



December 17, 2025

The Honourable Timothy Halman
Minister of Environment and Climate Change
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The Honourable Timothy Halman:

The Municipality of the District of East Hants would like to express our disappointment with Nova Scotia Environment and Climate Change's decision to approve the Mount Uniacke Quarry Expansion proposed by Northumberland Capital Corporation Inc.

East Hants has expressed its concerns with the quarry expansion and the impact on the community of Mount Uniacke and the residents who call the community home. The Municipality believes that the continued development of the quarry is incompatible with population growth and risks impeding the Municipality's efforts to foster a complete and thriving community.

Given the long-term implications of the quarry expansion on the residents of Mount Uniacke, East Hants wants to ensure that the 38 terms and conditions that must be met to protect surrounding water resources, wildlife habitat, air quality, noise and lighting, as well as ongoing public engagement with neighbouring communities, are continually monitored by NSECC staff.

I would like to make it clear that East Hants Council and the residents of Mount Uniacke do not support the quarry expansion or your decision to approve it.

Sincerely,

Eleanor Roulston
Warden, Municipality of East Hants

C.c.: The Honourable Tim Houston, Premier of Nova Scotia
John A. MacDonald, MLA

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