



## RRSP Investors: 3 Dividend Stocks You Can Trust Forever

### Description

Canadians who are actively saving and making investment moves in their retirement account should be on the hunt for opportunities in an increasingly turbulent North American market. The [Registered Retirement Savings Plan \(RRSP\)](#) is still one of the best options as it offers tax-free capital gains and dividend income as well as the shot at a tax break for those who contribute. Today, I want to look at three [dividend stocks](#) that are perfect for a Canadian RRSP in early September. Let's jump in.

### I'm looking to stash this green energy stock in my RRSP for the long haul

**Capital Power** ([TSX:CPX](#)) is an Edmonton-based company that develops, acquires, owns, and operates renewable and thermal power-generation facilities in Canada and the United States. Shares of this dividend stock have climbed 30% in 2022 as of close on September 1. That has pushed the stock well into the black in the year-over-year period.

This company released its second-quarter (Q2) fiscal 2022 results on August 2. It reported revenues and other income of \$713 million in Q2 2022 — up from \$387 million in the previous year. Meanwhile, revenues in the first six months of 2022 rose to \$1.21 billion over \$941 million in the year-to-date period in 2021. Adjusted funds from operations (FFO) nearly doubled to \$180 million, and adjusted FFO per share increased to \$1.55 compared to \$0.83 in the prior year.

Shares of this dividend stock are trading in favourable value territory compared to its industry peers. RRSP investors can also count on its quarterly dividend of \$0.58 per share, which represents a solid 4.5% yield.

### This REIT is the perfect dividend stock to target right now

**Chartwell Retirement REIT** ([TSX:CSH.UN](#)) is a Mississauga-based real estate investment trust (REIT) that indirectly owns and operates a range of senior housing communities. This sector is

experiencing strong growth, as Canada's senior population is growing steadily. Shares of this dividend stock have declined 15% in the year-to-date period. It is down 20% year over year.

In Q2 2022, Chartwell reported resident revenues of \$164 million — up from \$154 million in the second quarter of fiscal 2021. Meanwhile, net income came in at \$1.10 billion, which was up from a net loss of \$4.58 billion in the previous year. Same-property occupancy remained flat at 76%.

This dividend stock is trading in solid value levels relative to its top competitors. Best of all, RRSP investors can rely on its monthly distribution of \$0.051 per share. That represents a very strong 5.9% yield.

## One more steady dividend stock that is ideal for your RRSP

**Emera** ([TSX:EMA](#)) is the third dividend stock I'd suggest for RRSP investors to kick off September. Utility equities proved resilient during the COVID-19 pandemic. Canadians can continue to trust utilities like Emera in an uncertain economic period. Its shares have dipped 1.8% in 2022. The stock is still up 3.2% in the year-over-year period.

The company unveiled its second-quarter fiscal 2022 earnings on August 10. Emera reported adjusted net income of \$156 million, or \$0.59 per common share — up from \$137 million, or \$0.54 per common share, in the previous year. Its shares possess a price-to-earnings ratio of 29, putting it in attractive territory relative to its industry peers. Emera offers a quarterly dividend of \$0.662 per share, representing a 4.3% yield.

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