



Political Reconciliation

Supporting Afghan efforts



Canadian Forces members attend a *shura*, a gathering of local community members and leaders.

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Achieving peace in Afghanistan depends on the government's ability to help its country move forward after decades of war. Any sustainable peace will require a national reconciliation process led by Afghans and supported internationally.

What Canada is doing

By supporting Afghan-led efforts to reach out to its people in the interest of sustainable peace, Canada is actively encouraging the Government of Afghanistan to work toward this goal.

Canada is also helping Afghan authorities communicate with citizens about the need to stop violence, respect human rights and the rule of law, as well as support the Afghan government.

The Afghan Government Media and Information Centre in Kabul, funded by Canada, fosters a more direct and open dialogue between the government and Afghans.

