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Dear Stakeholders,

The Nova Scotia Department of Environment and Climate Change (the Department) has been engaging with external stakeholders to modernize how construction and demolition (C&D) debris is managed in Nova Scotia. We are now sharing the results of the targeted engagement, the updated Guidelines, and what you can expect next.

## **Results of Targeted Engagement and next steps**

The What We Heard is attached and outlines the results of the targeted engagement that the Department undertook to establish the final Guidelines and how feedback has been addressed.

The What We Heard also describes a phased-in approach for many of the new requirements and timing for submitting approval applications.

## **Finalized Guidelines**

Amendments to the following Guidelines have been approved and are available online, here:

- <u>Solid Waste Management Facility Guidelines for Construction and Demolition (C&D) Debris Storage, Transfer,</u> <u>Process and Disposal</u>
- Solid Waste Management Facility Guidelines for Municipal Waste Transfer Facilities

The Guidelines, which outline minimum requirements for approval holders, will come into effect on July 5, 2023, aligning with the following two regulatory changes:

- Treated wood ban from disposal at C&D facilities
- Approvals required for processing, transfer and storage of C&D material

## Project leadership

If you have any questions, please reach out to the project lead, Don MacQueen (<u>Donald.MacQueen@novascotia.ca</u>).

Thank you for your active participation in this work. It is much appreciated.

All the best, Maylia



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