

### Option to Lease Notice

The following Option to Lease has been granted:

<b>Option Holder:</b> Michael Touesnard	<b>Species:</b> American oyster
<b>Option Location:</b> River Bourgeois, Richmond County	<b>Method of Cultivation:</b> Suspended cultivation
<b>Area:</b> See attached	<b>Option Period:</b> August 24, 2018 – February 24, 2019

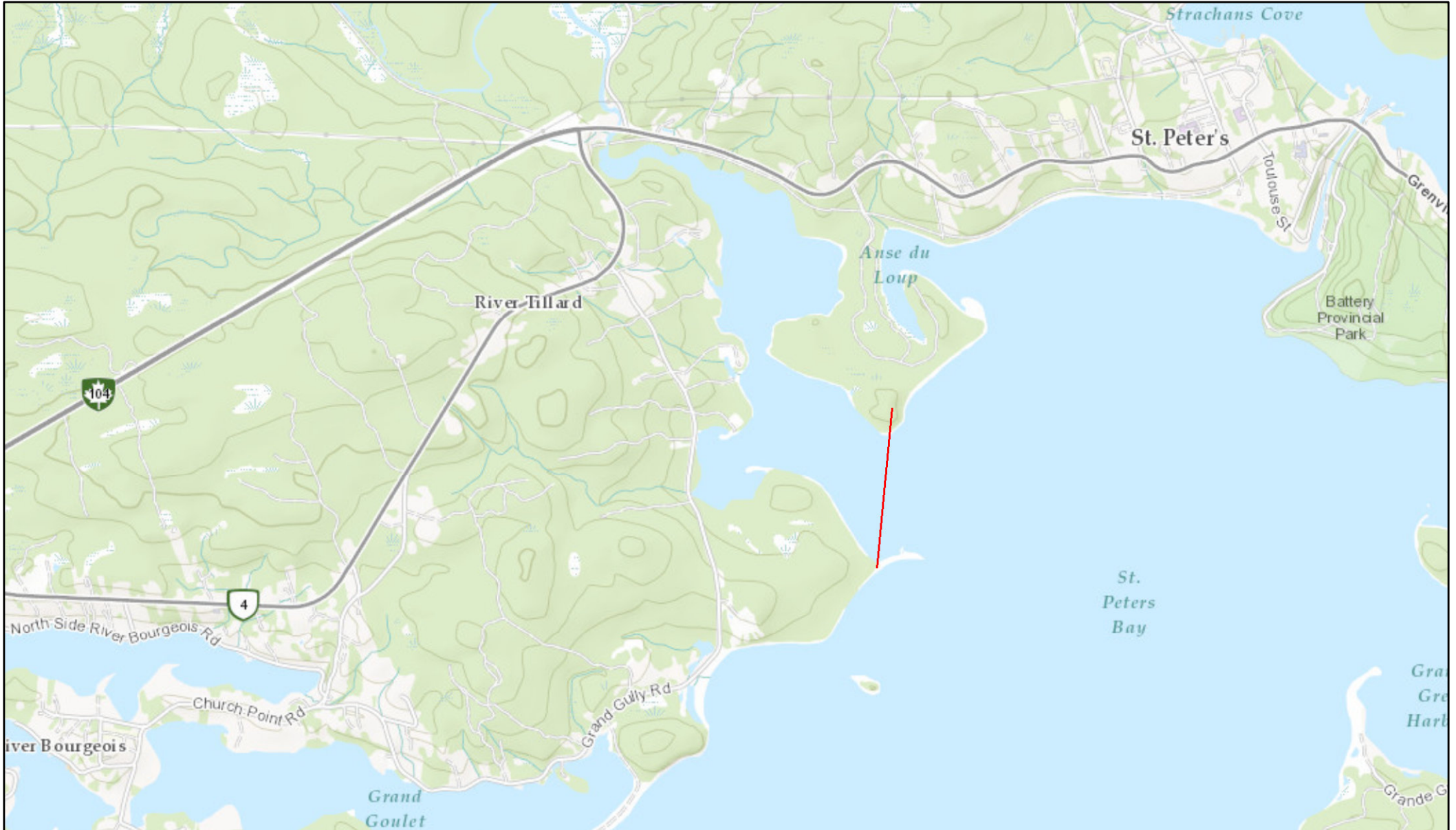
During this time, Michael Touesnard will be exploring the option location to determine potential fit to establish an aquaculture site. This investigation may lead to future applications for specific sites.

An *Option to Lease* is not an aquaculture licence or lease, so no aquacultural products will be introduced during this period. As part of this process, Michael Touesnard will be holding at least one public information session in River Bourgeois, Richmond County. Details of this session will be published at a later date.

Any applications arising from this Option to Lease process will be reviewed by the Aquaculture Review Board.

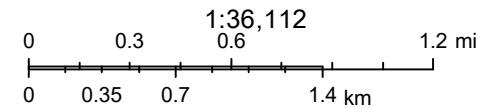
Additional information on the *Option to lease* process can be found at <https://novascotia.ca/fish/aquaculture/starting-an-aquaculture-site/>.

# Mike Touesnard



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— Option Line



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The option area is west and north of the red option line indicated on the map.