



GOVERNMENT OF
NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR

Department of
Municipal and Provincial Affairs

Circular To
All Consultants and Municipal Engineers

Re: Projects on Department of Works Services and Transportation Right of Way

This is a reminder that all projects carried out on Department of Works, Services and Transportation (DWST) rights of way require the prior approval of DWST. There have been several instances this past year where DWST was not notified until construction was started. This practice is not acceptable and will not be condoned by the Department of Municipal and Provincial Affairs.

A standard permit is contained in the master specification and failure to abide by the permit could have financial consequences to your client. In the event additional funding is required due to failure to abide by the permit or failure to obtain the permit, the Department can refuse further funding to the project.

In addition, the Department of Municipal and Provincial Affairs will be notifying DWST when reviewing tenders documents if it is felt that the project is on their rights of way.

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