

## Designations of New Wilderness Areas and Nature Reserves

This table outlines our progress in designating protected areas. Most designated sites were initially identified for protection in Nova Scotia's 2013 Parks and Protected Areas Plan. The designation approval date refers to the date of the Order in Council (OIC). This table is updated as additional sites are designated.

Site #	Name	County	Area (approx.)	Description	Designation Approval
<b>Designations Approved – December 2023</b>					
N/A	Island Lake Wilderness Area	Halifax & Hants	3,937 (9,729 acres)	<a href="https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_IslandLake.asp">https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_IslandLake.asp</a>	December 2023
N/A	South Panuke Wilderness Area (expansion)	Hants & Lunenburg	349 (862 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_southpanuke.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_southpanuke.asp</a>	December 2023
N/A	Blue Mountain-Birch Cove Lakes Wilderness Area (expansion)	Halifax	15 (37 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_BlueMountainBirchCove.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_BlueMountainBirchCove.asp</a>	December 2023
N/A	Devils Jaw Wilderness Area (expansion)	Hants	40 (99 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_DevilsJaw.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_DevilsJaw.asp</a>	December 2023
N/A	Fourchu Coast Wilderness Area (expansion)	Richmond	191 (472 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_fourchucoast.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_fourchucoast.asp</a>	December 2023

N/A	Trout Brook Wilderness Area (expansion)	Inverness	38 (94 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_troutbrook.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_troutbrook.asp</a>	December 2023
45	Douglas Meadow Brook Wilderness Area	Colchester & Cumberland	599 (1,480 acres)	<a href="https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_DouglasMeadowBrook.asp">https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_DouglasMeadowBrook.asp</a>	December 2023
70	Gully Lake Wilderness Area (expansion)	Pictou & Colchester	175 (432 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_gullylake.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_gullylake.asp</a>	December 2023
71	Guysborough Headlands Wilderness Area	Guysborough	3,012 (7443 acres)	<a href="https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_GuysboroughHeadlands.asp">https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_GuysboroughHeadlands.asp</a>	December 2023
79	Big Plains Wilderness Area	Guysborough	2,112 (5219 acres)	<a href="https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_BigPlains.asp">https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_BigPlains.asp</a>	December 2023
93	Liscomb River Wilderness Area (expansion)	Guysborough	144 (356 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_liscombriver.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_liscombriver.asp</a>	December 2023
121	Nine Mile Woods Wilderness Area	Guysborough	1,031 (2,548 acres)	<a href="https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_NineMileWoods.asp">https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_NineMileWoods.asp</a>	December 2023
126	Ogden Round Lake Wilderness Area (expansion)	Guysborough	134 (331 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_ogden.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_ogden.asp</a>	December 2023
22	Cap La Ronde Nature Reserve	Richmond	72 (178 acres)	<a href="https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_CapLaRonde.asp">https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_CapLaRonde.asp</a>	December 2023

49	East River St. Marys Nature Reserve	Guysborough & Pictou	5 (12 acres)	<a href="https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_EastRiverSt.Marys.asp">https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_EastRiverSt.Marys.asp</a>	December 2023
73	Harpers Lake Nature Reserve	Shelburne	401 (991 acres)	<a href="https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_HarpersLake.asp">https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_HarpersLake.asp</a>	December 2023
96	Long Lake Bog Nature Reserve	Queens	714 (1,764 acres)	<a href="https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_LongLakeBog.asp">https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_LongLakeBog.asp</a>	December 2023
115	Minard Brook Nature Reserve	Queens	83 (205 acres)	<a href="https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_MinardBrook.asp">https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_MinardBrook.asp</a>	December 2023
119	Mulgrave Hills Nature Reserve	Guysborough	242 (598 acres)	<a href="https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_MulgraveHills.asp">https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_MulgraveHills.asp</a>	December 2023
135	Point Michaud Nature Reserve	Richmond	343 (848 acres)	<a href="https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_PointMichaud.asp">https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_PointMichaud.asp</a>	December 2023
138	Ponhook Lake Nature Reserve (expansion)	Queens & Lunenburg	160 (395 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_ponhooklake.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_ponhooklake.asp</a>	December 2023
180	Sugar Harbour Islands Nature Reserve	Guysborough	36 (89 acres)	<a href="https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_SugarHarbourIslands.asp">https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_SugarHarbourIslands.asp</a>	December 2023
182	Tobacco Island Nature Reserve	Guysborough	9 (22 acres)	<a href="https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_TobaccoIsland.asp">https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_TobaccoIsland.asp</a>	December 2023

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N/A	Archibald Lake Wilderness Area	Guysborough	687 ha (1,698 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_archibaldlake.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_archibaldlake.asp</a>	August 2023 OIC # 2023-232
<b>Designations Approved – December 2022</b>					
304	Eastern Shore Islands Wilderness Area (expansion)	Halifax	96 ha (237 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_easternshoreislands.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_easternshoreislands.asp</a>	December 2022 OIC # 2022-294
52	Economy River Wilderness Area (expansion)	Cumberland, Colchester	5,495 ha (13,578 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_economyriver.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_economyriver.asp</a>	December 2022 OIC # 2022-294
305	Eigg Mountain-James River Wilderness Area (expansion)	Antigonish	71 ha (175 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_eiggmountain.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_eiggmountain.asp</a>	December 2022 OIC # 2022-294
306	Medway Lakes Wilderness Area (expansion)	Annapolis	430 ha (1,063 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_medwaylakes.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_medwaylakes.asp</a>	December 2022 OIC # 2022-294
307	Middle River Framboise Wilderness Area (expansion)	Cape Breton	21 ha (52 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_middleframboise.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_middleframboise.asp</a>	December 2022 OIC # 2022-294
143	Portapique River Wilderness Area (expansion)	Cumberland, Colchester	974 ha (2,407 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_portapiqueriver.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_portapiqueriver.asp</a>	December 2022 OIC # 2022-294
155	Sackville River Wilderness Area	Halifax	800 ha (1,977 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_sackvilleriver.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_sackvilleriver.asp</a>	December 2022 OIC # 2022-293

312	Wentworth Valley Wilderness Area (expansion)	Cumberland	65 ha (161 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_wentworthvalley.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_wentworthvalley.asp</a>	December 2022 OIC # 2022-294
7	Barneys River Nature Reserve	Pictou	567 ha (1,401 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_barneysriver.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_barneysriver.asp</a>	December 2022 OIC # 2022-295
11	Big Meadow Brook Nature Reserve	Hants	284 ha (702 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_bigmeadowbrook.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_bigmeadowbrook.asp</a>	December 2022 OIC # 2022-295
31	Cherry Hill Beach Nature Reserve	Lunenburg	27 ha (67 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/ns_cherryhillbeach.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/ns_cherryhillbeach.asp</a>	December 2022 OIC # 2022-295
32	Les Caps Nature Reserve	Inverness	22 ha (54 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_lescaps.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_lescaps.asp</a>	December 2022 OIC # 2022-295
64	Glendyer Nature Reserve	Inverness	276 ha (682 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_glendyer.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_glendyer.asp</a>	December 2022 OIC # 2022-295
140	Porcupine Brook Nature Reserve	Annapolis	238 ha (588 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_porcupinebrook.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_porcupinebrook.asp</a>	December 2022 OIC # 2022-295
<b>Designations which came into effect by notices published in the January 12, 2022 edition of the Royal Gazette by the Minister of Environment and Climate Change. These Designations were previously approved by Order in Council (OIC), subject to addressing mineral interests. The applicable conditions in the OICs have since been satisfied.</b>					
59	French River Wilderness Area (expansion)	Victoria	696 ha (1,695 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_frenchriver.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_frenchriver.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-403

125	Northwest Brook Nature Reserve (expansion)	Shelburne	130 ha (321 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_northwestbrook.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_northwestbrook.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-415
151	Rogues Roost Wilderness Area (expansion)	Halifax	63 ha (156 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_roguesroost.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_roguesroost.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-376
189	Tidney River Wilderness Area (expansion)	Shelburne	113 ha (279 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_tidney.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_tidney.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-396
190	Toadfish Lakes Wilderness Area (expansion)	Halifax	197 ha (487 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_toadfishlakes.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_toadfishlakes.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-381
191	Tobeatic Wilderness Area (expansion)	Queens, Shelburne	889 ha (2,197 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_tobeatic.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_tobeatic.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-395
<b>Designations Approved – October 2020</b>					
111	Katewe'katik (designated as a Wilderness Area)	Queens, Annapolis	1,257 ha (3,106 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_katewekatik.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_katewekatik.asp</a>	October 2020 OIC #2020-273
133	Pu'tlaqne'katik (designated as a Wilderness Area)	Lunenburg, Queens	3,025 ha (7,475 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_putlaqnekatik.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_putlaqnekatik.asp</a>	October 2020 OIC #2020-274
164	Silver River Wilderness Area (expansion)	Yarmouth, Digby	2,206 ha (5,451 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_silverriver.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_silverriver.asp</a>	October 2020 OIC #2020-275

n/a	Ship Harbour Long Lake Wilderness Area (expansion)	Halifax	521 ha (1,287 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_ShipHarbourLongLake.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_ShipHarbourLongLake.asp</a>	October 2020 OIC #2020-277
187	Terence Bay Wilderness Area (expansion)	Halifax	38 ha (96 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_terencebay.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_terencebay.asp</a>	October 2020 OIC #2020-276
175	St. Margarets Bay Islands Nature Reserve	Halifax, Lunenburg	58 ha (140 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_stmargaretsbayislands.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_stmargaretsbayislands.asp</a>	October 2020 OIC #2020-278
n/a	Peppered Moon Nature Reserve	Queens	164 ha (405 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_pepperedmoon.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_pepperedmoon.asp</a>	October 2020 OIC #2020-279
148	River Denys Nature Reserve (expansion)	Inverness	94 ha (232 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_riverdenys.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_riverdenys.asp</a>	October 2020 OIC #2020-280
<b>Designations Approved – September 2019</b>					
24	Cape Mabou Wilderness Area	Inverness	1,458 ha (3,603 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_capemabou.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_capemabou.asp</a>	September 2019 OIC #2019-274
75	Holden Lake Wilderness Area	Lunenburg	1,704 ha (4,211 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_holdenlake.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_holdenlake.asp</a>	September 2019 OIC #2019-268
114	Middle River Wilderness Area (expansion)	Inverness	661 ha (1,633 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_middleriver.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_middleriver.asp</a>	September 2019 OIC #2019-267
197	Tusket River Wilderness Area (expansion)	Yarmouth	112 ha (277 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_tusketriver.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_tusketriver.asp</a>	September 2019 OIC #2019-271

3	Ashfield Nature Reserve	Inverness	41 ha (101 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_ashfield.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_ashfield.asp</a>	September 2019 OIC #2019-266
39	Crows Neck Nature Reserve	Shelburne	25 ha (62 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_crowsneck.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_crowsneck.asp</a>	September 2019 OIC #2019-265
66	Grassy Island Nature Reserve	Lunenburg	0.7 ha (2 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_grassyisland.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_grassyisland.asp</a>	September 2019 OIC #2019-264
74	Hectanooga Cedar Swamp Nature Reserve	Digby	108 ha (267 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_hectanogacedarswamp.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_hectanogacedarswamp.asp</a>	September 2019 OIC #2019-273
145	Ragged Harbour Nature Reserve	Queens	37 ha (91 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_raggedharbour.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_raggedharbour.asp</a>	September 2019 OIC #2019-260
148	River Denys Nature Reserve	Inverness	161 ha (398 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_riverdenys.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_riverdenys.asp</a>	September 2019 OIC #2019-272
149	River Inhabitants Nature Reserve (expansion)	Inverness	527 ha (1,302 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_riverinhabitants.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_riverinhabitants.asp</a>	September 2019 OIC #2019-261 and OIC #2019-269
163	Shut-In Island Nature Reserve	Halifax	7 ha (17 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_shut-inisland.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_shut-inisland.asp</a>	September 2019 OIC #2019-262
N/A	Lake Annis Nature Reserve	Yarmouth	189 ha (467 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_lakeannis.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_lakeannis.asp</a>	September 2019 OIC #2019-270



N/A	Catalone Lake Nature Reserve	Cape Breton	17 ha (42 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_catalonelake.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_catalonelake.asp</a>	September 2019 OIC #2019-263
<b>Designations Approved – November 2018</b>					
29	Chase Lake Wilderness Area	Cumberland	873 ha (2,157 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_chaselake.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_chaselake.asp</a>	November 2018 OIC #18-302
207	Wentworth Valley Wilderness Area	Cumberland, Colchester	1,954 ha (4,828 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_wentworthvalley.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_wentworthvalley.asp</a>	November 2018 OIC #18-301
178	Steepbank Brook Nature Reserve	Cumberland	202 (499 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_steepbankbrook.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_steepbankbrook.asp</a>	November 2018 OIC #18-300
<b>Designations Approved - March 2017</b>					
33	Chignecto Isthmus Wilderness Area (expansion)	Cumberland	2,785 ha (6,882 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_ChignectoIsthmus.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_ChignectoIsthmus.asp</a>	March 2017 OIC # 2017-62
202	Walton River Wilderness Area	Hants	2,246 ha (5,549 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_waltonriver.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_waltonriver.asp</a>	March 2017 OIC # 2017-63
210	Carleton River Wilderness Area	Yarmouth	919 ha (2,271 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_carletonriver.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_carletonriver.asp</a>	March 2017 OIC # 2017-64
8	Basque Islands Nature Reserve	Richmond	6 ha (15 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_basqueislands.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_basqueislands.asp</a>	March 2017 OIC # 2017-65
67	Green Island Nature Reserve	Shelburne	11 ha	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_greenisland.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_greenisland.asp</a>	March 2017 OIC # 2017-66

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84	Johnson Lake Nature Reserve	CBRM	174 ha (430 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_johnsonlake.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_johnsonlake.asp</a>	March 2017 OIC # 2017-67
102	MacDonalds Pond Nature Reserve	Inverness	37 ha (91 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_macdonaldspond.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_macdonaldspond.asp</a>	March 2017 OIC # 2017-68
103	MacLeod Brook Nature Reserve	Inverness	121 ha (299 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_macleodbrook.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_macleodbrook.asp</a>	March 2017 OIC # 2017-69
105	MacRitchies Brook Nature Reserve	Inverness	50 ha (124 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_macritchesbrook.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_macritchesbrook.asp</a>	March 2017 OIC # 2017-70
106	Margaree Brook Nature Reserve	Inverness	298 ha (736 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_margareebrook.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_margareebrook.asp</a>	March 2017 OIC # 2017-71
127	Ohio River Nature Reserve	Antigonish	28 ha (69 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_ohioriver.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_ohioriver.asp</a>	March 2017 OIC # 2017-72
157	Seal Cove Nature Reserve	Inverness	81 ha (200 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_sealcove.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_sealcove.asp</a>	March 2017 OIC # 2017-75
172	South River Nature Reserve	Antigonish	15 ha (37 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_southernriver.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_southernriver.asp</a>	March 2017 OIC # 2017-76
173	Southwest Mabou River Nature Reserve	Inverness	93 ha (230 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_southwestmabouriver.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_southwestmabouriver.asp</a>	March 2017 OIC # 2017-73

192	Torbrook Nature Reserve	Annapolis	144 ha (356 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_torbrook.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_torbrook.asp</a>	March 2017  OIC # 2017-74
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17	Boggy Lake Wilderness Area (expansion)	Halifax, Guysborough	973 ha (2,405 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_BoggyLake.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_BoggyLake.asp</a>	December 2015  OIC # 2015-388
20	Cains Mountain Wilderness Area	Victoria	554 ha (1,369 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_cainsmountain.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_cainsmountain.asp</a>	December 2015  OIC # 2015-405
21	Calvary River Wilderness Area	Colchester	1,174 ha (2,902 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_calvaryriver.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_calvaryriver.asp</a>	December 2015  OIC # 2015-404
42	Devils Jaw Wilderness Area	Hants	2,787 ha (6,887 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_DevilsJaw.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_DevilsJaw.asp</a>	December 2015  OIC # 2015-389
58	Fourchu Coast Wilderness Area	Richmond, Cape Breton	4,811 ha (11,888 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_fourchucoast.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_fourchucoast.asp</a>	December 2015  OIC # 2015-421
59	French River Wilderness Area (expansion)	Victoria	16,418 ha (40,570 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_frenchriver.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_frenchriver.asp</a>	December 2015  OIC # 2015-403
60	Gabarus Wilderness Area (expansion)	Cape Breton	132 ha (327 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_gabarus.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_gabarus.asp</a>	December 2015  OIC # 2015-402

86	Kelley River Wilderness Area (expansion)	Cumberland	87 ha (214 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_kelley-river.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_kelley-river.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-401
88	Kluscap Wilderness Area	Victoria	2,777 ha (6,862 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_kluscap.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_kluscap.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-390
90	Lake Rossignol Wilderness Area (expansion)	Queens	25 ha (63 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_lakerossignol.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_lakerossignol.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-400
93	Liscomb River Wilderness Area (expansion)	Guysborough	3,359 ha (8,300 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_liscombriver.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_liscombriver.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-422
107	Margaree River Wilderness Area (expansion)	Inverness	2,140 ha (5,287 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_margareebrook.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_margareebrook.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-391
112	Medway Lakes Wilderness Area	Annapolis	19,658 ha (48,575 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_medwaylakes.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_medwaylakes.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-423
122	North Mountain Wilderness Area	Inverness	1,081 ha (2,671 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_northmountain.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_northmountain.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-399
134	Pockwock Wilderness Area	Halifax, Hants	1,900 ha (4,695 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_pockwock.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_pockwock.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-398
136	Polletts Cove – Aspy Fault Wilderness Area	Victoria	89 ha (221 acres)	<a href="https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_pollettscove.asp">https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_pollettscove.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-424

	(expansion)				
137	Polly Brook Wilderness Area	Cumberland	781 ha (1,929 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_pollybrook.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_pollybrook.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-392
139	Porcupine Lake Wilderness Area	Digby	974 ha (2,408 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_porcupinelake.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_porcupinelake.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-397
141	Port La Tour Bogs Wilderness Area	Shelburne	1,032 ha (2,551 acres)	<a href="https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_portlatourbogs.asp">https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_portlatourbogs.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-425
151	Rogues Roost Wilderness Area	Halifax	1,140 ha (2,817 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_roguesroost.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_roguesroost.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-376
152	Roseway River Wilderness Area	Shelburne	1,691 ha (4,177 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_rosewayriver.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_rosewayriver.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-377
156	Scrag Lake Wilderness Area	Annapolis, Lunenburg	1,961 ha (4,845 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_scraglake.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_scraglake.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-378
159	Shelburne River Wilderness Area (expansion)	Queens	1,178 ha (2,911 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_shelburneriver.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_shelburneriver.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-379
162	Ship Harbour Long Lake Wilderness Area (expansion)	Halifax	921 ha (2,275 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_ShipHarbourLongLake.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_ShipHarbourLongLake.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-380
164	Silver River	Digby,	5,292 ha	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_silverriver.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_silverriver.asp</a>	December 2015

	Wilderness Area	Yarmouth	(13,077 acres)		OIC # 2015-387
171	South Panuke Wilderness Area	Lunenburg, Halifax, Hants	6,843 ha (16,909 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_southpanuke.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_southpanuke.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-426
184	Tangier Grand Lake Wilderness Area (expansion)	Halifax	170 ha (420 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_tangierlake.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_tangierlake.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-427
189	Tidney River Wilderness Area (expansion)	Shelburne, Queens	2,312 ha (5,713 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_tidne.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_tidne.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-396
190	Toadfish Lakes Wilderness Area	Halifax	6,322 ha (15,622 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_toadfishlakes.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_toadfishlakes.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-381
191	Tobeatic Wilderness Area (expansion)	Queens, Shelburne, Yarmouth, Digby, Annapolis	15,678ha (38,741 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_tobeatic.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_tobeatic.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-395
193	Tracadie River Wilderness Area	Guysborough	2,527 ha (6,244 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_tracadieriver.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_tracadieriver.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-394
194	Trout Brook Wilderness Area (expansion)	Inverness	186 ha (459 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_troutbrook.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_troutbrook.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-414
196	Tusket Islands	Yarmouth	706 ha	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_tusketislands.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_tusketislands.asp</a>	December 2015

	Wilderness Area		(1,745 acres)		OIC # 2015-413
200	Twelve Mile Stream Wilderness Area	Halifax	1,794 ha (4,433 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_twelvemilestream.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_twelvemilestream.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-382
208	White Lake Wilderness Area (expansion)	Halifax	568 ha (1,403 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_whitelake.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_whitelake.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-383
2	Angevine Lake Nature Reserve	Cumberland	270 ha (667 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_angevinelake.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_angevinelake.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-412
4	Aylesford Mountain Nature Reserve	Kings	86 ha (214 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_aylesfordmountain.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_aylesfordmountain.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-428
9	Bennery Lake Nature Reserve	Halifax	279 ha (689 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_bennerylake.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_bennerylake.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-429
43	Diligent River Nature Reserve	Cumberland	112 ha (278 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_diligentriver.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_diligentriver.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-430
44	Dochertys Brook Nature Reserve	Cumberland	12 ha (30 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_dochertysbrook.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_dochertysbrook.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-431
47	Dunraven Bog Nature Reserve	Queens	3,464 ha (8,560 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_dunravenbog.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_dunravenbog.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-384
51	Economy Point Nature Reserve	Colchester	120 ha (297 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_economypoint.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_economypoint.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-432

56	Harrison Woods Nature Reserve	Cumberland	94 ha (232 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_harrisonwoods.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_harrisonwoods.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-433
78	Indian Man Lake Nature Reserve (expansion)	Guysborough	405 ha (1,000 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_indianman.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_indianman.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-434
91	Lambs Lake Nature Reserve	Annapolis	159 ha (394 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_lambslake.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_lambslake.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-411
94	Little Beaver Lakes Nature Reserve	Inverness	360 ha (891 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_littlebeaverlakes.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_littlebeaverlakes.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-410
97	Long Lake Nature Reserve (expansion)	Lunenburg	398 ha (984 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_onglake.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_onglake.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-409
98	Loon Lake Nature Reserve	Guysborough	384 ha (950 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_loonlake.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_loonlake.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-408
124	Snowshoe Lakes Nature Reserve	Annapolis	419 ha (1,036 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_snowshoelakes.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_snowshoelakes.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-385
125	Northwest Brook Nature Reserve	Shelburne	270 ha (667 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_northwestbrook.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_northwestbrook.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-415
128	Old Annapolis Road Nature Reserve	Halifax	454 ha (1,122 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_oldannapolisroad.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_oldannapolisroad.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-435



142	Port L'Hebert Nature Reserve	Shelburne, Queens	691 ha (1,708 acres)	<a href="https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_portlhebert.asp">https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_portlhebert.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-419
147	Rawdon River Nature Reserve	Halifax	116 ha (286 acres)	<a href="https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_rawdonriver.asp">https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_rawdonriver.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-420
166	Skull Bog Lake Nature Reserve	Annapolis	524 ha (1,294 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_skullbog.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_skullbog.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-386
168	Sloans Lake Nature Reserve	Yarmouth	141 ha (349 acres)	<a href="https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_sloanslake.asp">https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_sloanslake.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-418
169	Smith Lake Nature Reserve	Lunenburg	645 ha (1,594 acres)	<a href="https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_smithlake.asp">https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_smithlake.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-417
195	Tupper Lake Nature Reserve	Queens	167 ha (412 acres)	<a href="https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_tupperlake.asp">https://novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_tupperlake.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-416
205	Wentworth Lake Nature Reserve	Digby	54 ha (134 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_wentworthlake.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_wentworthlake.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-407
206	Ghost Antler Nature Reserve	Shelburne	1,007 ha (2,489 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_ghostantler.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_ghostantler.asp</a>	December 2015 OIC # 2015-406
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1	Alder Ground Wilderness Area	Guysborough	489 ha	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_aldergrounds.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_aldergrounds.asp</a>	June 2015 OIC # 2015-200

	(expansion)		(1,208 acres)		
16	Blue Mountain-Birch Cove Lakes Wilderness Area (expansion)	Halifax	451 ha (1,114 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_BlueMountainBirchCove.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_BlueMountainBirchCove.asp</a>	June 2015 OIC # 2015-199
35	Cloud Lake Wilderness Area (expansion)	Annapolis, Kings	4,893 ha (12,090 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_cloudlake.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_cloudlake.asp</a>	June 2015 OIC # 2015-198
41	Denis Lakes Wilderness Area	Guysborough	488 ha (1,206 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_denislakes.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_denislakes.asp</a>	June 2015 OIC # 2015-197
50	Eastern Shore Islands Wilderness Area	HRM, Guysborough	1,853 ha (4,579 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_easternshoreislands.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_easternshoreislands.asp</a>	June 2015 OIC # 2015-196
53	Eigg Mountain-James River Wilderness Area (expansion)	Antigonish, Pictou	2,183 ha (5,394 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_eiggmountain.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_eiggmountain.asp</a>	June 2015 OIC # 2015-195
123	North River Wilderness Area (expansion)	Victoria	979 ha (2,418 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_northriver.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_northriver.asp</a>	June 2015 OIC # 2015-194
146	Raven Head Wilderness Area (expansion)	Cumberland	398 ha (983 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_chignectocrownlands.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_chignectocrownlands.asp</a>	June 2015 OIC # 2015-193
165	Sissiboo River Wilderness Area	Digby	1,196 ha (2,955 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_sissibooriver.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_sissibooriver.asp</a>	June 2015 OIC # 2015-202

187	Terence Bay Wilderness Area (expansion)	HRM	58 ha (143 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_terencebay.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_terencebay.asp</a>	June 2015 OIC # 2015-192
98	Tusket River Wilderness Area	Yarmouth	1,663 ha (4109 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_tusketriver.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_tusketriver.asp</a>	June 2015 OIC # 2015-201
6	Baleine Nature Reserve	Cape Breton	1,268 ha (3,133 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_baleine.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_baleine.asp</a>	June 2015 OIC # 2015-191
13	Black River Bog Nature Reserve	Inverness	109 ha (269 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_blackriverbog.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_blackriverbog.asp</a>	June 2015 OIC # 2015-188
28	Cedar Lake Nature Reserve	Yarmouth	23 ha (59 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_cedarlake.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_cedarlake.asp</a>	June 2015 OIC # 2015-180
34	Chimney Corner Nature Reserve	Inverness	750 ha (1,853 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_chimneycorner.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_chimneycorner.asp</a>	June 2015 OIC # 2015-187
40	Dalhousie Mountain Nature Reserve	Pictou	46 ha (114 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_dalhousiemountain.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_dalhousiemountain.asp</a>	June 2015 OIC # 2015-186
57	Fossil Coast Nature Reserve	Cumberland	276 ha (682 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_fossilcoast.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_fossilcoast.asp</a>	June 2015 OIC # 2015-185
87	Kennetcook Nature Reserve	Hants	125 ha (309 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_kentetcook.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_kentetcook.asp</a>	June 2015 OIC # 2015-184
89	Lake Egmont	Halifax	89 ha	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas</a>	June 2015

	Nature Reserve		(220 acres)	<a href="#">/nr_lakeegmont.asp</a>	OIC # 2015-183
100	MacAulays Hill Nature Reserve	Victoria	105 ha (259 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_macaulayshill.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_macaulayshill.asp</a>	June 2015 OIC # 2015-182
144	Quinns Meadow Nature Reserve (expansion)	Shelburne	46 ha (114 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_quinnsmeadow.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_quinnsmeadow.asp</a>	June 2015 OIC # 2015-181
183	Tait Lake Nature Reserve	HRM	216 ha (534 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_taitlake.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_taitlake.asp</a>	June 2015 OIC # 2015-190
188	Tiddville Nature Reserve	Digby	29 ha (72 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_tiddville.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_tiddville.asp</a>	June 2015 OIC # 2015-189
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69	The Stillwaters Wilderness Area	Cape Breton	2,968 ha (7,334 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_thestillwaters.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_thestillwaters.asp</a>	December 2014 OIC # 2014-521
76	Humes River Wilderness Area	Inverness, Victoria	3,625 ha (8,954 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_humesriver.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_humesriver.asp</a>	December 2014 OIC # 2014-519
5	Baddeck River Wilderness Area	Victoria	2,778 ha (6,862 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_baddeckriver.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_baddeckriver.asp</a>	December 2014 OIC # 2014-518
153	Ruiss Noir Wilderness Area	Inverness	1,602 ha (3,958 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_ruissnoir.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/wa_ruissnoir.asp</a>	December 2014 OIC # 2014-520
12	Lyons Marsh	Colchester	60 ha	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas</a>	December 2014

	Nature Reserve		(147 acres)	<a href="#">/nr_lyonsmarsh.asp</a>	OIC # 2014-511
15	Blandford Nature Reserve (expansion)	Lunenburg	20 ha  (50 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_blandford.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_blandford.asp</a>	December 2014  OIC # 2014-517
26	Caribou Rivers Nature Reserve	Pictou	32 ha  (80 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_caribourivers.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_caribourivers.asp</a>	December 2014  OIC # 2014-516
37	Cowan Brook Nature Reserve	Halifax	56 ha  (139 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_cowanbrook.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_cowanbrook.asp</a>	December 2014  OIC # 2014-515
46	Drug Brook Nature Reserve	Pictou	34 ha  (85 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_drugbrook.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_drugbrook.asp</a>	December 2014  OIC # 2014-514
48	Eagles Nest Nature Reserve	Hants	188 ha  (464 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_eaglesnest.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_eaglesnest.asp</a>	December 2014  OIC # 2014-513
81	Irish Cove Nature Reserve	Richmond	159 ha  (393 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_irishcove.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_irishcove.asp</a>	December 2014  OIC # 2014-512
83	Janvrin Island Nature Reserve	Richmond	121 ha  (299 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_janvrinisland.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_janvrinisland.asp</a>	December 2014  OIC # 2014-510
101	MacKay Brook Nature Reserve	Pictou	20 ha  (50 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_mackaybrook.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_mackaybrook.asp</a>	December 2014  OIC # 2014-502

108	Masons Mountain Nature Reserve	Inverness	831 ha (2,052 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_masonsmountain.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_masonsmountain.asp</a>	December 2014 OIC # 2014-503
117	Montrose Nature Reserve	Colchester	26 ha (63 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_montrose.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_montrose.asp</a>	December 2014 OIC # 2014-504
132	Petite Bog Nature Reserve	Hants	799 ha (1,973 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_petitiebog.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_petitiebog.asp</a>	December 2014 OIC # 2014-505
154	Rush Lake Nature Reserve	Guysborough	307 ha (758 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_rushlake.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_rushlake.asp</a>	December 2014 OIC # 2014-506
158	Seven Falls Nature Reserve	Inverness and Victoria	693 ha (1,712 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_sevenfalls.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_sevenfalls.asp</a>	December 2014 OIC # 2014-507
167	Slade Lake Nature Reserve	Cumberland	25 ha (61 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_sladelake.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_sladelake.asp</a>	December 2014 OIC # 2014-508
186	Tennycapc River Nature Reserve	Hants	346 ha (855 acres)	<a href="https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_tennycapc.asp">https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/nr_tennycapc.asp</a>	December 2014 OIC # 2014-509