

NOTICE

Registration of Undertaking For Environmental Assessment *ENVIRONMENTAL ACT*

This is to advise that on August 29th, 2023, Northumberland Capital Corporation Inc. (NCCI) registered the Mount Uniacke Quarry Expansion for environmental assessment, in accordance with Part IV of the *Environment Act*.

The purpose of the proposed undertaking is to expand the existing quarry from ~4 ha to ~40 ha to allow for the continued production and stockpiling of aggregate used in a wide variety of local construction and infrastructure projects. The proposed undertaking will take place approximately 2.5 km northeast of the community of Mount Uniacke, Municipality of East Hants, Nova Scotia. The access road to the quarry is located off Uniacke Mines Road, approximately 2.3 km northeast of the intersection of Trunk 1 and Uniacke Mines Road (44.915°N, -63.8141°W). The project's lifespan will be an estimated 30 to 50 years with continued production of an average of 30,000-50,000 tonnes of aggregate annually; based on current market demands. The expected commencement of the proposed project is Fall 2023.

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

- Mount Uniacke Public Library, 555 Highway 1, Mount Uniacke, NS
- Sackville Public Library, 636 Sackville Drive, Lower Sackville, NS
- Nova Scotia Environment and Climate Change, 30 Damascus Rd. Suite 115 Bedford NS
- EA Website (when available): <https://novascotia.ca/nse/ea/>

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 September 28th, 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.

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