



There are a lot of steps on the journey from fossil fuel dependence to cleaner, more equitable and more livable communities.



This weekend is a chance for your voice to be counted as thousands of Canadians push government to take a big step forward.

After waiting more than a year for regulations on oil and gas emissions, a framework for those regulations was announced by the federal government in December.

**Public consultation on the framework is open until end of day (ET) Monday, Feb. 5.** For Our Kids parents and the network support team have worked on a submission calling for the framework to be stronger - eliminating loopholes for the industry - and for a more urgent timeline in getting the regulations implemented.

**We're sharing the submission as a one-click action**, so you can contribute to the public consultation yourself. Send it as is, or change it to your own words. Either way, it will be sent in as part of the public consultation with one click.

Not sure you understand all the ins and outs of an emissions cap? We've set out six recommendations that are clear and easy to understand:

1. Emissions cap targets must be more ambitious to align with the International Energy Agency's recommendations and Canada's goal of achieving net-zero by 2050.
2. Loopholes such as carbon capture and storage and carbon offsets should not be relied on as pathways to emissions reduction.
3. The framework must better address indirect GHG emissions from the oil and gas sector. All emissions from the production and the use of oil and gas should be included in the emissions cap, including pipelines, refineries and LNG export facilities.

4. Accountability, including penalties and fines, need to be strong enough to ensure compliance from the industry.
5. Regulations must be implemented without more delays - to be released this spring and implemented by the beginning of 2025.
6. The Government must put Canadians and a safe future for our children first. Recent polls have found a majority of Canadians support a strong emissions cap, and they expect the oil and gas industry to do their part to tackle the climate crisis.

Still have questions? [Learn more here.](#)

Then, check out our one-click action and send your submission in by end of day, Monday, Feb. 5.

[Send your  
submission](#)

The oil and gas sector needs to do its fair share, without any more delays.

**Thank you for everything you do. Stay well.**

- your For Our Kids national network support team

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For Our Kids parents and teams live, work, meet, and act in communities that exist on land that has been taken from First Nations, Métis and Inuit peoples across Turtle Island, whether through unfulfilled treaties or outright occupation of territory. We recognize the harm and injustices resulting from colonization and we commit to working toward safe, inclusive, just, equitable and healthy communities for all.