



DATE: May 6, 2023

TO: Depot Network

RE: **Alberta Wildfires & Depot Closures**

The large number of wildfires burning across Alberta and the evacuation of some communities are impacting thousands of Albertans and many businesses, including depots in evacuated communities.

The Beverage Container Management Board wants to assure the depot network and all industry stakeholders that we are here to support you during this extremely challenging time for those affected by the fires. While protecting yourselves and your families must be your first priority, we also know your depots are your livelihood and provide employment for others in your communities.

[Click here](#) for more information on the status of the wildfires. If you have questions or would simply like to speak with someone from the BCMB about your depot or your situation, please do not hesitate to contact us at info@bcmb.ab.ca and someone will get back to you as soon as possible, including this weekend.

When you are able, please also provide any information on your depot closure as you normally would through the QMS.

Please know that all BCMB staff are thinking of depot owners and their families, and we are here to help if needed.

