



Bioenergy Call Information Session

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Two-Phase Call For Bioenergy

- Phase I: for projects that are immediately viable and do not need new tenure from the Forest Service
- Phase II: for projects that would require forest tenure
 - Backstop tenure needed for IPPs
 - Need to determine the size of the tenure opportunity



Forest Service Activities to Support the Bioenergy Call

- Study to estimate forest biomass volume
- Authority for bioenergy tenure



Biomass Volume Estimation Study

- Purpose is to estimate potential tenure opportunity for bioenergy
- Opportunity is guided by:
 - Forest stewardship requirements
 - Available low grade MPB timber, and
 - Available allowable annual cut



Biomass Volume Estimation Study

- Study covered 8 timber supply areas
- Estimated bioenergy tenure opportunity is about 4 million m³
- Volume is sufficient to provide for 250 MW of power



Volume Available to Support Bioenergy

Timber Supply Area	Potential allowable annual cut available for 20-year term bioenergy tenures (m ³ /year)
Quesnel	1,000,000
Williams Lake	700,000
100 Mile House	300,000
Merritt	200,000
Kamloops	200,000
Lakes	400,000
Morice	300,000
Prince George	900,000 to 1,300,000
	<i>Prince George district (nil)</i>
	<i>Vanderhoof district (150,000 to 300,000)</i>
	<i>Fort St. James district (750,000 to 1,000,000)</i>
Interior Total	4,000,000 to 4,400,000



Next Steps

- Confirm tenure volume to support Bioenergy Call by timber supply area
- Obtain legislative authority to issue forest tenure

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Questions?

