Economic Contributions



Frontier will be a long-term source of jobs and economic opportunity for Alberta and for Canada.

Job creation

Frontier will employ up to 6,000–7,000 workers during peak construction and, once operational, will create an estimated 2,500 ongoing, direct jobs for more than four decades.

2,500 JOBS for over 40 years 6,000-7,000 JOBS during peak construction

The fly-in and fly-out nature of Frontier will facilitate hiring from local communities like Fort Chipewyan. There will be a focus on developing training programs before construction even begins.

Frontier will also create opportunities for other local and regional businesses through procurement and service contracts.

Opportunities for Indigenous Communities

Frontier will create significant benefits for local Indigenous communities by providing opportunities for jobs and training, new business opportunities, and other benefits.

We have signed formal Participation Agreements with several local Indigenous communities, and are working to conclude similar agreements with others. These agreements identify economic and social benefits and opportunities, and set out a framework for long-term cooperation and communication.

Payments to governments

Frontier represents a major long-term source of new revenue for Alberta and Canada to help fund services like healthcare and education.

\$3.6 billion

\$12 billion

Over its lifespan, it is estimated that Frontier will contribute \$55 billion in provincial royalties and taxes, \$12 billion in federal corporate income and capital taxes, and \$3.6 billion in municipal property taxes, supporting government investments in hospitals, schools and more.



\$55 billion