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# GLOBAL SUSTAINABILITY: CORK ReHARVEST

# From Bark to Bottle

Pop a Cork and Save the Forests



Cork Forest  
Conservation Alliance





## What You Can Do

- › **Purchase only wines with natural cork.**
- › **Ask your waiters and wine store stewards to recommend wines sealed with natural cork.**
- › **Spread the word; the more we use cork the healthier the forests.**



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Economic and Social Council since 2013.*

## Mission Statement

The Cork Forest Conservation Alliance campaigns globally for the protection and preservation of the Mediterranean cork forests, its inhabitants and biodiversity, through education, direct action, and partnerships with communities, businesses and governments.

We believe that teaching and promoting sustainability is the best way to systematically approach and solve the many complex environmental challenges facing society today.

## Leading the Cork Recycling Movement

Along with our forest conservation and educational initiatives, the CFCA has developed a natural cork-recycling program, Cork ReHarvest. With hundreds of collection centers in the US, Canada and the EU, this program helps to collect and recycle some of the billions of natural corks that are produced each year. Of additional importance to this program, is the goal of educating the public about the vital importance of preserving and protecting the Mediterranean cork forests. Cork collection boxes are placed in grocery stores, wine and bottle shops, and winery tasting rooms. We also partner with the Food and Beverage and Hospitality industries to collect cork at restaurants, hotels, wine bars, convention and performing arts centers.

To learn more about our forest conservation efforts and our recycling program please visit:

**[www.corkforest.org](http://www.corkforest.org)**

