

Forestry and Parks Forestry Division Forest Stewardship and Trade Branch

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To: All FMA and Quota Holders

Re: <u>Deciduous Pulp Dues Rates for the Period December 1 to December 31, 2023</u>

This letter provides notice of Crown Timber and Forest Resource Improvement Association of Alberta (FRIAA) dues for deciduous pulpwood as established in the Timber Management Regulation and the Forest Resources Improvement Regulation.

Please submit your timber returns for the period December 1 to December 31, 2023, using the following rates:

	General Rate of Dues for Deciduous Timber used to make Pulp (\$/m³)
Crown Timber Dues	1.00
FRIAA Dues	0.19
Total Dues	1.19

These rates have been calculated in accordance with the Timber Management Regulation and the Forest Resources Improvement Regulation.

For payment of FRIAA dues make your cheques payable to the Forest Resource Improvement Association of Alberta. This payment is to be mailed to:

Forest Resource Improvement Association of Alberta Box 11094, Main Post Office Edmonton, Alberta T5J 3K4

The **Crown Timber Dues** are payable to the **Government of Alberta**. Please be sure only to pay the net timber dues to the Government of Alberta. For the month of December 2023, these net timber dues are **\$1.00** per cubic meter. These payments may be made by sending your cheque and timber return to:

Forestry and Parks 9945 - 108 Street Edmonton, Alberta T5K 2G6 The following table is provided for your information. It shows the historical summary of the Crown Timber dues and FRIAA dues since November 2022.

Month	Net Crown Dues (\$/m³)	Net FRIAA Dues (\$/m³)	Total Dues (\$/m³)
Nov-22	8.87	5.44	14.31
Dec-22	8.23	5.01	13.24
Jan-23	8.23	5.01	13.24
Feb-23	7.27	4.37	11.64
Mar-23	6.87	4.11	10.98
Apr-23	6.19	3.65	9.84
May-23	3.69	1.99	5.68
Jun-23	2.68	1.31	3.99
Jul-23	1.32	0.40	1.72
Aug-23	0.82	0.07	0.89
Sep-23	0.26	0.00	0.26
Oct-23	0.26	0.00	0.26
Nov-23	0.65	0.00	0.65

If you have any questions or concerns, please call Shane Neigel at 780-644-9730.

Original signed by:

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