

Battery Provincial Park



County

Richmond

Size

62.41 Hectares

Classification

Outdoor Recreation

Status

Designated; Operational

Location NS Atlas

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Managed As

Core Park

Overview

A scenic camping and day-use park rich in history overlooking the Atlantic Ocean and St. Peters Canal National Historic Site.

41 campsites, open for camping from June to September.

Protection Values

This park protects several sites of archaeological significance and abuts St. Peters Canal Historic Site.

Education Values

Regionally significant opportunity to interpret cultural heritage themes; interpretive displays

Tourism Values

Regionally significant opportunity on Route 4. Adjacent to St. Peter's Canal, the most important tourism infrastructure node in the region.

Outdoor Recreation Values

Camping, picnicking, hiking, boating, beach access

Annual Revenue

2010: \$38,860

Operating Cost

2010: \$145,168

Other Site Considerations

Spruce Bark beetle damage may require restoration program to remove dead and dying trees in areas of public use and to re-establish a more suitable forest cover.

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Battery

Provincial Park and Park Reserve Series

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| | Fire Station | | Trans Canada |
| | Hospital | | Arterial Highway |
| | Police Station | | Collector Highway |
| | School | | Trunk Highway |
| | Church | | Paved Road |
| | Building | | Unpaved Road |
| | Water Body | | Track (2m & wider) |
| | River / Stream | | Trail / Footpath |
| | County Boundary | | Railway |
| | | | Abandoned Railway |

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| | Camping Park |
| | Day Use Park |
| | Park Reserve |
| | Crown Land |
| | Wilderness Area |
| | Nature Reserve |
| | National Historic Site, National Park |



Data Sources:
Nova Scotia Topographic Database 2010; Service Nova Scotia and Municipal Relations
Wilderness Areas and Nature Reserves 2012; NS Department of Environment
Crown Land, Provincial Parks and Park Reserves 2012;
Restricted and Limited
Use Lands 2007; NS Department of Natural Resources
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