

Environment, Conservation and Climate Change

January 30, 2026

Environmental Assessment Bulletin

The Honourable Chris Tibbs, Minister of Environment, Conservation and Climate Change, has announced the following relative to Environmental Assessment - Part 10 - of the **Environmental Protection Act**.

Undertaking Registered:

L'Anse au Loup Watershed Dam Reconstruction
Proponent: Town of L'Anse au Loup

(Reg. 2387)

The proponent is proposing to reconstruct a 3.6 metre section of the existing water supply dam on the L'Anse au Loup Brook that serves the Town of L'Anse au Loup. The proposed project work includes reconstruction of a damaged section of the dam, replacement of the existing chlorination building, installation of two new sluice gates and a new intake control valve. A description of the project can be found on the Department of Environment, Conservation and Climate Change website at:

<https://www.gov.nl.ca/eccc/env-assessment/projects-list/>.

The undertaking was registered on January 29, 2026. The deadline for public comment is March 6, 2026, and the minister's decision is due by March 15, 2026. Comments may be sent to: EAProjectComments@gov.nl.ca

Undertakings Released:

North Arm River Bridge Replacement
Proponent: Department of Transportation

(Reg. 2382)

The project has been released from environmental assessment subject to the conditions as outlined in the minister's decision letter available on the Department of Environment, Conservation and Climate Change website at:

<https://www.gov.nl.ca/eccc/projects/project-2382/>

Crown Zone 8 (Districts 17 & 18) Forestry Operating Plan Amendment (2023-2027)
Proponent: Department of Forestry, Agriculture and Lands (Reg. 2381)

The project has been released from environmental assessment subject to the conditions as outlined in the minister's decision letter available on the Department of Environment, Conservation and Climate Change website at:

<https://www.gov.nl.ca/eccc/projects/project-2381/>

Learn more

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Environmental assessment information is available at:

<https://www.gov.nl.ca/eccc/env-assessment/>

https://www.gov.nl.ca/eccc/files/GUIDE-TO-THE-PROCESS_Nov-2025.pdf

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Project comments may be sent to: EAProjectComments@gov.nl.ca.

Anyone submitting comments on a project under environmental assessment should notify the Department of Environment, Conservation and Climate Change if they do not wish to have their comments shared with the project proponent.

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