

Promoting the Understanding
of Sustainable Development

CAPP recognizes the importance of
Alberta Stream Watch as it relates
to CAPP's Stewardship initiative –
a mandatory program that helps
CAPP member companies make
continuous improvement in
environment, health, safety and
socio-economic performance.

As one of its core principles,
Stewardship promotes the
understanding of sustainable
development and the efficient
and wise use of resources.

Conducting development in an
environmentally friendly way
ensures that industry has access
to these remote areas for
years to come.



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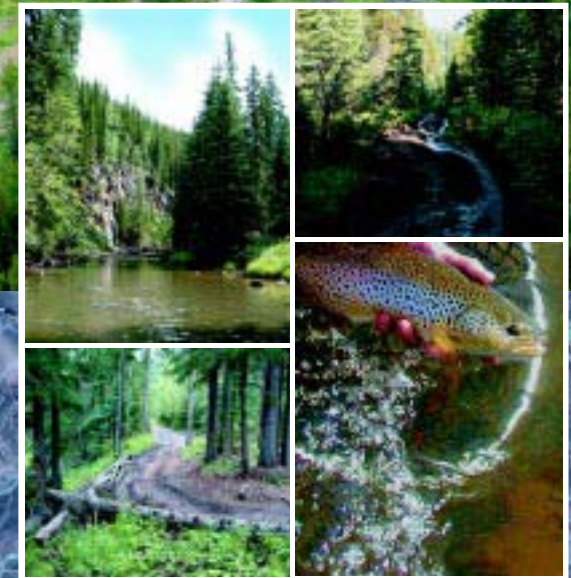
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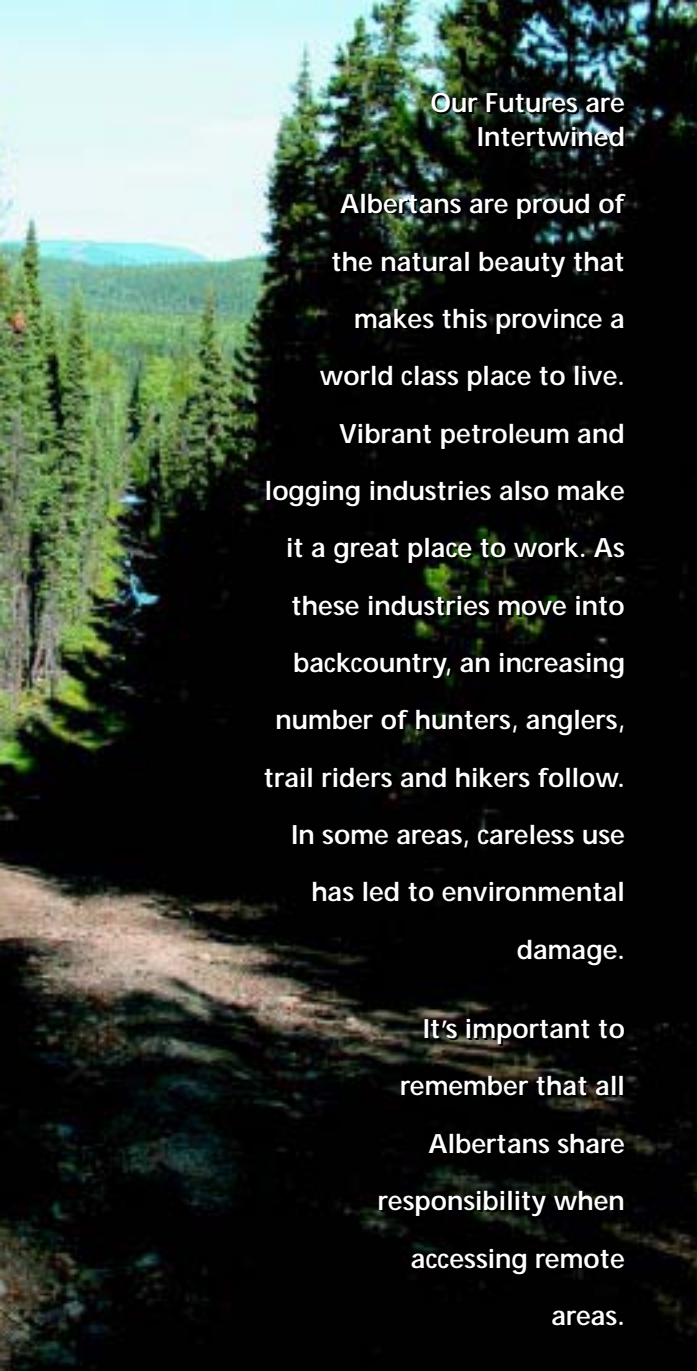
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Responsible Recreational Land Use in Alberta's Backcountry



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Our Futures are Intertwined

Albertans are proud of the natural beauty that makes this province a world class place to live.

Vibrant petroleum and logging industries also make it a great place to work. As these industries move into backcountry, an increasing number of hunters, anglers, trail riders and hikers follow. In some areas, careless use has led to environmental damage.

It's important to remember that all Albertans share responsibility when accessing remote areas.

What You Can Do to Protect and Preserve Alberta Public Lands

- Stay on established trails and obey closed area and trail signage.
- Avoid sensitive and restricted areas, especially wetlands, lake shores, steep stream banks, hills and vegetation.
- Companies have policies that apply to employees on the job. Please follow these policies in spirit when you are off the job.
- Promote parking – walk into sensitive and scenic historic and cultural areas.
- Cross at designated crossings and use bridges when available.
- Industry and volunteer groups are restoring environmental impacts from a variety of factors – respect these efforts.
- Do not litter. Pack out what you packed in.
- Do not chase or harass wildlife or cattle.
- Try to avoid steep hillsides. The ruts can cause irreparable “gully” erosion.
- Travel only where permitted. OHV's and recreational access are restricted on some public land. Make sure to register and insure your OHV.
- Wash your vehicle between uses to prevent transferring weed seeds between areas. Never wash your OHV in a creek, river or lake.

Safe and Responsible Use – We All Have a Part to Play

The Alberta Stream Watch Conservation Coalition is a multi-stakeholder group developed by the Central Alberta Chapter of Trout Unlimited. The program is a cooperative effort between concerned fisherman, Trout Unlimited, industry, fisheries, Alberta Sustainable Resource Development and the Department of Fisheries and Oceans.

The Canadian Association of Petroleum Producers (CAPP) represents 150 companies that explore for, develop and produce oil and natural gas. CAPP supports the Alberta Stream Watch initiative in its efforts to educate industry workers about the responsible use of the backcountry.

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