



Monday July 12, 2021

Customer Bulletin: Containers are being received, offloaded, processed and scheduled for delivery.

Woodbridge, ON - July 12, 2021 – Most of the delayed and scheduled containers arrived this past weekend into Vancouver. We are still waiting on a few more shipments that are slotted to be received throughout Monday. Our teams continue to work 24hrs to get all shipments received, offloaded, processed and scheduled out for delivery.

The temporary closure of the CP and CN lines mandated by Transport Canada this past weekend has since re-opened but there are still delays. The containers are slow moving through the CP line but are still coming through into Vancouver.

We are still expecting continued delays of 48-72 hours for the rest of the week.

We will keep providing updates and thank you for your patience and understanding.

Frequently Asked Questions

Q: Should we continue to use intermodal services?

A: Yes, you should continue to use intermodal with us, this is the most economical way with capacity. We kindly ask that you plan to add additional transit lead time during this period. There may be delays right now, but once we are fully operational, we will be back on our regular schedules.

Q: Is Fastfrate still picking up shipments?



A: Yes, Fastfrate will pick-up your shipments to and from Vancouver and Vancouver Island. If you have additional urgent shipments with a specific timeline, our Integrated Logistics division can offer an alternative road solution. Please contact: centrallogistics@fastfrate.com or Easternlogistics@fastfrate.com

Q: Are you pre-booking appointments?

A: Shipments will be appointed once we have a firm ETA from CP Rail to our terminal, as the rail becomes more fluid, we will then begin to pre-book delivery appointments.

Q: How are you managing the delays in western Canada?

A: We are working around the clock with plans to increase local workload capacity as well as dedicating resources from other Fastfrate terminals into Vancouver. We will continue to work through the freight and shipments that we have on-hand now and the additional loads as they come through. We are working towards minimizing the turn-around time for all your current freight.

Q: What is happening in British Columbia with the wildfires?

A: British Columbia is facing difficult times and devastation with the wildfires. As of July 12th, there are over **300** active wildfires that are burning in BC.

For more information please click on the news links below.

<https://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/british-columbia/bc-wildfires-weekend-1.6098451>

<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/safety/wildfire-status>

<https://bc.ctvnews.ca/video?clipId=2234413&jwsourc=em>

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