

# Ten reasons why you should support pipelines

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## To protect the environment

Transporting oil by pipeline is safer than other methods.

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## To reduce greenhouse gas emissions

Transporting oil by pipeline generates less greenhouse gas emissions than other means.

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## To create thousands of jobs for Canadians

Pipelines provide thousands of jobs for Canadians.

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## To generate billions in economic benefits

The economic benefits of pipeline development and operation are significant.

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## To provide billions of dollars to local, provincial and federal treasuries

Pipeline projects provide billions of dollars in tax revenue.

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## To eliminate oil imports from countries like Saudi Arabia

Sufficient pipeline capacity in Canada would mean we no longer have to import oil from such countries.

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## To ensure energy security for Canada

Sufficient access to energy resources is an important component of national security.

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## To ensure access to a fair market price for our oil

Canada currently sells its oil at a discounted price because we do not have sufficient pipeline capacity.

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## To stimulate economic growth without government debt

Pipelines generate significant economic benefits without requiring government money.

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## To facilitate renewable energy research and development

Pipelines help ensure a strong economy which enables ongoing investments into renewable energy.