

NOTICE

Registration of Undertaking for Environmental Assessment ENVIRONMENT ACT

This is to advise that on March 15, 2023, Higgins Mountain Wind Farm General Partner Inc., Sipekne'katik First Nation, Elemental Energy Renewables Inc., and Stevens Wind Ltd., carrying on business as the Higgins Mountain Wind Farm Limited Partnership registered the HIGGINS MOUNTAIN WIND FARM PROJECT for environmental assessment, in accordance with Part IV of the Environment Act.

The purpose of the proposed undertaking is to construct and operate an up to 17 turbine wind project that will produce low-cost wind generated renewable electricity for Nova Scotians. The wind turbines will be up to 195.5 m tall to the tip of the blade and individually produce between 5.9 to 7 MW. The Project centre is located 9.95 km southeast of Westchester Station, 9.75 km southwest of Wentworth Station, and 4.95 km northeast of Londonderry, within the counties of Cumberland and Colchester, Nova Scotia. The Project intends to begin construction in 2024 and is expected to be operational for 35 years commencing in 2025.

Copies of the environmental assessment registration information may be examined at the following locations:

- Cumberland Public Libraries - Oxford Branch, 109 Rideau St., Oxford
- Municipality of the County of Colchester, 1 Church St., Truro
- Department of Environment and Climate Change, District Office, 36 Inglis Place, Truro NS
- EA website (when available) <https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/ea/>

The public is invited to submit written comments to:

Environmental Assessment Branch
Nova Scotia Environment & Climate Change
P.O. Box 442, Halifax, Nova Scotia B3J 2P8

on or before April 14, 2023, or contact the Department at (902) 424-3600, (902) 424-6925 (Fax), or e-mail at EA@novascotia.ca.

All comments received from the public consultation will be posted on the department's website for public viewing. In the case of an individual, the address, email and contact information will be removed before being placed on the website. By submitting your comments, you are consenting to the posting of your comments on the department's website.

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