

# Polly Brook Wilderness Area



## County

Cumberland

## Size

764 ha

## Classification

Wilderness Area

## Status

New

## Conditions Apply?

No

## Overview

Mixed forest representative of Cumberland Foothills Natural Landscape

## Ecological Values

Some stands of old red spruce and tolerant hardwood

Habitat for provincially endangered mainland moose

Important Atlantic salmon spawning tributary of River Philip

Helps represent Cumberland Foothills Natural Landscape

## Outdoor Recreation Values

Likely some hunting and other existing outdoor recreation use, given the proximity of this area to Springhill and other communities

## Forestry Values

Mix of mature hardwood, mixedwood, and softwood and regenerating cutovers

Some forest access road

Small portion of area has been unavailable for forestry due to DNR old forest policy

## Other Resource Values

Medium mineral potential

High petroleum potential

Medium/low wind potential

## Conditions

### Exclusions and Vehicle Access

Potential OHV agreement for route on powerline corridor

### Additional Comments

