

Payzant Brook Addition

COUNTY: Queens

WILDERNESS AREA: Tidney River

TOTAL AREA: 182.9 hectares (452 acres)

PID: 70249123

DESCRIPTION:

- The Payzant Brook parcel is one of three properties acquired from Bowater Mersey (now AbitibiBowater) in 2007 for addition to Tidney River Wilderness Area.
- The entire shore of Southwest Lake has been brought into public ownership with acquisition of this parcel.
- The property includes large areas of diverse bog and fen wetlands, as well as mature forest with significant stands of old white pine.
- Adding this property to Tidney River Wilderness Area will fully incorporate Owl Hill into the wilderness area and add protected lake shore along Southwest Lake.
- Protecting this property will help achieve better representation of typical landscape elements of Sable River Basin natural landscape within Nova Scotia's protected areas system.

