

NOTICE

Registration of Undertaking for Environmental Assessment ENVIRONMENT ACT

This is to advise that on October 8, 2026, DEXTER CONSTRUCTION COMPANY LIMITED (Dexter) registered the WOODVILLE PIT EXPANSION PROJECT for environmental assessment, in accordance with Part IV of the *Environment Act*.

The purpose of the proposed undertaking is to expand the operating footprint of the existing less than 4-hectare pit. The pit is located on PID 55064547, at 987 Bligh Road, in Woodville, Kings County, Nova Scotia and has been in operation for approximately 15 years. The land associated with the proposed expansion area will occupy a maximum of 19.44 hectares and includes the existing pit footprint. Expansion of the pit footprint will support continued extraction and production of quality aggregate products used primarily in the road construction industry in Kings County. Other than the expanded operating footprint, it is expected that the continued use of the pit will be identical, or very similar, to historic use at the site, and will include the occasional operation of a portable rock crusher to process aggregate materials, stockpiling, and transportation of aggregate materials, when Dexter has work in the area. The project is anticipated to commence during the 2027 construction season with production volumes of approximately 50,000 tonnes per year during years in which the quarry is active. A project life of 40-years is expected.

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

- Canada Post, 7015 NS Trunk 1, Coldbrook NS
- Berwick Library, 236 Commercial Street, Berwick, NS
- NSECC Regional Office, 136 Exhibition Street, Kentville, NS
- NSECC EA website (when available)
<https://novascotia.ca/environmental-assessment-getting-started/>

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 November 17, 2026, or contact the Department at 902-424-3600, 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 name, email address, and contact information will be removed before comments are posted 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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