

## **Kootenay Region**

September 3, 2024

Dear Sir or Madam:

Canfor is providing an opportunity for tenure holder, user/focus groups, and members of the general public to comment on proposed forest development activities within the East Kootenay operating area. The public participation process is part of Canfor's Forest Stewardship Council (FSC) certification and Public Participation strategy.

The purpose of the public participation strategy is to implement the process of receiving and responding to a wide range of public input to forest planning and provide the information on forestry operations to the local communities. Canfor staff will consider any new information provided through public participation and, where applicable, incorporate improvements to existing environmental, economic, and social performance.

The areas of proposed development are outlined in the attached advertisement. If you would like to review, please contact the appropriate Canfor representative as indicated on the attached notice. Comments received prior to October 11, 2024 will be considered prior to final plan preparation.

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