

Cargill – Keep Your Promise

In 2014 Cargill pledged to stop clearing forests by this year. The deadline has arrived, and Cargill has not yet met their promise. We're [taking action](#) to make sure they do.

September 22nd marks the eve of the anniversary of Cargill's commitment to go deforestation-free. Sadly, it's not an anniversary we can commemorate in a happy way. An area of rainforest larger than Sao Paulo was cleared - last month alone. The number of fires in the Brazilian Amazon is up 28% from July of last year. The Amazon's entire ecosystem is at the precipice of collapse. Cargill is playing a central role in this destruction. And has not even come close to meeting the promise it made six years ago. [We cannot wait any longer.](#)

As we reach the 6-year anniversary of Cargill's commitment, we will gather in-person for a bold [action](#) to tell Cargill: Keep Your Promise. Cargill must immediately stop sourcing from suppliers engaged in deforestation, enforce a system in which it doesn't source from land that was cleared after specified cutoff dates, and embrace regenerative agricultural practices.

COVID NOTE: we will remain outdoors for this action, maintain 6-feet of distancing, and require masks

LOCATION: Outside the Minneapolis Institute of Art (home to the Cargill Gallery)

DATE: September 22 – 6 PM

SIGNUP LINK: [eventbrite.com/e/cargill-keep-your-promise-anniversary-event-tickets-118665073429](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/cargill-keep-your-promise-anniversary-event-tickets-118665073429)

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