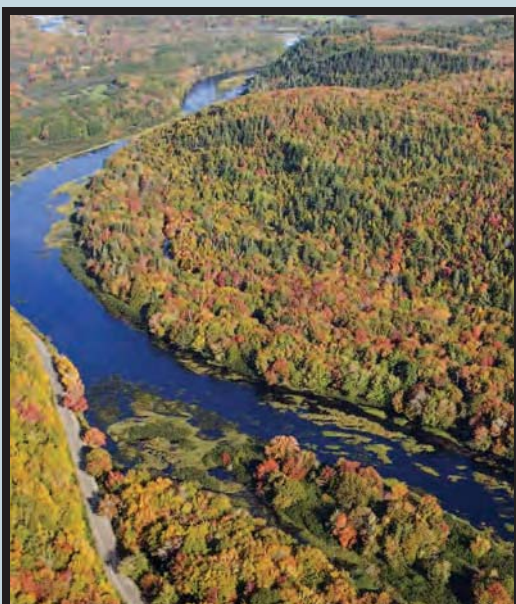


Canada's spectacular landscapes, extensive natural resources, famous recreation, fascinating history and culture, and friendly people draw visitors from all over the world.

Some visitors are so enamored with the country that they acquire properties in Canada's most scenic, historic and ecologically important areas.

Canadian conservation organizations have found foreign ownership to be a serious obstacle to strategic, landscape-level action. The majority of non-Canadian landowners are from the United States. Many truly treasure their Canadian properties and would like to protect them in perpetuity. However, until recently, U.S. and Canadian tax laws created enormous financial disincentives that stymied the intentions of even the most generous and conservation-oriented landowners.



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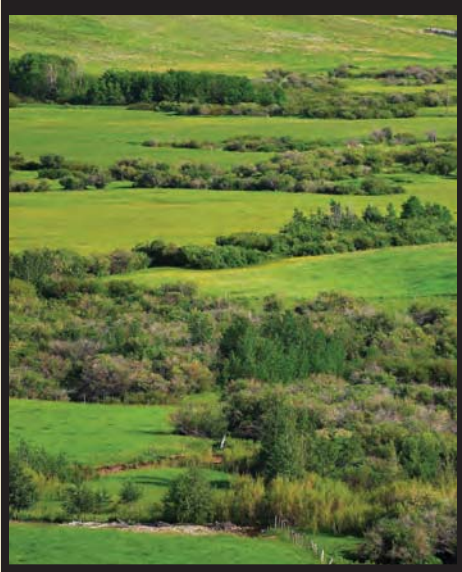
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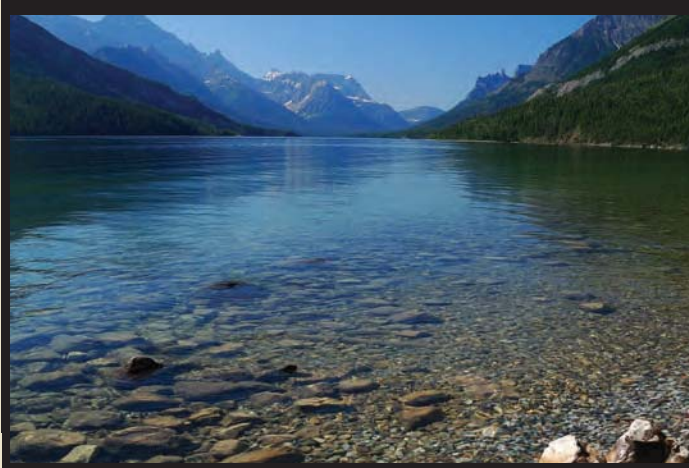




American Friends of Canadian Land Trusts (AF) is an innovative non-profit created by leading conservation professionals from both countries to secure the future of signature Canadian landscapes by removing tax-related obstacles.

Working with AF, U.S. taxpayers can finally afford to achieve their protection goals for Canadian properties that are conservation priorities.

Americans can donate their Canadian land (or a conservation easement over that land) to AF or support Canadian conservation organizations by contributing cash or securities to AF. All donations are eligible for U.S. income tax deductions. Gifts of land or easements are also exempt from Canadian capital gains taxes.



By increasing the financial feasibility of these gifts, AF is increasing the pace, scope and sustainability of land protection in Canada and bringing essential funding to Canadian land trusts.

All of AF's projects involve qualified Canadian conservation entities, including government agencies. AF invites potential partners to become part of this unique cross border collaboration. Americans are encouraged to support AF's efforts to protect Canada's rich heritage and diverse communities, its partnerships with land trusts and landowners and our shared goal of building an ever-stronger Canadian conservation movement.

Your donation is matched many times over by the generosity of landowners and foundations that recognize AF's unique and necessary conservation niche and by the funding AF receives from its Canadian partners.

