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Comments:
Comments from stakeholder as discussed.

Thanks Brian

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From: Robert Wight
To: Haseen Khan
Date: 5/28/03 9:36AM
Subject: Re: Central Newfoundland Waste Management Site Selection

Haseen:

The two maps are of different scales, so it is difficult to say for sure, but it appears as though the boundaries of Proposed Waste Management Facility/Site #2 do slightly overlap the boundaries of the area proposed by the LSD of Norris Arm North. Of course, this boundary at the lower end of the watershed is arbitrary at this point in time, depending upon where the intake is proposed. Therefore, I think that given a choice, I would recommend site 1 over site 2.

Thanks, Rob

>>> Haseen Khan 05/25/03 02:16PM >>>

I have referred your request for investigation by our dental region staff. I think that one of the identified sites either overlaps or is close to a potential water supply area for Norris Arm North.

Please wait for our input prior to any further action on this project.

Rob - Papers have been faxed to you. Please review and provide your response to me.
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May 26, 2003

Mr. Brian Drover, P. Eng.
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Dear Mr. Drover:

Re: Central Newfoundland Waste Management Study - Site Selection

The proposals have been reviewed by this Department and from a roads point of view, there are no objections. However, if site number 1 is developed, access to the site must be from Norris Arm North highway.

Yours truly,

Wayne E. Ricks, P. Eng.
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May 29, 2003

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Department of Forest Resources & Agrifoods
Policy Coordination Division

Mr. Brian Drover
Pollution Prevention Division
Department of Environment

Dear Mr. Drover:

RE: Central Newfoundland Waste Management Study - Site Selection

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the site selection for the proposed Central Newfoundland waste management facility. There were no concerns identified for either site from an agrifoods perspective.

From a forestry perspective, however, both sites contain merchantable timber, therefore, if either of these sites are chosen forest harvesting should be allocated to existing commercial operators in the district. Both areas are within domestic cutting zones and the area chosen would result in an equivalent loss to the domestic cutters. There is also a small plantation (see attachment) bordering the larger of the sites, therefore, this area should be excluded from the proposal.

Approximately one half of the larger proposed site contains timber licensed to Corner Brook Pulp and Paper (see attachment). The company should be contacted concerning this proposal.

Both sites would result in the removal of productive forest from domestic use which further aggravates the provincial wood supply shortage. It is understood, based on other regional waste management initiatives, the site selection policy is to minimize any impacts. Therefore, we would be interested to know if there are other suitable potential sites that would have less impact on forestry.
We would be interested in receiving information about the Central waste management concerns concerning the proposed operation and from a policy and planning perspective.

Yours truly,

Charlie Butler
Policy Coordinator

To: Mr. G. Whalen, Agrifoods Branch
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