

Highway 103 Twinning: Upper Tantallon to Hubbards Factsheet CONNECTOR ROAD

- A connector road is being considered to provide better access to Highway 103 and Trunk 3 for emergency services such as police, ambulances and fire fighters.
- A connector road will provide improved access to Highway 103 for the communities of Boutilier's Point, Black Point, Ingramport and The Puddle.
- A connector road will provide improved access to Trunk 3 for motorists on Highway 103 who may have to exit the highway in case of an emergency.
- A connector road will help reduce traffic volumes on St. Margaret's Bay Road.
- Fire Services could have improved access to fresh water with a connector road.
- A connector road will allow for better movement of traffic in the event of an incident on either Highway 103 or Trunk 3.
- In the case of a catastrophic event a connector road will facilitate the evacuation of coastal communities.
- A connector road would be a controlled access road.
- Six routes are being considered and have undergone environmental screening. Thorough environmental assessments (EAs), studying the impacts of a particular project on the environment, are required for highway construction projects. The results of the environmental investigations will help define the best route for the project, as well as help determine what measures need to be taken to eliminate, minimize, or compensate for any predicted environmental impacts.