
Wikwemikong  
Wunnumin  
Lil'wat\*  
Tsuut'ina\*  
Manitoba Métis Federation\*  
Kaska Dena  
Little Salmon Carmacks FN  
Splitsin First Nation  
Mi'kmaq\*

\*New for 2020

MENTORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

LAUNCHING #MYGREENMENTOR IN 2020

CONNECTING INDIGENOUS YOUTH AND GREEN JOBS PROFESSIONALS

SUPPORT CONTINUED LEARNING AND GROWTH ALONG EACH YOUNG PERSON'S UNIQUE EDUCATION AND CAREER PATHWAY



## GREEN SKILLS TRAINING FOR INDIGENOUS YOUTH

INVESTING **\$50,000** IN 2020

**PROVIDE** INDIGENOUS YOUTH THE TRAINING, SKILLS AND CERTIFICATIONS TO ACHIEVE SUCCESS IN THE GREEN JOBS SECTOR

**FLEXIBILITY** FOR COMMUNITIES TO DESIGN THE TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES THAT BEST MEET THEIR UNIQUE NEEDS

## CONFERENCE SCHOLARSHIPS

### FINANCIAL SUPPORT

FOR YOUTH ATTENDANCE AT PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCE AND EVENTS IN THE FORESTRY, PARKS AND CONSERVATION SECTORS

COVERS TRAVEL, HOTELS, MEALS AND REGISTRATION

SINCE 2019 HAVE SUPPORTED YOUTH FROM **11** INDIGENOUS NATIONS

