

NOTICE

Registration of Undertaking for Environmental Assessment ENVIRONMENT ACT

This is to advise that on *October 29, 2024*, **GFL Environmental Inc.** registered the *Aerotech Waste Handling Facility Project* for environmental assessment, in accordance with Part IV of the Environment Act.

GFL Environmental Services Inc. (GFL) is proposing the expansion and operation of a waste handling facility for the temporary storage of Waste Dangerous Goods and Waste Non-Dangerous Goods at its 203 Aerotech Drive site in Goffs, Nova Scotia. GFL intends to continue to use the Project Site for handling/storage operations of Waste Dangerous Goods (WDG) and Waste Non-Dangerous Goods (WNDG) in quantities that exceed the Nova Scotia Dangerous Goods Management Regulations. This will include a proposed building expansion and additional tank farm to expand the existing operations areas. The purpose of the proposed undertaking is to provide additional local capacity to temporarily and safely handle WDG and WNDG in a manner that they can be consolidated and shipped to a final (licensed) disposal facility in a more environmentally sustainable manner. The 203 Aerotech Drive facility is on a central transportation hub and would result in increased transportation efficiencies and less overall waste storage prior to out-of-province transport. The additional handling space at this facility also ensures sufficient floor space is available to segregate and handle the wastes, allowing for larger loads to be consolidated prior to shipping. The project is expected to commence in April 2025 and have an expected operational life of 20+ years.

Copies of the environmental assessment registration information may be examined at the following locations:

- Waverley Post Office, 2515 Rocky Lake Road, Waverley, NS
- Colchester East Hants Public Library – Elmsdale Branch, 15 Commerce Court, Elmsdale, NS
- Nova Scotia Environment, 30 Damascus Road Suite#115, Bedford, NS
- EA website (when available) <http://www.novascotia.ca/nse/ca>

The public is invited to submit written comments to:

**Environmental Assessment Branch
Nova Scotia Environment
P.O. Box 442, Halifax, NS, B3J 2P8**

on or before *November 28, 2024* or contact the department at **(902) 424-3600**, **(902) 424-6925 (Fax)**, or e-mail at **EA@gov.ns.ca**.

All comments received from the public consultation will be posted on the department's website for public viewing. In the case of an individual, the address, email and contact information will be removed before being placed on the website. By submitting your comments, you are consenting to the posting of your comments on the department's website.

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