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Public Notice - Call for Proposals (Reallocation of an Aquaculture Site)

Call for Proposals:

The Nova Scotia Department of Fisheries and Aquaculture (the "Department") issued a call for proposals for the reallocation of an eligible Aquaculture Site. Notice of the call was published on the Department's website. Notice was also provided by email to existing aquaculture licence holders in Nova Scotia. Details of the call for proposals were as follows:

Details of Reallocation Call for Proposals:

Site Register:	RE#9009		
Location:	Whitehead Harbour	Site Size:	27.28 HA
County:	Guysborough	Site Map / Boundaries:	Refer to site Register
Start Date:	December 14, 2023	Deadline for Submissions:	February 14, 2024

Proposals to the Administrator:

A total of one (1) proposal was received in response to this call. One (1) proposal was eligible for consideration by the Administrator. No (0) proposals were received that were incomplete and/or outside of the allotted time and were not taken under consideration. The eligible proposal was assessed by a panel comprised of Department staff, with the results of the assessment and a recommendation submitted to the Administrator for consideration.

Prior Decisions:

On April 22, 2024, the proposal submitted by **4552737 Nova Scotia Limited** was selected and was given 90 days to submit a completed **Application for Reallocation of a Marine Aquaculture Licence and Lease** to the Department. On May 13, 2024, the successful proponent withdrew their interest in submitting an application to the Department for the reallocation of the above site, resulting in this notification by the Administrator.

Revised Notification:

No (0) remaining proposals are eligible for consideration by the Administrator. Site RE#9009 shall remain in the registry of aquaculture sites eligible for reallocation. A new call for proposals may be issued again at a later date to be determined by the Aquaculture Administrator.

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