A Strong Partnership in Trade:

Canada purchased $21 billion in U.S. agriculture and agri-food products in 2012. North Carolina benefitted from this strong relationship in 2012 by exporting $231 million in agriculture and agri-food products to Canada. To help reduce barriers to trade, lower costs and create economic opportunities, the Regulatory Cooperation Council and Beyond the Border Action Plans were released in December 2011. Increased regulatory cooperation will support U.S.-Canada trade in agriculture and agri-food products, contribute to job creation, and provide a greater variety of safe, high-quality food products for consumers.

Trade with Canada = Jobs in North Carolina

➔ Approximately 245,000 jobs in North Carolina depend on trade with Canada.