



August 26, 2026

The Honourable Kody Blois
101A-24 Harbourside Drive
Wolfville, Nova Scotia
B4P 2C1

Dear MP Blois,

On behalf of the Municipality of East Hants, I am writing to seek federal funding to support CN Rail in upgrading a CN cross culvert in Lantz, which is critical to the broader community's adaption to climate change.

East Hants hired Dillon Consulting to undertake the "Barney's Brook Flood Risk Study", which was completed in May 2026. The most impactful recommendation within the report is to significantly increase a CN cross culvert that manages the flow of Barney's Brook near Robert Scott Drive, Lantz. This project could require in excess of \$2 million to complete, which is a financial hurdle that will likely cause significant delay, unless the federal government can step in.

Your assistance on this matter would be greatly appreciated, and the Municipality of East Hants looks forward to working with all levels of government where applicable, to facilitate this important work.

Sincerely,

Eleanor Roulston, Warden
Municipality of East Hants

E: John A. MacDonald - MLA Hants East