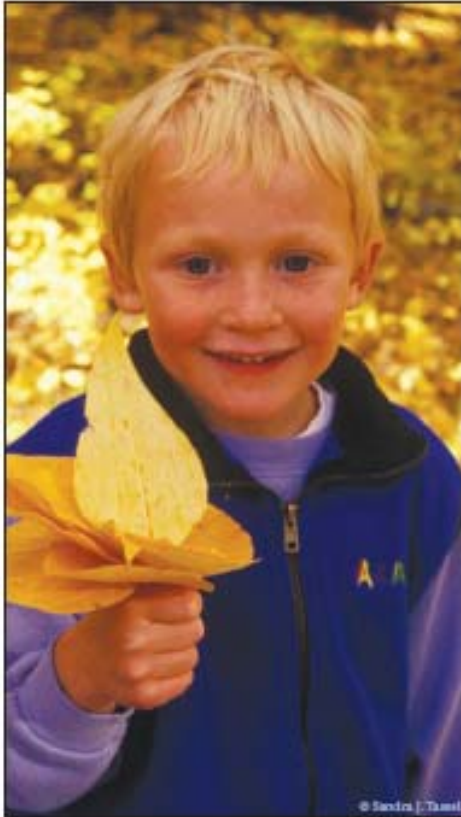
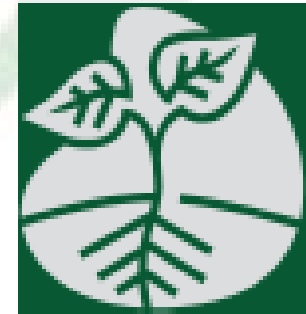


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Canada's spectacular landscapes draw admiring visitors from all over the world, attracted by Canada's array of natural resources, spectrum of outdoor activities, fascinating history, and friendly people. Many who visit wish they could stay, and have purchased summer homes or investment properties.



A large portion of these non-Canadian landowners are from the United States. Private U.S. ownership is concentrated in Canada's most scenic, ecologically important areas, including rivers, lakes, and coasts.



Conservation organizations in Canada and many of these U.S.-based landowners want to conserve the best of these important natural areas. But tax laws on both sides of the border have presented an almost insurmountable hurdle.



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Together we can secure the future of some of Canada's signature landscapes.



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