## **NOTICE** Registration of Undertaking for Environmental Assessment ENVIRONMENT ACT

This is to advise that on May 9, 2023, Nova Scotia Department of Public Works registered the Highway 101 Cambridge Interchange and Connector Road Project for environmental assessment, in accordance with Part IV of the Environment Act.

The proposed Project involves the construction, maintenance and postconstruction monitoring of a new interchange along Highway 101, with two new connector roads; one south to Trunk 1 and one north to Brooklyn Street. The new interchange is located between Coldbrook (Exit 14) and Berwick (Exit 15), near the Annapolis Valley First Nation (AVFN) Reserve. The south connector road travels 2-kilometers to Trunk 1 near Waterville Mountain Road, and the north connector travels 1.5-kilometers to Brooklyn Street. The connector roads are designed as two-lane roads, with additional turning lanes at high volume accesses as necessary.

The Project construction may commence in late 2023 and is expected to be completed within 5 years.

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

- Nova Scotia Environment and Climate Change Regional Office, 136 Exhibition Street, Kentville, NS B4N 4E5 902-679-6086
- EA Website (when available) <u>https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/ea/</u>
- Municipality of the County of Kings, Municipal Office, 181 Coldbrook Village Park Dr., Coldbrook B4R 1B9 902-678-6141
- Berwick and District Library, 236 Commercial Street, Berwick, 236 Commercial Street, Berwick B0P 1E0 902-538-8060
- AVFN Band Office, 29 Toney Blvd, Cambridge Station, B0P 1G0

The public is invited to submit written comments to:

Environmental Assessment Branch Nova Scotia Environment and Climate Change P.O. Box 442, Halifax, Nova Scotia B3J 2P8

on or before June 8, 2023 or contact the Department at (902) 424-3600, (902) 424-6925 (Fax), or e-mail at EA@novascotia,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. Published by:

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