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Time sensitive message, please have a look today.

You are receiving this email because the Nova Scotia Forest Industry needs your help and you are a valued supplier and/or friend of Elmsdale Lumber Company Limited.

Northern Pulp's new \$350 million plan is to rebuild and reopen their plant and make it one of the most environmentally friendly pulp mills in the world. 50% of the woodfibre in our Nova Scotia forests is low quality and not suitable for lumber. This wood needs to be removed during harvesting to make room for higher quality trees to grow. Currently, our industry has a very limited market for pulpwood and if Northern Pulp reopens, they will once again reopen a feasible pulp market.

Nova Scotia needs a strong healthy forest industry, but we also need to be environmentally responsible. Northern Pulp must pass a Class 2 environmental assessment (the most stringent in the country). We are asking our government to set clear objectives and timelines in their terms of reference, something the previous government failed to provide Northern Pulp.

The extremists are spreading rumors and telling mistruths. This time we want science to rule the day. We are requesting the government appoint an unbiased, independent panel of experts to review the Environmental Assessment report.

Attached is a support letter. I would like you and any of you staff who might be willing to help us to fill out the upper section of the letter and sign it. Please scan your signed letter and email it to [gennie@elmsdalelumber.ca](mailto:gennie@elmsdalelumber.ca). We will forward it to the Nova Scotia Department of Environment on your behalf, on or before the January 31st, 2022 due date. You will not be contacted.

I sincerely thank you in advance for supporting the Nova Scotia Forest Industry. For more information visit The Friends of the New Northern Pulp website at: [friendsofnewnp.ca](http://friendsofnewnp.ca)

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