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Community Forest

ANNUAL REPORT

April 1, 2022 to March 31, 2023



Okininski Fire, South of Francois Lake. 2

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Chinook Comfor Limited Partnership

Corporate Data

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85% First Nation Ownership:

Wet'suwet'en First Nation
Nee Tahi Buhn Band
Skin Tyee First Nation
Cheslatta Carrier Nation
Ts'il Kaz Koh First Nation
Lake Babine Nation

15% Village of Burns Lake & Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako Ownership

Auditors: BDO Canada LLP, Chartered Professional Accountants, Prince George/Burns Lake

Bank: Royal Bank of Canada, New Hazelton Branch

Operations: Ken Nielsen, General Manager

Board of Directors: Cindy Shelford, President – Regional District Area B
Shannon Haizimsque, Vice President - Wet'suwet'en First Nation
Greg Hill, Director - Regional District Area E
Rilla Middleton, Director - Skin Tyee First Nation
James Rakochy, Director - Cheslatta Carrier Nation
Duane Crouse, Director – Lake Babine Nation
Kieran Broderick, Secretary/Treasurer – Nee Tahi Buhn Band
Paul Davidson, Director - Village of Burns Lake
Ryan Tibbett, Director – Ts'il Kaz Koh Burns Lake Band

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Board of Directors

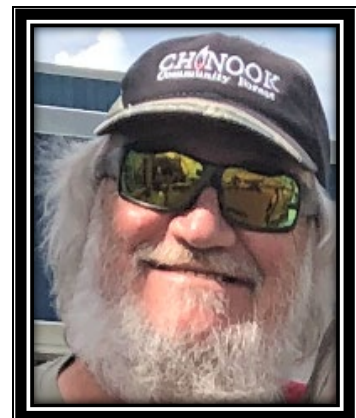
2022/23



Cindy Shelford, President



Shannon Haizimsque, Vice President



Miles Fuller, Director



Rilla Middleton, Director



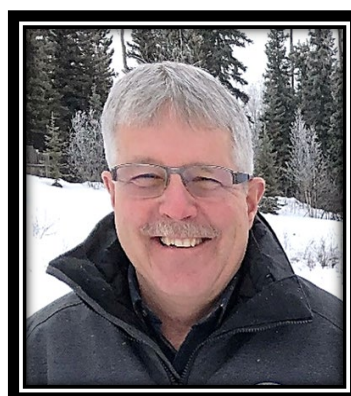
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Duane Crouse, Director



Kieran Broderick, Secretary

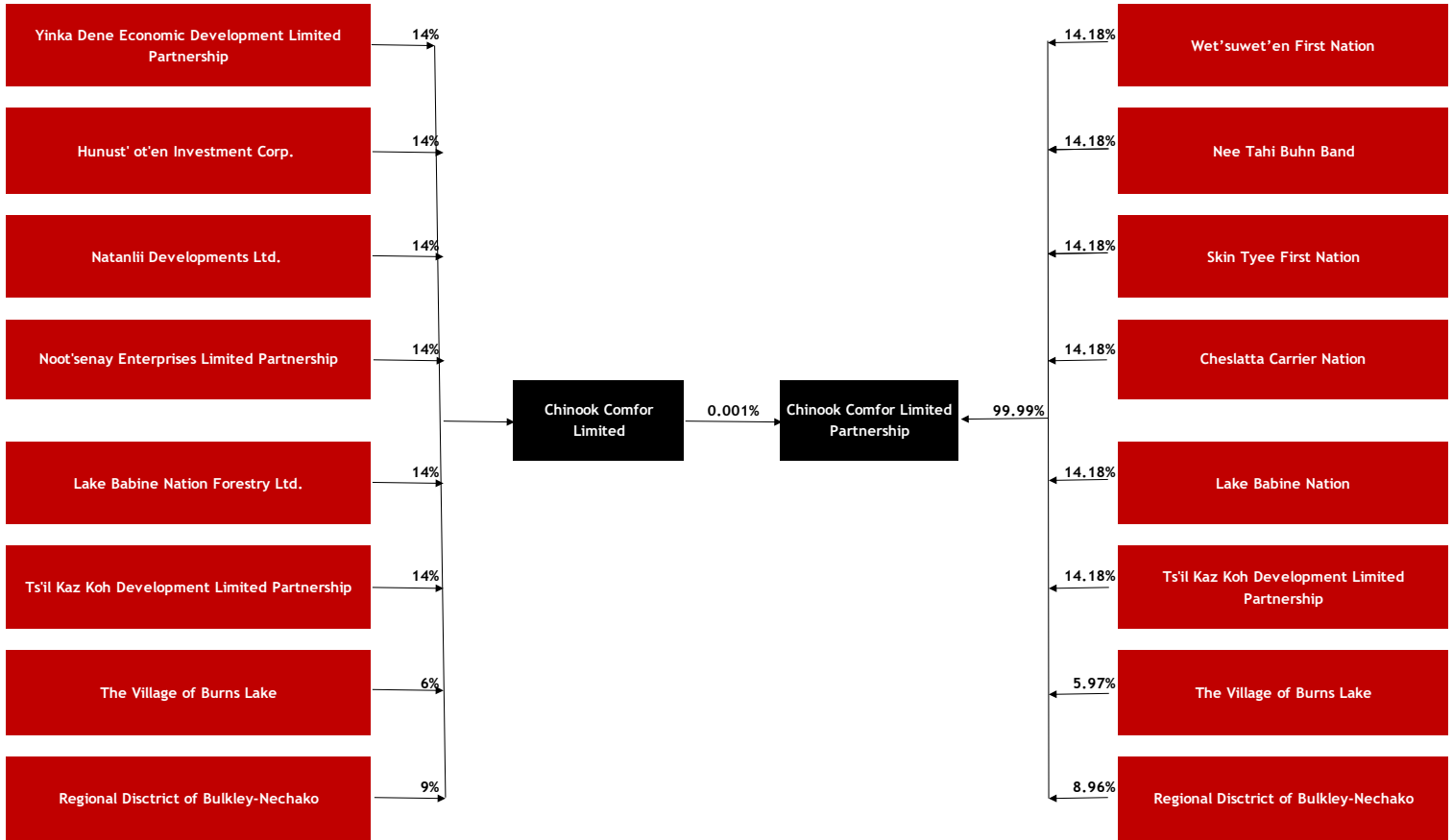


Paul Davidson, Director



Ryan Tibbett, Director

CHINOOK COMFOR LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
ORGANIZATION CHART
March 31, 2022



Name	Common Shares	Percentage of Ownership
Yinka Dene Economic Development Limited Partnership	1,415	14%
Hunust' ot'en Investment Corp.	1,415	14%
Natanlii Developments Ltd.	1,415	14%
Noot'senay Enterprises Limited Partnership	1,415	14%
Lake Babine Nation Forestry Ltd.	1,415	14%
Ts'il Kaz Koh Development Limited Partnership	1,415	14%
The Village of Burns Lake	596	6%
Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako	894	9%
	9,980	100%

Name	Percent of Profit Distributed	Amount
Wet'suwet'en First Nation		\$141,800.00
Nee Tahi Buhn Band		\$141,800.00
Skin Tye Nation		\$141,800.00
Cheslatta Carrier Nation		\$141,800.00
Lake Babine Nation		\$141,800.00
Ts'il Kaz Koh Development Limited Partnership		\$141,800.00
The Village of Burns Lake		\$59,700.00
Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako		\$89,600.00
		1,000,100.00

Name	Units	Percentage of Ownership
Wet'suwet'en First Nation	1,415	14.18%
Nee Tahi Buhn Band	1,415	14.18%
Skin Tye First Nation	1,415	14.18%
Cheslatta Carrier Nation	1,415	14.18%
Lake Babine Nation	1,415	14.18%
Ts'il Kaz Koh Development Corporation	1,415	14.18%
The Village of Burns Lake	596	5.97%
Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako	894	8.96%
Chinook Comfor Ltd.	1	0.01%
	9,981	100%



Mission Statement

Chinook Comfor Ltd is committed to managing our renewable resource by collaborating to build community capacity. We will achieve this by creating self reliance through long term environmental sustainability for economic and social growth.

Vision Statement

Chinook Comfor Ltd. will be a leader in forest practice management, social values and economic development.

Value Statement

With our shareholders and our community forest, we live these values:

- 1) We accept responsibility for our actions. We make and support business decisions through experience and good judgement.
- 2) We recognize the importance of diversity. We are committed to making sure that everyone we interact with is treated fairly, with respect and dignity.
- 3) We will build open and honest relationships with communication.
- 4) We will pursue growth and learning.
- 5) We will deliver our best in all we do.
- 6) We will respect all individuals and value their contributions.
- 7) We will base all our decision making on what is best for our community.



Guiding Principles

Chinook's guiding principles are as follows:

1. Maintain community involvement which is represented by a local Board of Directors derived of First Nations and local government representatives.
2. Ensure forest resources are managed in a manner that is environmentally sustainable for the long-term
3. Maintain and enhance a high standard of environmental stewardship through innovative avenues of land base management.
4. Practice forest management that applies a balanced use of land base resources.
5. Encourage local job creation and sustainability with increased quality of life within the community.
6. Initiate and sustain partnerships between Chinook, First Nations, and the community at large.
7. Generate revenue that is sustainable over the long-term for the benefits of current and future generations.
8. Maintain and enhance current recreational sites and features in the Chinook area.
9. Be transparent in all activities.



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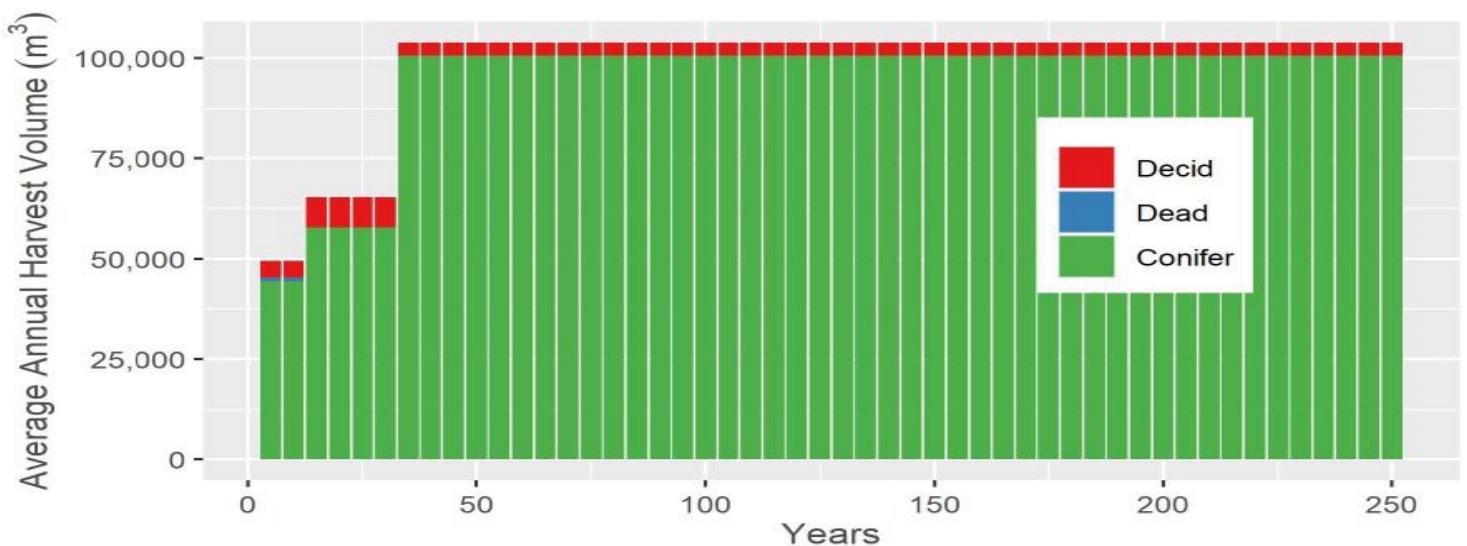
General Manager's Report

On behalf of the Board of Directors, I am pleased to present this report regarding the activities and operations of Chinook Comfor Limited Partnership for the fiscal year of April 1, 2022, to March 31, 2023.

The 2022-23 fiscal year started off with a very successful spring planting, followed by a very wet spring into summer. This contributed greatly to the prevention of Wildfires within the Lakes Timber Supply Area and the Chinook Community Forest tenure area. With all the much needed and welcomed moisture, it also comes with operational issues for harvesting. Some of Chinooks fire salvage plans had to be pushed into the fall.



Through the summer and into winter Chinook started engaging with Tenures Branch on Chinooks Annual Allowable Cut determination (AAC) and Management Plan to support Chinooks (AAC) determination. This was a very lengthy process as no other Licence's has ever used LiDAR and HRIS for inventory purposes. Once the (AAC) determination is approved by the Regional Executive Director (RED), Chinook will have a 45,000/m³ of green cut with a proportion of 20,000/m³ of dead/fire salvage for a total of 65,000/m³ per year for the next ten years. Chinook Community Forest is the first licence to use and have approved (AAC) determination using LiDAR/HRIS in the province.



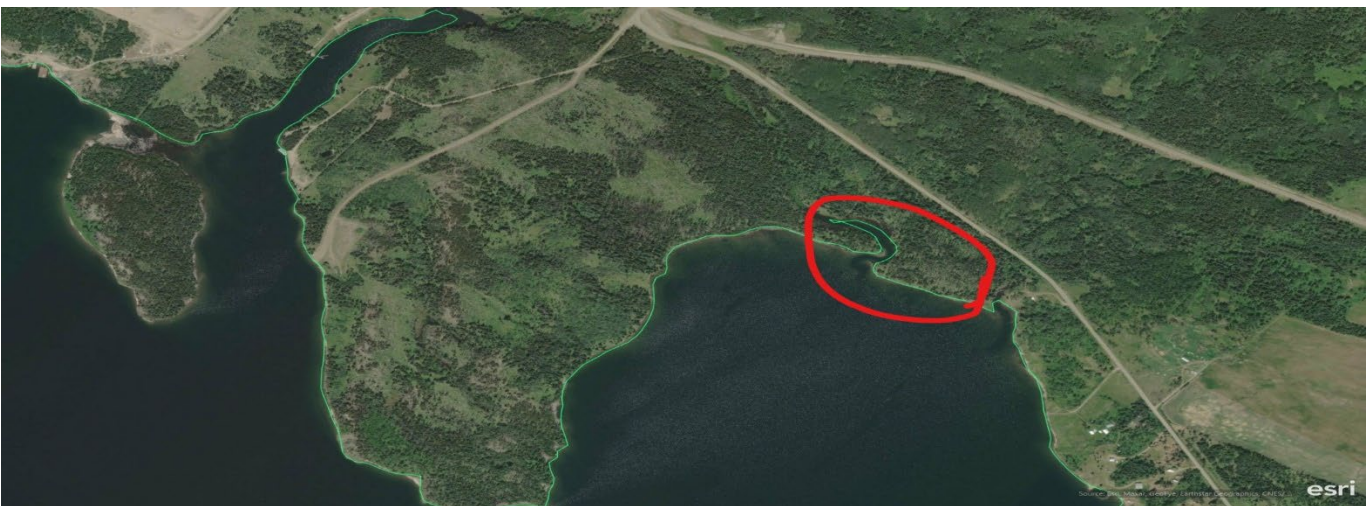
Chinook delivered 72,038 m³ to Babine Forest Products, Decker Lake Forest Products and Pinnacle Pellet. Of this 72,038 m³, 42,000/m³ was burnt salvage wood from our CP 504 fire salvage permit. Chinook continues to find ways of salvaging fire impacted stands, whether through cutting permits, Forest for Tomorrow (FFT) or Forest Enhancement Society of BC.

Chinook started Wildfire Risk Reduction (WRR) on two treatment units (TU) on the southside of Francois Lake around Indian Bay and Hamre. With a third (TU) to begin mid summer around Danskin. These (TU) consist of 3 activity types, small clear cuts, selective harvest, and hand spacing/pruning. Between all 3 (TU) we will reduce the risk to approximately 200 hectares.



Chinook has also completed Wildfire Risk Reduction prescriptions on the southside around Tayksie Lake and the Keefe's Landing Road. We also completed 900 hectares of recce's to develop Wildfire Risk Reduction prescriptions around Broman Lake, Rose Lake and Sheraton Communities.

The fall of 2022 Chinook broke ground on a new Recreation site on Ootsa Lake. We were able to get the road system in and graveled, roughed out camp site before the weather shut us down. With this unprecedented warm spring we have been able to get an early start on the completion of the site, expected grand opening is scheduled for September long weekend.



Chinook consists of the following five areas within the Lakes Timber Supply Area:

1) Babine West	31,034 hectares
2) Babine Lake East	8,876 hectares
3) Maxan/Bulkley	11,948 hectares
4) Burns Lake East	9,984 hectares
5) South Francois Lake	68,402 hectares
Total Land Base	130,244 hectares
Timber Harvesting Land Base	66,272 hectares
Annual Allowable Cut (AAC)	65,000 m ³
Five-Year-Cut Control	325,000 m ³
Harvested	152,822 m ³





Chinook to Date

Silviculture:

2017-2022

ACTUAL	Douglas Fir	Pine	Larch	Spruce
5,383,545	508,980	1,954,680	331,612	2,587,115

2023 Planned

Estimate	Douglas Fir	Pine	Larch	Spruce
1,125,023	117,795	386,808	183,514	436,906

2021-22 Chinook Has Harvested 220,764 m3 of its 325,000 m3 5 Year Cut Control Timber

Forestry Operations	Logging	\$17,448,427
	Trucking	\$10,253,343
	Silviculture	\$2,882,088
	Consultants	\$1,210,019
	Block Layout	\$1,909,486
	Total	\$33,703,363 Directly back into the community
	First Nations Contracts	\$2,386,899
	Crown-Stumpage/Annual Rent	\$1,435,602
	Cash Payments to Unit Holders	\$2,132,527.71



President and Committee Reports

President's Report

I have been serving as President, Chairing the Board for two years now and enjoying it very much. After the 2022 AGM we had one new director join us, and I am happy to say the new Director has become an integral part of the group. Chinook Board of Directors have band together as a cohesive group moving Chinook forward through these unprecedented times. I am extremely pleased with all the work our Committees perform to streamline operations.

I would like to thank our Manager and the Board of Directors for their dedication and commitment to Chinook Community Forest especially over the last couple years with the challenges we have faced and for allowing me to lead the Chinook Board as their President.

Cindy Shelford, President

Governance Committee

The Governance Committee, consisting of 3 directors, Cindy Shelford, Shannon Haizimsque and Paul Davidson. Chinook has solid Policies in place that govern how CCF conducts their business and for our Manager to follow. The Board strives for transparency and the Policies that are in place are easily accessible for all unit holders. The Governance document is also a good tool for any perspective Directors. The Governance Committee has also conducted a yearly review of each of our Policies and have made appropriate changes with Board approvals. The Governance Committee requests that the Executive Committee do an Annual Performance Review of our General Manager. We also conduct a Self-Evaluation Review of the Board as a means to ensure that the Board is fulfilling their duties & responsibilities to the organization.

Cindy Shelford, Chair

Operations Committee

Operation Committee consist of 4 Directors, President Cindy Shelford, Director Miles Fuller, Director Duane Crouse, Director Rilla Middleton and General Manager Ken Nielsen. The Committee meets once a month or as needed to discuss any operational concerns with any ongoing forest health and sustainability practices. Focus of the Committee is to ensure that the Board is informed and aware of any issues to consider when conducting sound forest management decisions and harvesting & silviculture operations.

Ken Nielsen, Chair

Donations Committee Report

The Donations Committee is comprised of four Board Directors, Duane Crouse, Kieran Broderick, Shannon Haizimsque and Cindy Shelford. Our General Manager, Ken Nielsen also participates on the Committee. The Board carefully reviews our Donations Policy to ensure that we are being fair to all our communities. It is always a challenge to construct policy that fits within Chinook's guiding Mission and Vision Statements and serves the communities well. With limited funds, we continue to scrutinize our policy so that if we must decline an application, we have sound policy in place. In the last fiscal year, Chinook Community Forest donated

\$99,769.86 to 20 groups in the Lakes Timber Supply Area.

Cindy Shelford, Chair

Finance Committee

Finance Committee consists of 2 Directors, Duane Crouse, and Kieran Broderick. Our General Manager, Ken Nielsen also participates on the Committee. The Finance Committee meets quarterly to review expenses compared to projected Budget. The Committee also reviews and recommends Audited Financials to the Chinook Board of Directors for approval.

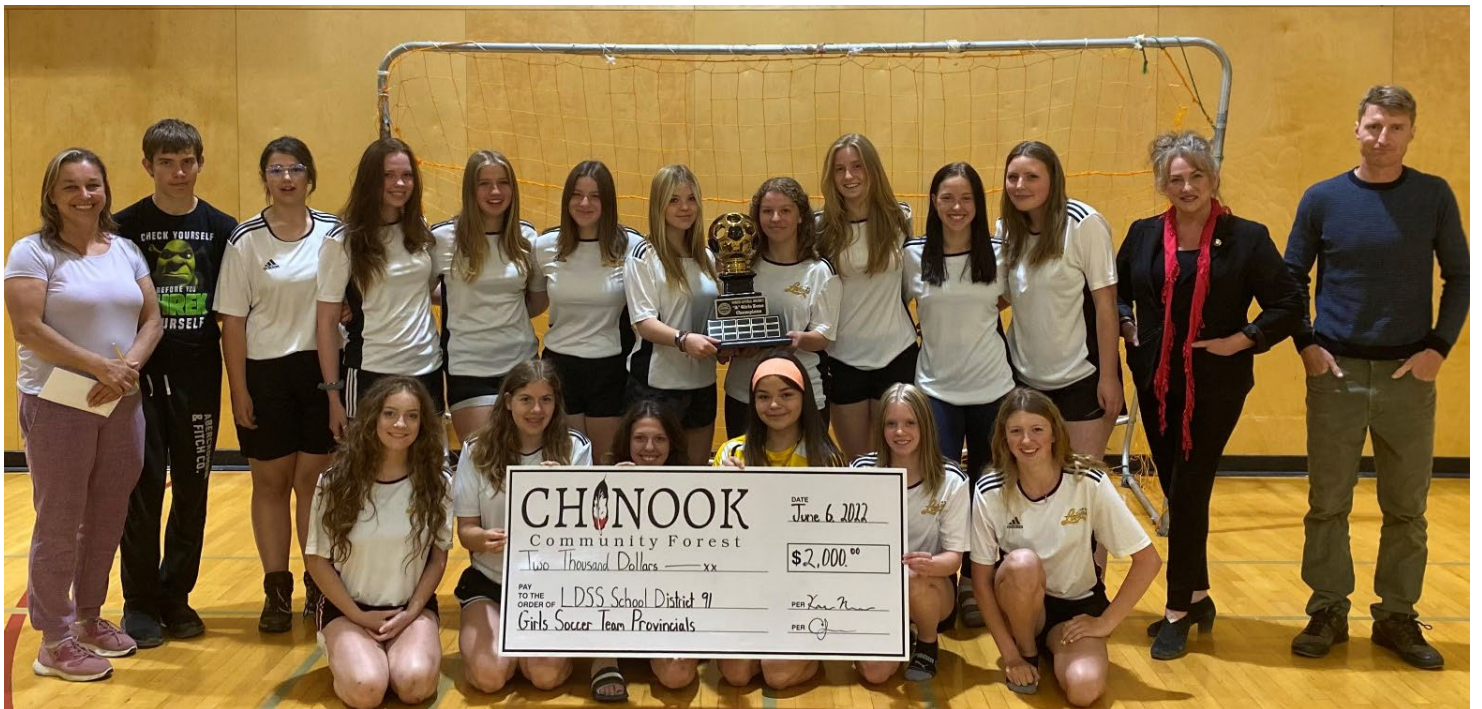
Kieran Broderick, Chair



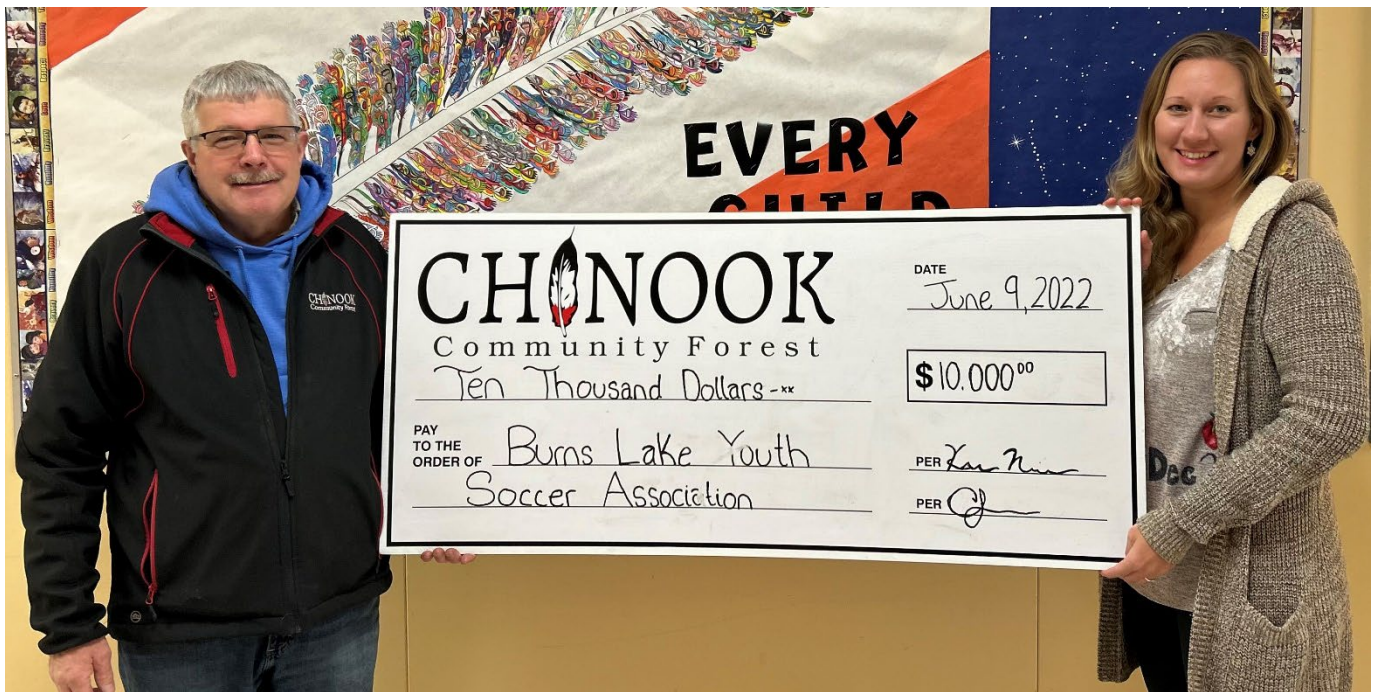
DONATIONS

April 1, 2022 - March 31, 2023

Date	Donated to:	Reason:	Amount:	\$100,000.00
May 5/22	Lakes District Secondary School	Dry Grad 2022	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 99,000.00
May 10/22	Byron Klassen	Grassy Plains Gospel Cemetery Improvements	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 98,000.00
May 22/22	Burns Lake Public Library	Jul 2022 Calendar Raffle Fundraiser	\$ 100.00	\$ 97,900.00
June 2/22	Lakes District Secondary School	Girls Soccer Team - Provincials	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 95,900.00
June 9/22	BLNDC	Indigenous Day	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 85,900.00
June 9/22	Burns Lake Youth Soccer Association	Promotion of Burns Lake Youth Soccer	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 75,900.00
July 15/22	Cheslatta Carrier Nation	Cultural Camp Support	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 74,900.00
July 15/22	Lakes District Fall Fair	Upgrades to Fairgrounds	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 64,900.00
July 31/22	Lake Babine Nation	Fishing Derby Gift Card	\$ 500.00	\$ 64,400.00
July 31/22	Skin Tyee Campout	Wood's and Water, Blu Jays Sports, Home Hardware	\$ 596.94	\$ 63,803.06
Aug 10/22	Tara Williams	Diva's Golf Tournament	\$ 500.00	\$ 63,303.06
Step 22/22	Burns Lake Basket Ball Association	Start up costs	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 58,303.06
Sept 22/22	Burns Lake Minor Hockey Association	Dynasty Sponsorship Package	\$ 9,000.00	\$ 49,303.06
Sept 22/22	Northwest District MHA	U18 Sponsorship	\$ 6,850.00	\$ 42,453.06
Oct 20/22	Ashcroft & Company	Paid on behalf of Dictin Forestry	\$ 436.89	\$ 42,016.17
Oct 31/22	Spirit North	Bike Equipment Donation	\$ 4,552.96	\$ 37,463.21
Oct 31/22	Burns Lake Search and Rescue	Base Development Donation	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 27,463.21
Oct 31/22	Grassy Plains Elementary School	Skiing for School Donation	\$ 800.00	\$ 26,663.21
Oct 31/22	Burns Lake Firefighter Association	50th Community Bonspiel Sponsorship	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 24,663.21
Oct 31/22	Burns Lake Timbermen Junior A Community Committee	Junior A Timbermen Sponsorship	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 22,663.21
Nov 11/22	Arrow Lakes Cariboo Society	Help with monitoring Cariboo during Calving Season	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 21,663.21
Nov 24/22	Burns Lake & District Chamber of Commerce	Candy Sponsorship for free matinee	\$ 500.00	\$ 21,163.21
Dec 1/22	Wet'suwet'en First Nation	2022 Christmas Events	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 20,163.21
Jan 27/23	Village of Burns Lake	Tuesday night Rec League	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 18,163.21
Jan 27/23	Lakes District Secondary School	Grad Class 2023	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 16,663.21
Jan 27/23	Lakes District Family Enhancement Society	Food security within the Lakes District - The Link	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 6,663.21
Feb 6/23	Omineca Ski Club	G2 Groomer	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 1,663.21
Feb 6/23	Francois Lake Elementary School	Buses and Ski Lessons	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 663.21
Feb 6/23	Burns Lake Aboriginal Youth Sports	PG Aboriginal Youth Hockey Championship - March 2023	\$ 8,164.00	-\$ 7,500.79
Feb 14/23	Lakes District Pony Club	Testing in Terrace	\$ 1,800.00	-\$ 9,300.79
Feb 14/23	Burns Lake Aboriginal Youth Sports	Youth Tournament in Prince George	\$ 3,000.00	-\$ 12,300.79
Feb 14/23	Eagle Creek Recreation Commission	Summer Extrvaganza	\$ 1,000.00	-\$ 13,300.79
Total:			\$ 113,300.79	









Supporting the Lakes District Community since 2016



Chinook Annual Open House/BBQ





Grassy Plains School Forestry Day with Chinook Community Forest!

Students at the new Ootsa Lake Rec Site!





Ootsa Lake Rec Site



Chinook Comfor Ltd. is committed to managing our renewable resource by collaborating to build community capacity. We will achieve this by creating self reliance through long-term environmental sustainability for economic and social growth.

SAFETY: Safety will be the highest priority for Chinook, its directors, contractors, and consultants.

Community Forest Agreement K4R Licence	British Columbia Community Forest Association Indicator	Province of B.C. Goals of the Community Forest Program	Management Plan Commitments
Identify areas of high wildfire risk within the Community Wildfire Protection Plan and create a plan to mitigate issues	#14 Forest Worker Safety	Advocate forest safety	<p>Hire Forest Safety Council certified contractors and/or contractors that become registered and in the process of becoming safe certified. All contractors will be registered by the end of 5 years from the license issue date.</p> <p>Host an annual community wildfire smart and safety initiative to encourage and enable wildfire mitigation efforts.</p> <p>Hold an annual safety meeting, seminar or training with all its active contractors and workers which will include safety training opportunities.</p> <p>Maintain a high standard of safety so that operations are conducted in a safe manner for the benefit of forest workers and forest users.</p> <p>Ensure the protection and safety of people and property through wildfire management.</p> <p>Prioritize fuel reduction strategies and harvest priorities across the CFA area by identifying fuel loaded sites</p> <p>Ensure the safety of the public is encompassed in the maintenance activities.</p> <p>Explore opportunities to harvest within scenic areas if it poses a threat and risk to public safety or infrastructure because of wildfire hazards and risks such as dead timber causing increased fuel loading.</p>

Chinook Comfor Limited Partnership ensures all activities on the community forest are undertaken in a safe and secure manner. Zero time was lost due to accidents for directors and contractors this reporting period. Chinook has also completed a 3 year audit review for safe company certification.

INNOVATIVE: Chinook Comfor Limited Partnership will pursue growth and learning.

Community Forest Agreement K4R Licence	British Columbia Community Forest Association Indicator	Province of B.C. Goals of the Community Forest Program	Management Plan Commitments
<p>Complete at least three studies or research papers suitable for publishing in a professional journal in the area of botanical forest products, fish and fisheries; riparian issues and assessments; climate change, wildlife ecology and population dynamics and other related topics.</p> <p>Complete a LiDAR inventory of the agreement area and then update the inventory by the same or improved method every ten years.</p>	<p>#2 Total Economic Activity</p> <p>#6: Distribution of Log Sales</p> <p>#8 Economic Diversification</p> <p>#16: Management of Sensitive Areas</p> <p>#17 Forest Stewardship</p>	Foster innovation.	<p>Sponsor an innovation award through the Burns Lake & District Chamber of Commerce.</p> <p>Generate revenues through a financially viable business model.</p> <p>Collaborate with persons and other resource groups and stakeholders within the community forest area.</p> <p>Encourage and initiate innovative forest practices which can help sustain and/or increase the AAC over the long-term.</p> <p>Establish a sufficient number of new plots over the next five years, which will support a statistically sound sampling program.</p> <p>Continue research on the potential for NTFPs and products and its economic viability.</p> <p>Continue to be a member of the British Columbia Community Forest Association.</p> <p>Post completed studies/research papers on the company website and notify the public that this information is available in the newspaper.</p> <p>Use LiDAR data to aid in planning of timber and non-timber values.</p>

Chinook Comfor Limited Partnership, over the 2021-22 season Chinook completed Version 2 of the K4R Stewardship Plan with integrated stocking standards for Wildfire Mitigation. Chinook held 4 open houses over the year for Wildfire Mitigation on a Southside Tactical Plan.

INTERGRATED USE: Chinook Comfor Limited Partnership will strive to consider and incorporate other forest uses within the community forest area while conducting its activities. We will respect all individuals, value their contributions, and base all our decision making on what is best for our community.

Community Forest Agreement K4R Licence	British Columbia Community Forest Association Indicator	Province of B.C. Goals of the Community Forest Program	Management Plan Commitments
<p>Create a Recreation Plan and maintain the ministry established recreation sites within the Community Forest Agreement. Improve or create at least three recreational sites during the first five-year term.</p> <p>Complete an access management plan describing the roads within the cf including their accessibility to different types of vehicles, the condition and maintenance level of the road, and any restriction on use by members of the public.</p>	<p>#9: Community Accountability</p> <p>#10: Public Engagement</p> <p>#12: Investments in Recreation</p>	<p>Promote community involvement and participation.</p>	<p>Practice forest management that applies a balanced use of land base resources.</p> <p>Maintain and enhance current recreational sites and features in the Chinook area.</p> <p>Complete an access management plan, updated annually, within the first 5 years (through FN consultation and public input) for the community forest area to achieve a range of values.</p> <p>Become a member of the Chamber of Commerce and will fund advertising on the incredible outdoor opportunities we have in Burns Lake area.</p> <p>Ensure that First Nation cultural heritage resources are maintained and conserved.</p> <p>Focus on the balance of social and economic factors that provide diversification for resource uses.</p> <p>Coordinate forest resource use to minimize conflicts with timber harvesting activities</p> <p>Work with and come to an understanding with other tenures holders if and when Chinook's timber development overlaps with other tenures.</p> <p>Developed a recreation plan and identify recreation sites in cooperation with the Nadina-Skeena District of Recreation Sites and Trails BC and Ministry of Forests, Lands and Natural Resource Operations.</p> <p>Manage the roads within the CFA area under road permit and continue to provide the public with safe and easy access within the tenure area.</p> <p>Develop an access management plan within the first five year term of the license.</p>

Chinook Comfor Limited Partnership will support the Lakes Outdoor Recreation Society by funding recreation site maintenance. Chinook continues to support the Burns Lake Chamber of Commerce. Fall of 2022 Chinook started implementing the construction of a new Ootsa Lake Recreation Site, this is expected to be completed summer of 2023.

ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARDSHIP: Chinook Comfor Limited Partnership will incorporate sound science-based information recommendations in its forest management activities.

Community Forest Agreement K4R Licence	British Columbia Community Forest Association Indicator	Province of B.C. Goals of the Community Forest Program	Management Plan Commitments
<p>Submit a management plan annually that is available for the public to view at the Ministry District Office.</p>	<p>#17: Forest Stewardship</p> <p>#18 Compliance with Environmental Standards.</p>	<p>Undertake community forestry consistent with sound principles of</p>	<p>Maintain and enhance a high standard of environmental stewardship through innovative avenues of landbase management.</p> <p>Ensure forest resources are managed in a manner that is environmentally sustainable for the long term.</p> <p>Promote sustainable harvest practices that are consistent with legislation.</p> <p>Be consistent with forestry legislation and with higher level plans under FRPA.</p> <p>Be consistent with the results and strategies listed in FPPR Section 35 and 36 for soil disturbance, permanent access structures and rehabilitation strategies.</p> <p>Minimize the effects of forest activities that may have detrimental impacts on the quantity, quality and/or timing of flow of water supplies to water users.</p> <p>Conduct silviculture surveys to determine forest health, stand densities and species are reasonably meeting the reforestation obligations under the FSP and FRPA.</p>

Chinook has completed its Gen 2 Forest Stewardship Plan 2022-2027. Chinook is currently in its Annual Allowable Cut determination supported by our Gen 2 management plan. Chinook is at the Lakes Resiliency Planning table to help change policy/regulation on forest management within the Lakes Timber Supply Area.

PUBLIC CONSULTATION: The First Nations, province, local governments, stakeholders, and community will be consulted regarding proposed activities within the community forest area. We will build open and honest relationships with communication. We recognize the importance of diversity. We are committed to making sure that everyone we interact with is treated fairly, with respect and dignity.

Community Forest Agreement K4R Licence	British Columbia Community Forest Association Indicator	Province of B.C. Goals of the Community Forest Program	Management Plan Commitments
Submit a management plan annually that is available for the public to view at the Ministry District Office.	# 15: First Nations Involvement # 10: Public Engagement #9: Community Accountability	Promote community involvement and participation. Promote communication and strengthen relationships between Aboriginal and non-Aboriginal communities and persons.	Initiate and sustain partnerships between Chinook, First Nations, and the community at large. Be transparent in all activities. Provide opportunities for meaningful public involvement. Practice open dialogue with the community on resource management. Collaborate with persons and other resource groups and stakeholders within the CFA. Consult with First Nation elders on what is important to their cultural heritage and develop research/surveys around what they would like to see. Share information with tenure holders during the planning stage and prior to harvesting to minimize the impact of operation on these tenures Produce an annual report in its 1st year of active operations. Hold at least one annual general meeting or open house for the public each calendar year and will have an open door policy on any inquires relating to the CFA. Strive to identify and consult with persons using the agreement area for purposes other than timber production and harvesting of prescribed products Follow the First Nations information sharing requirements and processes.

The Board of Directors currently has one member of each the Burns Lake Band, Wet'suwet'en First Nations, Nee Tahi Buhn Band, Skin Tyee First Nation, Lake Babine Nation, Cheslatta Carrier Nation, and Village of Burns Lake, as well as two members of the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako. Chinook Comfor Limited Partnership launched a new website and Facebook page in 2017, as well a mall bulletin board. Chinook hosts an Annual Open House to provide operational updates to the community.

BENEFITS TO THE PROVINCE, VILLAGE, FIRST NATIONS, AND RESIDENTS: Chinook will be a leader in forest practice management, social values and economic development. Taxes, royalties, rents, disbursements, donations, and other benefits will be distributed to the province, local government, shareholders, stakeholders, and the community from the profits generated from the community forest. Goods, labour, and services will be sourced from the local area to the extent it is available and cost effective to do so. We will deliver our best in all we do.

Community Forest Agreement K4R Licence	British Columbia Community Forest Association Indicator	Province of B.C. Goals of the Community Forest Program	Management Plan Commitments
Provide economic prosperity, local management over a portion of the provincial forest and greater community control and management of crown land and community interface areas to the residents in the Lakes Timber Supply Area.	# 1 Number of Jobs #3 Community Contributions # 4 Funds leveraged by community forest contributions. # 11: Investments in education.	Promote communication and strengthen relationships between Aboriginal and non-Aboriginal communities and persons. Promote community involvement and participation.	Encourage local job creation and sustainability with increased quality of life within the community. Generate revenue that is sustainable over the long-term for the benefits of current and future generations. Support local businesses and build capacity locally for long term sustainability of the community. Sustain the current forestry sector in Burns Lake which provides the economic stability for the local community. Support local businesses with the expertise in resource management. Promote First Nations and local government relations through economic development opportunities. Provide long-term opportunities for achieving a range of community objectives, values and priorities. Provide an opportunity for grant funding for local groups and organizations. The funds will be derived from a dollar value per cubic meter of log sales. Facilitate education and training through funding for local forestry programs such as Project Forest Management and National Forestry Week.

The Ts'il Kaz Koh First Nation, Wet'suwet'en First Nation, Nee Tahi Buhn Band, Skin Tye First Nation, Lake Babine Nation, and Cheslatta Carrier Nation will each receive **\$141,800.00** from this fiscal year's net income. The Village of Burns Lake receives **\$59,700.00** and the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako receives **\$89,600.00**. Chinook Comfor Limited Partnership created three \$1,000 scholarships for LDSS students and provided **\$416,032.00** in stumpage revenue to the government. The Board of Directors established its Donation Policy 2017-01-01 and donated **\$109,918.00** last fiscal.

