

Bowater Land Acquisitions

Protected Areas Designation Values

Nature Reserves (Special Places Protection Act)

- 1. Long Lake Bog, Queens County: 747 ha**
 - outstanding wetlands
 - surrounds Nature Conservancy of Canada property
 - rare coastal plain flora
 - lake shoreline habitat
 - moose habitat
 - high connectivity value
- 2. Coades Lake, Queens County - 129 ha**
 - old growth hemlock forest
 - rare plants
 - lake shoreline habitat
 - high connectivity value
- 3. Longview Lake, Shelburne County - 66 ha**
 - old forest - white pine, red spruce
 - rare / uncommon plants
 - high connectivity value
- 4. Sixteen Mile Brook, Queens County - 69 ha**
 - outstanding wetland
 - rare plants
 - lake shoreline habitat
- 5. Jordan Lake, Queens County - 112 ha**
 - old growth hemlock forest
 - oldest known hemlocks in Nova Scotia
 - rare / uncommon plants
 - lake shoreline habitat
 - high connectivity value
- 6. Porcupine Lake, Annapolis County - 237 ha**
 - old forest - hemlock, white pine
 - climax Acadian forest
 - lake shoreline habitat
 - high connectivity value
- 7. Medway Lake, Annapolis County - 80 ha**
 - old growth hemlock forest
 - rich wetlands
 - Medway River shoreline habitat
 - high connectivity value
- 8. Lambs Lake, Annapolis County - 180 ha**
 - old growth hardwood forest
 - rare species
 - significant wetlands
 - lake shoreline habitat
 - high connectivity value

- 9. Long Lake, Lunenburg County - 267 ha**
 - old forest - red spruce, Acadian mixed forest
 - lake shoreline habitat
 - high connectivity value
- 10. Timber Lake, Lunenburg County - 655 ha**
 - old forest - red spruce
 - climax Acadian mixed forest
 - variety of wetlands
 - lake shoreline habitat
 - high connectivity value
- 11. Euchre Lake, Hants County - 140 ha**
 - old forest - Acadian mixed forest
 - lake shoreline habitat
 - high connectivity value

Wilderness Areas (Wilderness Areas Protection Act)

- 12. Broad River, Queens County - 639 ha**
 - 5.5 km of Broad River
 - rich wetlands, high diversity
 - rare plants
 - landscape representation value
 - high connectivity value
 - historic canoe route
 - to be added to Tidney River Wilderness Area
- 13. Payzant Brook, Queens County - 170 ha**
 - high diversity of wetlands
 - old pine forest
 - to be added to Tidney River Wilderness Area
- 14. Broad River Lake, Queens County - 1315 ha**
 - Extensive old forest - hemlock, white pine
 - unique eskers and beach formations
 - rare plants
 - contains 2 lakes (20km of shoreline)
 - ecosystem representation
 - high connectivity value
 - high wilderness recreation value
 - to be added to Tidney River Wilderness Area
- 15. Shelburne River, Queens County - 1636 ha**
 - Canadian Heritage River corridor
 - major historic canoe route
 - 3 lakes, 40 km of river frontage
 - old growth hemlock forest
 - rare species
 - rich wetlands

- moose habitat
- high connectivity value
- highly scenic
- to be designated Shelburne River Wilderness Area

16. Little Cranberry Lake, Annapolis County - 925 ha

- old forest - white pine
- variety of wetlands
- representative ecosystems
- 3.5 km of lake frontage
- historic canoe route
- to be added to McGill Lake Wilderness Area

17. McGill Lake, Annapolis County - 477 ha

- old acadian forest
- variety of wetlands
- 4km of lake shoreline
- historic canoe route
- representative ecosystems
- to be added to McGill Lake Wilderness Area

18. Little River, Annapolis County - 617 ha

- old acadian forest
- outstanding wetlands
- rare species
- high connectivity value
- to be added to Cloud Lake Wilderness Area

Provincial Park Reserves (Provincial Parks Act)

19. Mersey River, Queens County - 436 ha

- extensive linear frontage on Mersey River (40 km)
- significant Mi'kmaq cultural area
- public road frontage
- historic canoe route

20. Haunted Bog, Queens County - 130 ha

- old forest - hemlock, red spruce
- adjacent to Mersey River parcel
- Mi'kmaq cultural heritage site
- contributes to 12% protection goal

21. Kempt, Queens County - 296 ha

- water frontage on 2 lakes
- Mi'kmaq cultural sites
- rare species
- public road access
- historic canoe route
- adjacent to Mersey / Tobeatic Research Institute
- contributes to 12% protection goal

22. Taylors Lake, Annapolis County - 126 ha

- frontage on Mersey River and Taylors Lake
- old hemlock forest

- rare species
- adjacent to public highway
- contributes to 12% protection goal

23. Fisher Lake, Annapolis County - 298 ha

- water frontage on Fisher Lake and Eleven Mile Lake
- Large wetlands
- Mi'kmaq cultural sites
- public highway access
- historic canoe route
- contributes to 12% protection goal

24. Mickey Hill, Annapolis County - 62 ha

- lake water frontage
- public road access with public parking
- established interpretive trails
- historic canoe route

25. Fundy, Annapolis County - 56ha

- Bay of Fundy coastline
- coastal access for Delaps Cove Hiking Trail
- cultural site

26. North Mountain, Annapolis County - 70 ha

- Bay of Fundy coastline
- highly scenic area
- coastal access for Delaps Cove Hiking Trail

27. Roxbury, Annapolis County - 21 ha

- abandoned Roxbury settlement (historic value)

28. Cedar Lake, Annapolis County - 44 ha

- Surrounded on 3 side by crown land
- area of public recreation interest (Annapolis Co.)
- close to Nictaux River

29. Big St. Margarets Bay Lake, Hants County - 15 ha

- 3 islands in lake
- public recreation interest
- wildlife habitat
- scenic features

30. Island Lake, Halifax County - 35 ha

- 2 islands on lake
- public recreation interest
- wildlife habitat
- scenic features