



PROTECT  
THE  
BREATHING  
LANDS



## **Support a powerful coalition of Indigenous Nations!**

The names given to the vast peatlands of Ontario's north are Yehewi Aski and Bakitanaamowin Aki, or the Breathing Lands. It's a powerful evocation of the life-giving ecosystem that has sustained Indigenous Peoples since time immemorial.

Government is trying to fast-track development in the Breathing Lands, pushing for permits to mine, deforest, and dam rivers without Indigenous consent.

A coalition of Nations is saying "enough" and taking Ontario and Canada to court to press for greater decision-making power over their lands and waters.

A win for the Plaintiff Nations is a win for us all. This case will be a game-changer. As the Plaintiff Nations assert their right to self-determination, they are also moving to protect the largest intact boreal forest in the world – a carbon storehouse as globally significant as the Amazon rainforest.

**Will you act in solidarity to protect the Breathing Lands?**

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