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BIOMASS MAPPING INITIATIVE – INFORMATION ON A FUNDED PROJECT

Yukon—Unlocking post-fire biomass potential

Yukon's post-fire forests hold significant biomass. Improved information will speed recovery efforts and long-term planning.

PROJECT TITLE

Canadian Biomass Mapping Initiative for
Yukon Territory

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This project will produce biomass maps for Yukon's forests by combining satellite imagery, field measurements, and existing forest inventory data. The maps will show how much timber and residual material remain after wildland fire and where these resources are located on public lands.

These insights will support faster and more efficient harvest planning, better use of leftover wood, and improved community wildland fire-protection strategies. The project will also help identify opportunities for renewable energy and other sustainable uses of biomass.

Overall, the work provides Yukon with timely, reliable information to support forest recovery, sustainable resource use, and community resilience.

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