



PRESS RELEASE

Helijet certified as a YVR 2021 Climate Smart business

Richmond, B.C. (May 18, 2021) – [Helijet International Inc.](#) is pleased to announce its successful completion of the Climate Smart training and certification program, adding to Helijet’s well-established and ongoing commitment to the environment.

This award-winning greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions reductions program was established in 2009 by Climate Smart Businesses Inc. (Climate Smart), a Radicle Group Company.

Vancouver Airport Authority (YVR) has partnered with Climate Smart to engage YVR stakeholder businesses like Helijet to reduce their energy, fuel and potable water consumption, as well as waste, associated carbon emissions and operating costs.

The Climate Smart program enables companies of all sizes and industries to measure and reduce their GHG emissions and make informed decisions as they invest in efficiencies.

“Over the past years, Helijet has been working to develop and catalogue its sources of emissions while developing partnerships and initiatives on how we all can reduce our footprint on the environment. We are very pleased to now have access to Climate Smart’s training, tools and ongoing support towards our entire team’s commitment to the environment,” stated Danny Sitnam, Helijet President & CEO. “Alongside our sustainable work with the Pacific Salmon Foundation, Coastal First Nations-Great Bear Forest Carbon Project and now Climate Smart, we are very proud in doing our small part to ensure a sustainable future.”

In completing this program, Helijet joins other industry-leaders in meeting emissions reduction objectives that benefit the environment. To date, Climate Smart has helped more than 1000 companies reach an average of 24 per cent reduction in their GHG emissions.

“Companies that complete the Climate Smart training program are joining businesses pioneering a new path forward, making environmental stewardship and financial prosperity two sides of the same coin,” says Elizabeth Sheehan, President of Climate Smart. “Climate Smart businesses are among global industry leaders who have taken steps toward creating sustainable initiatives for the long-term success of their company, showing they have a plan in place to make a positive impact for the environment for generations to come.”

About Climate Smart

Climate Smart is a Canadian, award winning B Corp that certifies and enables businesses to profitably reduce greenhouse gas emissions and take action on climate change.

Climate Smart has helped over 1000 businesses and 40 partner cities and organizations prepare for and participate in the low-carbon economy of the future. Using a data driven approach, Climate Smart provides innovative tools and programming for “host partners” on the front lines – cities, ports, airports, and financial institutions – to build capacity towards ESG and Net-Zero goals, disrupt old economic trajectories, and invest in more efficient technologies. Visit climatesmartbusiness.com to learn more.

About Helijet

Helijet International is a British Columbia based company and the world’s largest scheduled helicopter airline carrying well over 2.4 million passengers in the past 34 years. In addition to its scheduled helicopter services, Helijet is the major service provider of dedicated medically equipped helicopters to BC Emergency Health Services. Helijet also provides exclusive use helicopters and business turbojet services to world renowned Sport Fishing Resorts, public service and energy companies throughout the West Coast of British Columbia and Pacific North West. Visit Helijet.com

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