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Assistance Provided to Farms to Increase Water Supply

Nova Scotia farmers will have access to additional support to increase their supply of water. The Province has committed an additional \$475,000 under the On-Farm Water Management Program to support water projects like wells and ponds on farms. This will fund all existing eligible applications and enable a second call for applications under the program.

"We want to help farms have a plentiful supply of water throughout the growing season and to deal with the very dry conditions they are experiencing," said Greg Morrow, Minister of Agriculture. "This funding will help farms become more resilient in dealing with the impacts of climate change."

The On-Farm Water Management Program is part of the federal-provincial Sustainable Canadian Agricultural Partnership, a five-year, \$3.5 billion investment by federal, provincial and territorial governments that aims to strengthen competitiveness, encourage innovation, and build the resiliency of Canada's agriculture, agri food and agri based products sector.

Province Recommends More Wildfire Precautions

As dry conditions continue and crews fight multiple fires across Nova Scotia, the Province is strongly recommending additional precautions for industrial and agricultural operations on private land.

"Whenever industrial work takes place in our forests on Crown land, there are always safety precautions to reduce the risk of wildfires. We added to those requirements last week given the current conditions," said Tory Rushton, Minister of Natural Resources. "We're working with forestry, agriculture and other industries operating on private land to also use those measures until we see the rain we know is needed to counteract these dangerously dry conditions."

Commercial operations like forestry and mining need a travel permit to continue working on Crown land. Where possible, such as in forestry, permits require work to be done between the hours of 8 p.m. and 10 a.m.; fire suppression equipment must be on hand, and there must be a two-hour fire watch after work is completed.

On private land any activities that require heavy machinery, including agriculture and forestry, are strongly recommended to take the same approach. The Province will continue to assess conditions and adjust recommendations as necessary. Crews have responded to more than 100 fires already during this wildfire season. Travel permits have been issued to forestry companies and hundreds of other businesses that operate in the woods, all with requirements for fire safety.

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52 New Child Care Spaces Being Created in Lower Onslow

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child-care spaces will help reduce costs for those in Colchester and Inverness. These are generational investments in families, our economy and the future of our children."

Since 2021, more than 7,300 new child-care spaces have been announced across the province; Nova Scotia has signed a five-year extension to the Canada-Nova Scotia Canada-Wide Early Learning and Child Care Agreement and the Canada-Nova Scotia Early

Learning and Child Care Agreement, worth more than \$1 billion total. The extended agreements will be in place until March 31, 2031, ensuring continued funding to sustain and build upon the transformative progress to date.

The projects are part of provincial and federal efforts to expand access to child care, supported through the Canada-Nova Scotia Canada-Wide Early Learning and Child Care Agreement.



Bianca Silva helps Georgina Thompson, Whitley Thompson and Whalon Cameron at the fish pond during the Lower Onslow Preschool End of Summer Fundraiser. (Harrington Photo)



Members of the Lower Onslow Preschool Board, current teachers and five different years of students help install the new sign for this September at the Preschool. (Harrington Photo)



Dallas Betts didn't need any help from summer student teacher and former student Lauren Mattatall at the water balloon station during the Lower Onslow Preschool End of Summer Fundraiser. (Harrington Photo)

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SEPTEMBER 2025 - Five Islands Tide Times

DATE	A.M.	Ht./m	P.M.	Ht./m
MONDAY SEPT 1	7:52	10.94	20:14	11.37
TUESDAY SEPT 2	8:46	10.97	21:10	11.54
WEDNESDAY SEPT 3	9:43	11.27	22:06	11.94
THURSDAY SEPT 4	10:37	11.77	22:59	12.49
FRIDAY SEPT 5	11:28	12.39	23:50	13.09
SATURDAY SEPT 6	-	-	12:17	13.03
SUNDAY SEPT 7	00:39	13.64	13:04	13.61
MONDAY SEPT 8	1: 26	14:07	13:50	14.08
TUESDAY SEPT 9	2:13	14.34	14:36	14.40
WEDNESDAY SEPT 10	3:00	14.42	15:22	14.51
THURSDAY SEPT 11	3:47	14.27	16:09	14.38
FRIDAY SEPT 12	4:35	13.89	16:59	14.00
SATURDAY SEPT 13	5:28	13.31	17:52	13.43
SUNDAY SEPT 14	6:26	12.64	18:53	12.78
MONDAY SEPT 15	7:32	12.04	20:03	12.28
TUESDAY SEPT 16	8:44	11.73	21:17	12.11
WEDNESDAY SEPT 17	9:56	11.81	22:27	12.29
THURSDAY SEPT 18	11:01	12.16	23:28	12.65
FRIDAY SEPT 19	11:57	12.61	-	-
SATURDAY SEPT 20	00:22	13.02	12:47	13.01
SUNDAY SEPT 21	1:11	13.28	13:33	13.29
MONDAY SEPT 22	1:55	13.39	14:15	13.42
TUESDAY SEPT 23	2:36	13.34	14:54	13.39
WEDNESDAY SEPT 24	3:15	13.14	15:31	13.21
THURSDAY SEPT 25	3:51	12.83	16:06	12.94
FRIDAY SEPT 26	4:27	12.46	16:41	12.60
SATURDAY SEPT 27	5:02	12.08	17:16	12.26
SUNDAY SEPT 28	5:39	11.72	17:55	11.96
MONDAY SEPT 29	6:22	11.45	18:41	11.75
TUESDAY SEPT 30	7:12	11.30	19:34	11.67

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